

Roman Legionary citizen soldier (1st & 2nd Century AD)

Can you label and colour in this Roman soldier?

Name:

Class:

Legionaries served in the army for up to 20 years. They were skilled engineers and craftsmen as well as highly-trained soldiers.

This was because they had to build bridges, roads and forts.

To begin with, only Roman citizens could be legionaries.

Those that were not full citizens were called auxilliary soldiers.



Useful words:

Pilum (Throwing spear)
Scutum (Shield)
Gladius (Sword)
Tunica (Tunic)
Lorica (Armour)
Caligae (Boots)
Galea (Helmet)
(Helmet is sometimes called 'Cassis')

After labelling, you may want to colour him in

Why not put a design on his shield?