

FORMAL ASSESSMENT

UNIT

4**Chapter 11: The Roman Republic**
SECTION 1 QUIZ

MULTIPLE CHOICE Choose the best answer for each question from the choices available.

- 1 Which river made Rome a natural stopping point for trade?
 - A the Mediterranean
 - B the Apennines
 - C the Tiber
 - D the Nile
- 2 Which people greatly influenced early Rome?
 - A the Etruscans and Latins
 - B the Greeks and Etruscans
 - C the Latins
 - D the Spartans
- 3 How did the plebeians gain more power in Roman government?
 - A by attacking the patricians
 - B by demanding that Roman laws be written down
 - C by electing leaders that favored plebeians over patricians
 - D by going on strike and causing the patricians to lose money
- 4 What role did dictators play in Rome's representative government?
 - A They held complete control but only during times of crisis.
 - B They advised the consuls.
 - C They held the right to veto, or reject, other rulers' decisions.
 - D They elected representatives called tribunes.
- 5 How did the establishment of the Roman Republic affect the Forum?
 - A It caused the Forum to be used as a burial ground.
 - B It led to the neglect and ruin of the Forum.
 - C It turned the Forum into an open-air market.
 - D It made the Forum the center of Roman politics.
- 6 Which of the following contributed to Rome's thriving agriculture?
 - A low altitude and a good water supply
 - B fertile soil and a mild climate
 - C few pests and fertile soil
 - D advanced farming techniques and many farmers

CONSTRUCTED RESPONSE Write the answer to each question in the space provided.

- 7 What is the legendary story of the founding of Rome? How is this legend supported by archaeology?

- 8 What could a Roman citizen do and see in the Roman Forum once the Roman Republic was founded?
