35.2 Daily Life in Ancient Rome

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| Describe wealthy people in Ancient Rome | Women shopped with slaves Gov’t officials had body guards Bought silk, perfume, weapons, instruments |
| Describe poor people in Ancient Rome | Small part of the population, lived in dirty neighborhoods filled with crime and disease. Children usually didn’t live past 10. |

35.3 Law and Order

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| 1. What were the most common crimes? | Stealing, assault, murder |
| 2. How did men protect themselves against crime? | Disguised themselves as poor people |
| 3. Who decided cases against accused people? | Jury of citizens |
| 4. What did Romans believe in terms of laws? Was it applied equally to everyone? | -One law applies to all -Not applied equally; poor got harsher punishments |

35.4 Religion

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| 1.What did Romans believe about their gods? | Controlled their daily life |
| 2. What would they offer to their gods? | Gifts, promises, food, holidays and festivals, sacrifices |
| 3. As the empire grew, new people came to Rome. How did Romans feel about these people and their new ideas? | -allowed new people as long as they followed their rules and worshipped the gods |

35.5 Family Life

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| 1.Who ruled family life and what were their responsibilities? | Father – provide for family, rich men held political positions |
| 2. What were women’s responsibilities? | Ruled the household, bought and trained slaves, bought and sold property |
| 3. Why did Romans find it strange that the Egyptians kept and raised all of their children? | At birth, children would be kept if they were healthy. |

35.6 Food and Drink

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| 1.What were the main foods in ancient Rome? | Bread, beans, spices, veggies, cheese, meats |
| 2.How did the poor and rich differ in regards to food? | Poor – small grills, ate fast food  Rich – had kitchens, ate fast food, ate fancy foods |

35.7 Housing

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| 1. Describe a house for the rich. | Spacious, airy, big kitchens, stone & marble, thick walls, indoor pools |
| 2. Describe a house for the poor. | Crowded, dark apartments, noisy, no kitchens, dirty, filled with disease |

35.8 Education

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| 1. How was education different between the poor and rich? | Poor – sent to work Rich – tutored by fathers or slaves |
| 2. Describe a typical school day in Rome. | Learned Greek, Latin, math, science, art, music, literature, public speaking |

35.9 Recreation

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| 1. How did people in Rome relax? | Public baths |
| 2. Describe the two entertainment “shows” that people attended? | Gladiator fights, chariot races |

35.10 Country Life

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| 1. How did the wealthy live in the country? | In large homes on large lots of land, called “villas” |
| 2. What did the farms produce? | Grain, grapes, olives, cheese, bees/honey |
| 3. How did the regular citizens “country folk” (not wealthy) live? | In small huts, worked for what they had on small farms |