

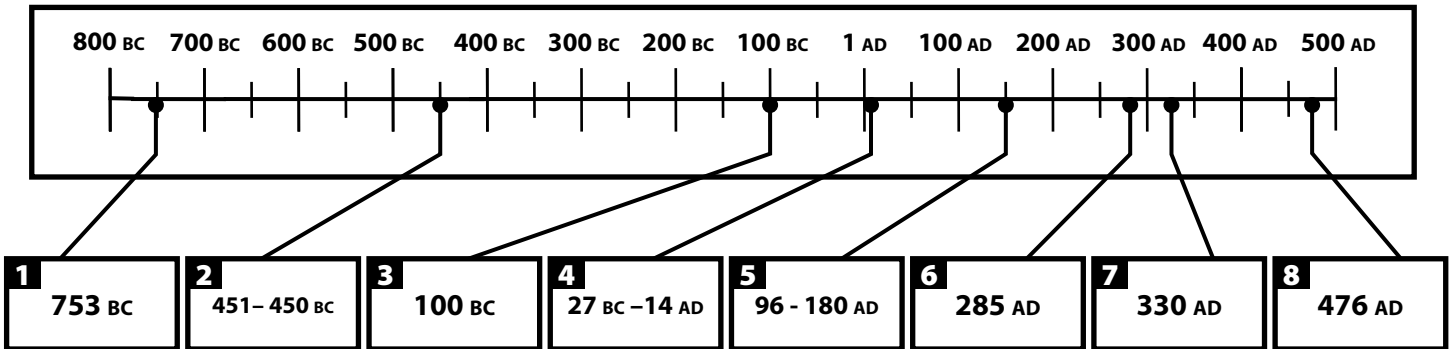
Timeline Activity

Follow the instructions to complete the activity.

NAME _____

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Number the events below in the order they would appear on the timeline. Write the number in the box beside each event. Check your answers with pages 29 of the book.



Under the rule of Augustus, Rome prospers. Roman literature, religion, and art thrive.

Emperor Diocletian chooses Maximian as his co-emperor and divides the Roman Empire into the Western Roman Empire and the Eastern Roman Empire.

The earliest written Roman laws are carved into 12 bronze tablets and displayed in the Roman Forum.

Julius Caesar is born. Caesar expands Rome's reach and paves the way for the Roman Republic to become the Roman Empire.

Odoacer deposes Romulus Augustulus, the Western Roman Emperor, and proclaims himself King of Italy.

Under the reigns of the "five good emperors," the Roman Empire strengthens its power.

Emperor Constantine founds the city of Constantinople. He calls the city *Nova Roma*, or "New Rome."

According to legend, Romulus founds Rome by plowing around a small area to define the *pomerium*, or boundary, of the new city.

