



## Quick Check

## Julius Caesar

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**Instructions:** Read each question carefully and choose the best answer.

1. Which word best describes Julius Caesar?
  - Ⓐ corrupt
  - Ⓑ funny
  - Ⓒ cruel
  - Ⓓ influential
2. How were Caesar and Pompey similar?
  - Ⓐ Both were supported by common Romans.
  - Ⓑ Both were supported by rich senators.
  - Ⓒ Both wanted political control.
  - Ⓓ Both wanted to be king.
3. What caused Caesar to bring his army with him when he returned to Rome from Gaul?
  - Ⓐ He was a loyal leader who would not leave his men behind.
  - Ⓑ He feared he would be murdered if he entered Rome alone.
  - Ⓒ He wanted to start a civil war to become king of Rome.
  - Ⓓ He needed his soldiers' support to change the calendar.
4. What is the author's purpose for writing this book?
  - Ⓐ to inform readers that Caesar was the greatest politician of all time
  - Ⓑ to persuade readers that Caesar should have been king of Rome
  - Ⓒ to entertain readers with a fictional account of Caesar's life
  - Ⓓ to inform readers about the important events in Caesar's life

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5. What is another word for **ancient**?
- Ⓐ old
  - Ⓑ new
  - Ⓒ rich
  - Ⓓ poor
6. **Extended Response:** According to the author, Julius Caesar was one of the greatest leaders of Rome. Give two examples from the book supporting this statement.



1. **(D)** *Make Inferences / Draw Conclusions*
2. **(C)** *Compare and Contrast*
3. **(B)** *Cause and Effect*
4. **(D)** *Author's Purpose*
5. **(A)** *Vocabulary*
6. Answers will vary, but should include two examples from the book that show that Caesar was one of the greatest leaders of Rome.