CHAPTER 2 The Expansion and Fall of Rome	Form B
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<b>Part 1: Multiple Choice</b> Choose the letter of the best answer. (4 points each	ch)
<ul> <li>How did the Tiber River contribute to Rome's growth?</li> <li>a. It was a clean and steady source of fuel.</li> <li>b. It provided a steady source of ice in the winter.</li> <li>c. It allowed the Romans to trade throughout the region.</li> <li>d. It kept the Romans safe from attack.</li> <li>Who could vote in the Roman Republic?</li> <li>a. all men born free</li> <li>b. all servants and slaves</li> <li>c. only senators and consuls</li> <li>d. men chosen by a consul</li> <li>Who took the title of Augustus?</li> <li>a. Constantine c. Justinian</li> <li>b. Julius Caesar d. Octavian</li> <li>Why was Jesus put to death?</li> <li>a. because he was considered a threat</li> <li>b. because he wanted the title of emperor</li> <li>d. because he wanted to create a new country</li> <li>S. How did the lack of new conquests hurt the Roman Empire?</li> <li>a. It put an end to new sources of wealth.</li> <li>b. It made Roman leaders appear weak.</li> <li>c. It weakened Rome's prominence in the world.</li> <li>d. It left the Roman army with little to do.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>6. Why did Diocletian divide the Roman Empire in half? <ul> <li>a. to give power to more people</li> <li>b. to increase the number of citizens</li> <li>c. to create two separate empires</li> <li>d. to make the empire easier to govern</li> </ul> </li> <li>7. Which was an effect of the Byzantine Empire's location? <ul> <li>a. It was influenced by cultures only from the east.</li> <li>b. It was influenced strictly by Roman culture.</li> <li>c. It was influenced by cultures from both the east and west.</li> <li>d. It was influenced by cultures from both the east and west.</li> <li>d. It was influenced mainly by cultures from the west.</li> </ul> </li> <li>8. Which of the following groups did NOT invade the Western Roman Empire? <ul> <li>a. Slavs</li> <li>c. Germanics</li> <li>b. Huns</li> <li>d. Byzantines</li> </ul> </li> <li>9. The schism in the Christian church created which of the following? <ul> <li>a. Stoicism</li> <li>b. Judaism</li> <li>c. Hinduism and Buddhism</li> <li>d. Roman Catholicism and Eastern Orthodoxy</li> </ul> </li> <li>10. Why did the Romans build aqueducts? <ul> <li>a. to bring fresh water to country houses</li> <li>c. to bring fresh water to farm wells</li> <li>d. to bring fresh water to cities and towns</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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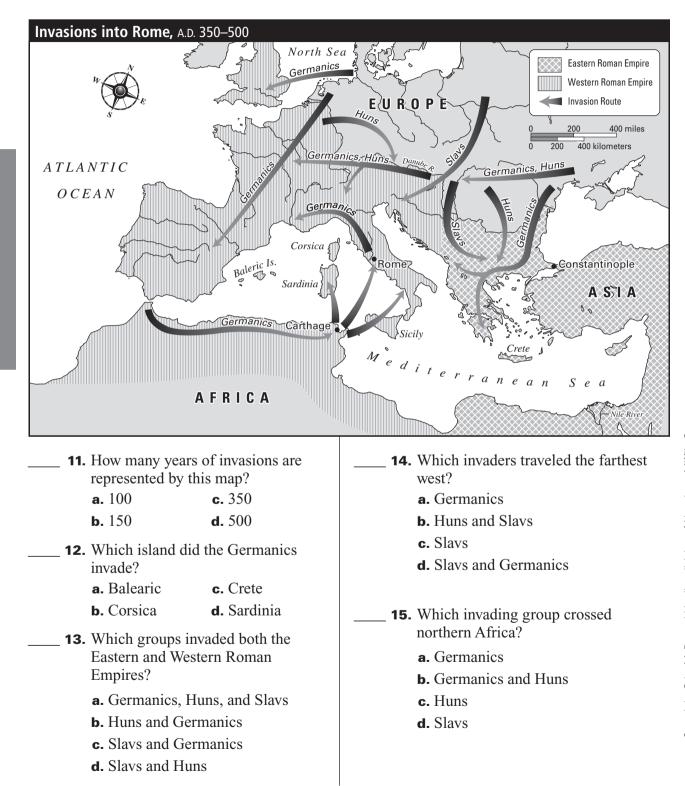
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## Part 2: Map Skills

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Using the exhibit, choose the letter of the best answer. (4 points each)



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#### **Part 3: Interpreting a Chart**

Using the exhibit, choose the letter of the best answer. (4 points each)

	Wages in the Ror	nan Empire, A.d. 301	
OCCUPATION, PAY FREQUENCY	APPROXIMATE WAGES (DENARI)	OCCUPATION, PAY FREQUENCY	APPROXIMATE WAGES (DENARI)
Brick maker, for every 4 fired bricks	2	Secretary, daily	35
Brick maker, for every 8 sun dried bricks	2	Wall mosaics worker, daily	60
Wool weaver, per cloak	175	Water carrier, daily	25
Barber, per customer	2	Lawyer, for pleading a case	1000
Carpenter, daily	50	Public speaking teacher, per month, per student	250
Sewer cleaner, daily	25	Arithmetic teacher, per month, per student	75

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- **16.** How was an arithmetic teacher paid?
  - a. by the dayc. pb. by the weekd. p
    - c. per week, per studentd. per month, per student
  - **17.** What does the difference in the daily wages of wall mosaics workers and
    - secretaries suggest?
      - **a.** The skills of a secretary were more highly valued.
      - **b.** The skills of a mosaics worker were easy to master.
      - **c.** The skills of a mosaics worker were more valued.
      - **d.** The skills of a secretary were difficult to master.
- 18. How much denarii would a wall mosaics worker earn after 12 days of work?
  a 600
  700

<b>a.</b> 000	<b>C.</b> 700
<b>b.</b> 650	<b>d.</b> 720

- **19.** How many days would a water carrier have to work to earn an arithmetic teacher's monthly per student wage?
  - a. twoc. fourb. threed. five
- **20.** How many days would a sewer cleaner have to work to earn the equivalent of a lawyer's wage for one case?

<b>a.</b> 20	<b>c.</b> 40
<b>b.</b> 30	<b>d.</b> 50

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# Part 4: Essay

Answer the following question(s) on the back of this paper or on a separate sheet of paper. (10 points each)

**21.** Describe three problems faced by the Roman Empire. Tell why those problems existed and how they contributed to the fall of the empire.

### THINK ABOUT:

- the empire's decline in growth
- the decline of agriculture
- the decline of the military
- **22.** Describe which legacy of Rome you consider most significant and why.

#### THINK ABOUT:

- Rome's impact on architecture
- Rome's impact on law and government

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