

**HOT TASK:**

- 1) Letter home as a Roman soldier
- 2) Persuasive Leaflet – join the Roman Army  
GDS – Choice of a leaflet or speech

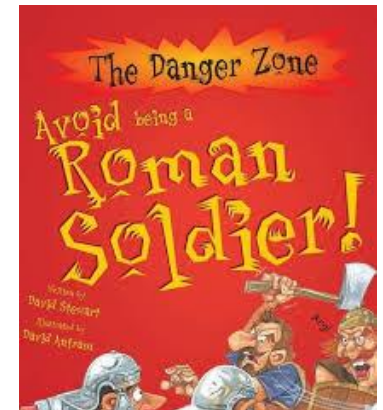
Text and author: *Avoid being a Roman Soldier* by David Stewart  
Purpose: To inform and persuade  
Form: Letter and leaflet  
Audience: Roman family and Roman people

**Apprentice Writes:**  
Information paragraphs about the Roman Army  
Description of a Roman soldier  
Tweets from a Roman soldier  
Diary of a Roman soldier

**Create, Refine and Evaluate:**  
Model write and shared write paragraphs of the leaflet  
Look closely at editing together and consider how to improve work  
Use writing rectangles to evaluate the effectiveness of writing

**Capture, Sift and Sort:**  
3d - Learn about formal language  
4b – Use headings and subheadings  
5a and 5b - Write using conjunctions  
6a - Expand noun phrases to include adjectives and prepositions

**Capture, Sift and Sort:**  
Explore persuasive features  
Create a persuasive poster for the Roman army  
Try to persuade others  
Find out about the purpose and audience using writing rectangles



**Stimulate and Generate:**  
Create a word bank of persuasive language and Roman technical vocabulary  
Research the Romans using extracts from texts

**Stimulate and Generate:**  
Guess the topic from artefacts  
Read a short Roman story  
Visit Fort Nelson to learn about the Roman Army  
Watch adverts about the Roman Army  
Watch a film about the Roman Army