

## EQ1

EQ1 Study Guide – This is a study guide, not answers. You must fill in the missing information during the quiz to get a top score.

How to answer an EQ for EQ Chapter:

1. Define the concept or idea of the question.
  2. Give two detailed examples that explain the concept
  3. Conclude by tying the examples to the concept.
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1. Explain a key contribution from Ancient Rome used in the modern world today?
    - a. There are many Roman Contribs that we still use today – art, archit, language
    - b. Explain one only
    - c. Architecture – Coliseum became sports arena, entertainment theater
      - i. Discuss the features of the Ancient Coliseum
      - ii. Discuss a modern stadium
    - d. 1 define concept, 2 explain Roman element 3 explain modern element 4 compare to conclude
  2. Explain one key reason that caused the Roman Empire to become weak that led to its collapse?
    - a. Define collapse – Western Rome was divided and ruled by many Germanic peoples
    - b. One (of many possible answers) reason is: Unstable political issues – Succession from an old to new Emperor
    - c. What happened details–
      - i. Generals with their armies would claim to be emperor and march on Rome
      - ii. Sometimes the Praetorian Guard would “help” decide
    - d. Sometimes really weak rulers sat on the throne, which was bad for Rome
  3. What were Roman additions to Greek ideas of Architecture?
    - a. Compare and contrast how the Romans improved on Greek Architecture.
    - b. Greek column of stone
    - c. Roman columns, domes of cement with stone tiles – cement is
      - i. Cheaper
      - ii. Lighter
      - iii. *Moldable* – can be made into any shape
    - d. Arches – Greeks – stone; Roman – cement bricks
    - e. Stone buildings fall down in Earthquakes – cement arches are still around
    - f. Romans used multi rows of arches to build taller building – Aqueducts

(4 – 5 stories high); Coliseum

4. Explain the ideas and importance of Stoicism?
  - a. Define – philosophy that says
    - i. All creations are a spark of nature
    - ii. Self control brings good character:
      1. Courage, moral behavior
      2. Not being materialistic
    - iii. Accepted what fate dealt in life and death
  - b. Seneca was one of the early Stoic writers
  - c. Importance –
    - i. Early Christianity embraced stoicism to focus on the spiritual and not the material
    - ii. “Stoic” – someone who lives a simple life and accepts fate without complaint
  - d. If you lived rightly, then it agreed with nature