

Rome Newspaper Rubric

Name	/1
Ancient Title/News Date/City of Publication	/3
Feature Story <i>(350-500 Words)</i>	/10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Detailed interview, story, article describing a famous ancient Roman. What do they look like? What is their personality? What made them famous? What are the important events in his or her life? What is his/her role in ancient Rome? 	
Sports Article <i>(350-500 Words)</i>	/10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Description of a sports event, what happened? What were the scores? Name of competition, who was involved? What were the accomplishments? Who is a difference maker? 	
Architecture Review <i>(350-500 Words)</i>	/10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Description of architecture, why is this building on the global stage? What does it look like? What is it used for? Where is it located? What makes it so inspirational and cutting-edge? What is its purpose? Who uses it? 	
Ancient Rome War <i>(350-500 Words)</i>	/10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What caused it? Why? Who was involved? Where was it located? What is the outcome of the war? Interesting facts about the war 	
Technological Advances <i>(350-500 Words)</i>	/10
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Description of technology. Why is this important to Romans? How did it make life easier? What are the uses of this technology? Where is it located? 	
Three Advertisements	/6
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Persuade reader to buy object, need to have picture and description of object, price, location 	
Weather Information	/5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seven day forecast, type of weather, temperature, highs/lows, probability of precipitation, humidity, wind, weather map, picture describing weather 	
 <u>Three of the following</u>	
...Classified section (7-10 classified ads)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Include a name and address to contact, detailed description of the product, no pictures or other graphics 	
...Entertainment news (150-200 words)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe the local attractions to the city, local stories, festivals, things to do, theatre, concerts 	
...Food / Recipe section (150-200 words)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe one or more types of Roman food, famous recipe, food tips, latest cooking techniques, a restaurant review, or utensil review 	
...Fashion and Lifestyle section (150-200 words)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe the latest fashion no no's, trends, hairstyles, clothing for rich/poor, jewelry, make-up, shoes 	
...Travel Information (150-200 words)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Where is the latest and greatest place to travel in the ancient world? Travel deals, hotel costs, boat tours 	
...Real Estate listings (4-5 listings)	/15
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Describe property being sold, price, location, size, pictures, features of house 	
...Cartoon (hand drawn)	
Thorough Bibliography	/5
Layout (Columns, Headlines and Captions)	/10
Writing Conventions	/5
Articles (Purpose and Detail)	/5
Graphics with captions	/5
Creativity	/5
Total	/110

