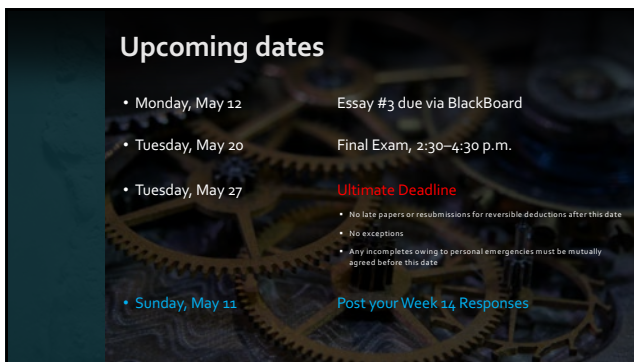
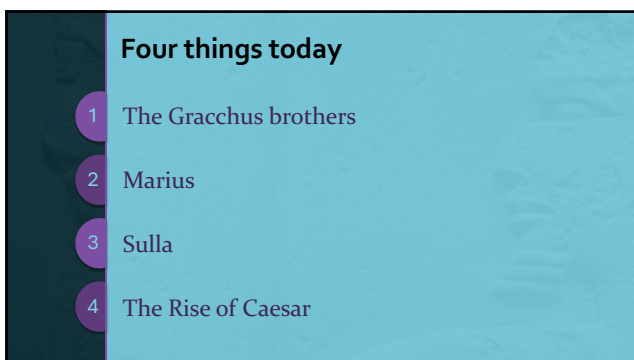


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Questions about whatever

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Divisions within the nobility

POPULARES

- Leaders who **seek popularity** among the people of Rome
- **Demonize the senate** as oppressing the masses and protecting privilege at Rome's expense, especially in war
- Urge Romans to place their **faith and trust in great men**, not institutions

Examples

- The Gracchus brothers
- Gaius Marius
- Julius Caesar
- Octavian/Augustus

OPTIMATES

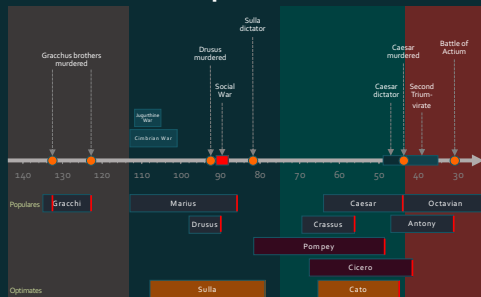
- Leaders who **seek to protect the old ways**
- **Champion the senate** as guardians of tradition and the collective, anonymous rule that made Rome strong
- Urge Romans to place their **faith and trust in institutions**, not great men

Examples

- Sulla
- Metellus Numidicus
- Cato (the younger)

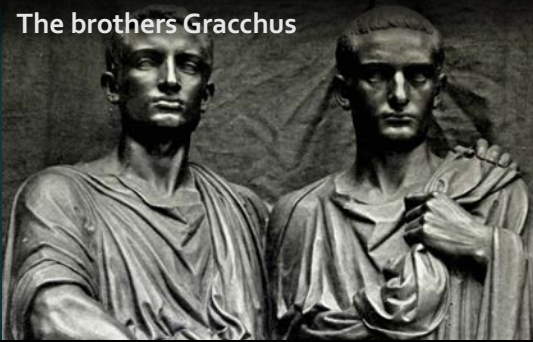
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The end of the Republic



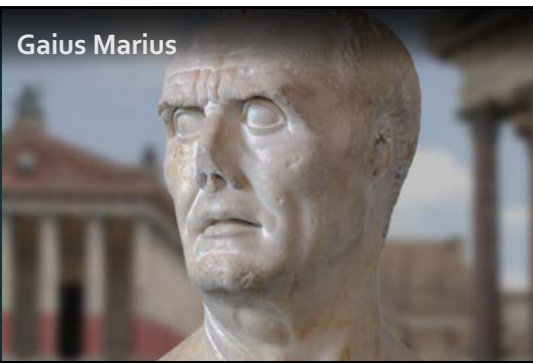
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The brothers Gracchus



