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# How was the Roman army composed?

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How was it composed?

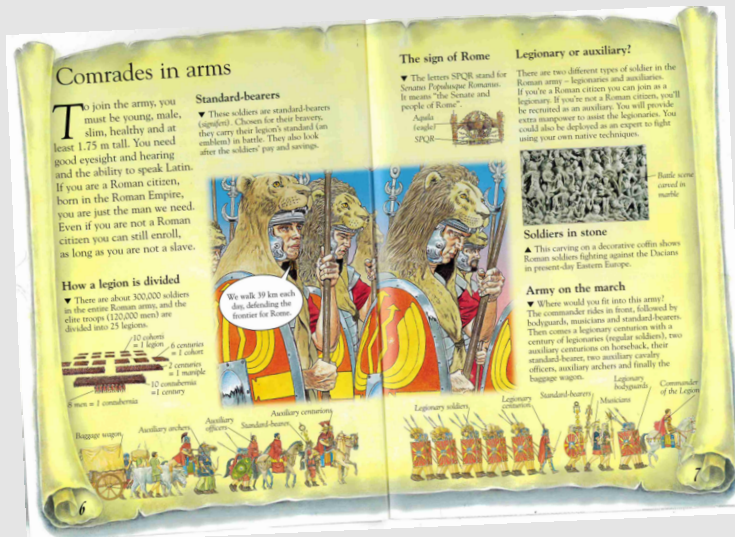


These are the question we will be exploring today.

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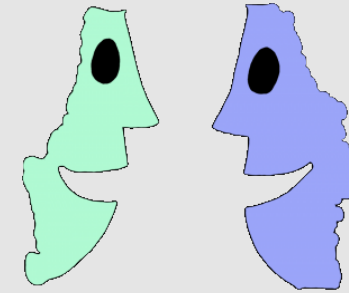
With your talk partner, read this page from How to be a Roman soldier making notes on your WB's.

Use these headings to organise your note talking.

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# What did we discover?

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What technical language did you come across in your reading?

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CT to model using these words in writing on flip chart.

Make a list of the technical language we must include in our writing.



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# TASK

Using your notes and the research sheets,  
describe how the Roman army was composed.

What headings will you choose to organise your writing?

Challenge: Can you present some of your  
facts using bullet points?