

USING VISUAL CUES Cut out the flash cards below and study the vocabulary words for this section.

legion

a group of up to 6,000 Roman soldiers

noun

Punic Wars

a series of wars between Rome and Carthage in the 200s and 100s BC

proper noun

Hannibal

a general from Carthage who led an attack on Rome in 218 BC; his army was defeated by the Romans

proper noun

**Gaius
Marius**

proper noun

a Roman consul and general who had great political power because of the support of the army

**Lucius
Cornelius
Sulla**

proper noun

a Roman politician who defeated Marius and named himself dictator

Spartacus

proper noun

a former gladiator who led a rebellion of Roman slaves