- 1.) Who was Augustus? Did the people like him? Why?
- 2.) What in the U.S. is similar to Roman provinces?
- 3.) Why did Rome want peaceful provinces?
- 4.) Were people happy during reign of Augustus? What was Pax Romana? (see sidebar) What were some things they did to show their gratitude for allowing them to follow their own religion and allow local rulers to run the daily affairs?

5.) After Augustus died, 2 terrible rulers were in power. Who were they and what did they do that was so terrible?

- 6.) Hadrian was a good emperor. Name 3 things that he did.
- 7.) What is the emperor Commodus best known for?
- 8.) Compare and contrast the 3 Greek and Roman gods mentioned on pg. 243.

9.) How were the Greeks and Romans alike in valuing learning? How were they different?
10.) What structure was used in many Roman buildings?
11.) What important new building material did the Romans develop?
12.) What was arguably the greatest Roman building? What was it used for?
13.) Name 2 advantages that the Romans had because of all the roads they built.
14.) What is a Roman aqueduct?
15.) How was Roman law like our judicial system today?