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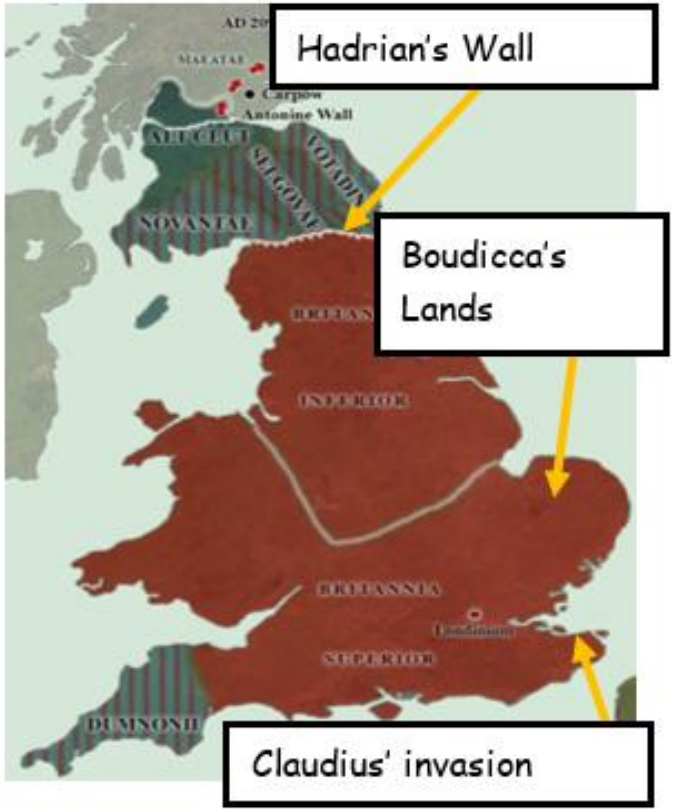
Year 4 Spring 2

What happened when the Romans came to Britain?

RISING STARS History

Key Vocabulary	
conquer	to take control using military force
Emperor	a ruler who has total control of a region or country
Roman Empire	a group of countries controlled by the Roman Emperor
impact	the effect and changes brought by the Roman Empire
invade	to enter another country with an army, usually to try and gain control
legacy	ideas or objects from the past that influence the present



Key Facts
Iron Age Britons lived in different tribal kingdoms with different rulers.
Emperor Claudius successfully invaded Britain – reportedly bringing war elephants!
The Roman Army was incredibly well trained and well organised.
Boudicca, Queen of the Iceni tribe, led a failed rebellion.
Hadrian's Wall was built to protect Roman Britain from Scottish tribes. They did not completely conquer Scotland.
The Roman's influence can be seen in Britain today. Their **legacy** includes writing, coins, large settlements and rabbits.