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Gaius Marius



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Client Kingdoms



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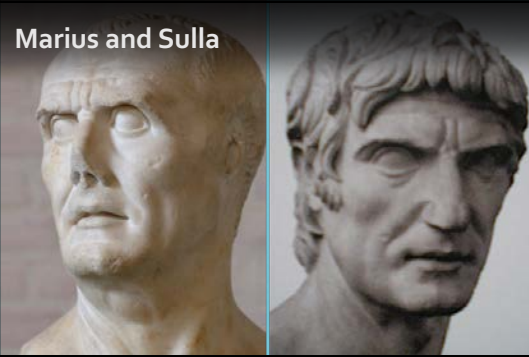


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Rome and Mithridates

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Marius and Sulla



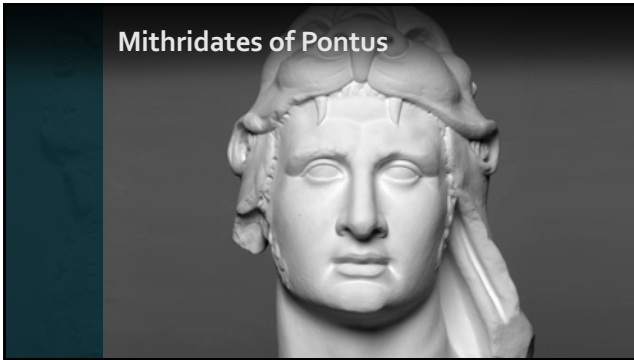
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Mithridates of Pontus



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Sulla marches on Rome



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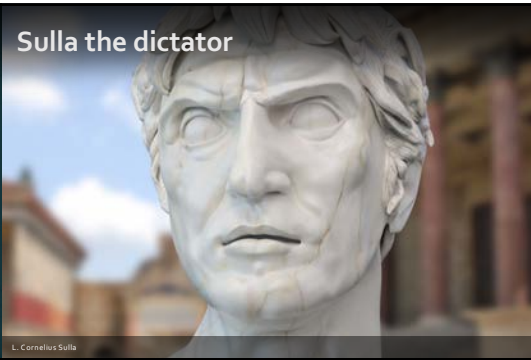
Marius and Cinna take over Rome

- One-party rule
- Proscriptions



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Sulla the dictator



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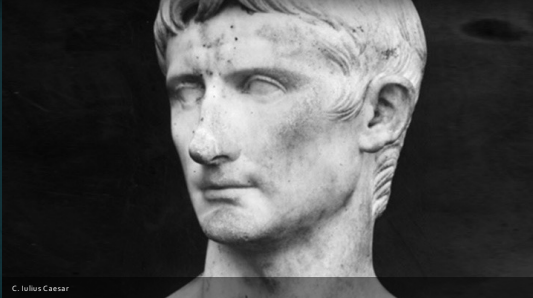
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Conspiracy of Catiline



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Julius Caesar



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The "First Triumvirate"

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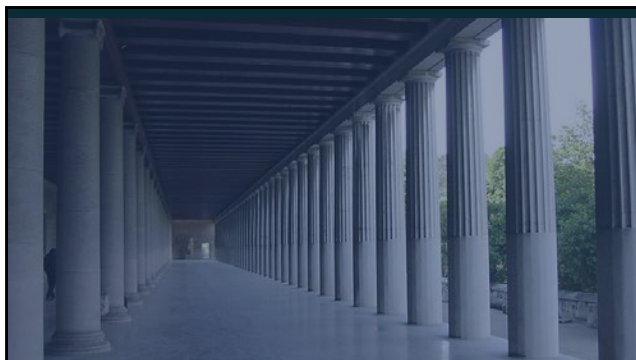
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