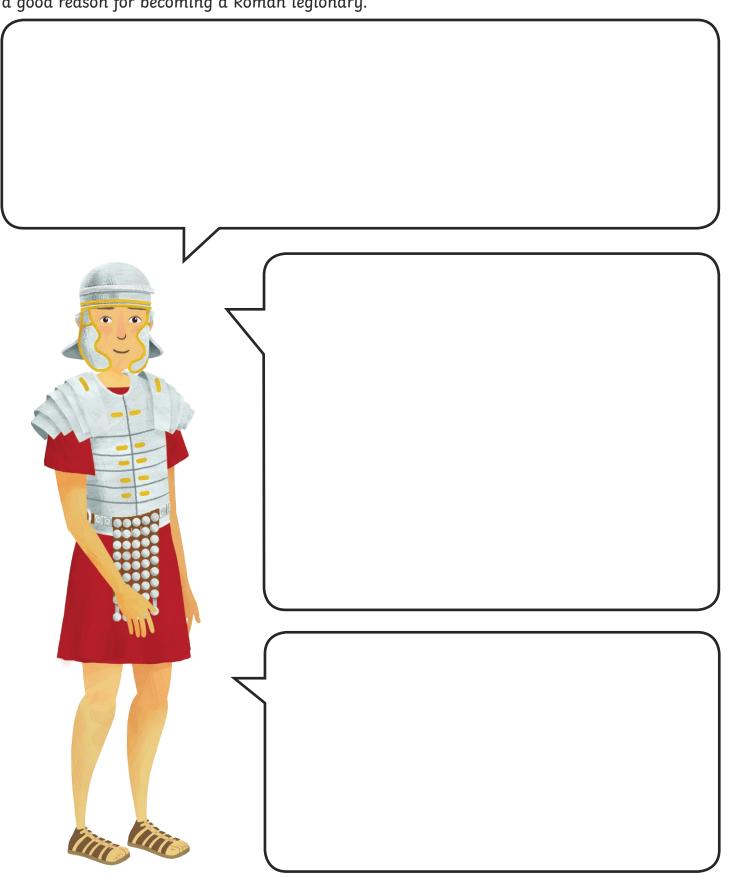
Antonius's brother, Marcus, is trying to decide if he should become a soldier too. Antonius wants to persuade his brother to become a soldier like him. Complete each speech bubble with a good reason for becoming a Roman legionary.







Antonius wants to persuade his brother, Marcus, to become a soldier like him. Help Antonius to write a letter to his brother telling him about life in the army and persuading him to become a legionary too.

Remember to be very positive in your letter and only include the good things about life as a legionary.

#### Things to think about

What are the good things about being a Roman legionary? Is it better than being an ordinary citizen?

What are your living conditions like? Do you have plenty of food? Is it good being part of a team?

Write about things that happen during the day. Tell Marcus about all the exciting and interesting training. Describe your smart armour.

What about battles? How are you going to persuade Marcus that fighting is a good living?









Dear Marcus,
Hello brother, I hope all is well for you. I am enjoying being a legionary and as I promised in my last letter I will tell you all about it. I am sure you would love it.
Firstly,
Also
Finally,

I hope that I have managed to persuade you that being a legionary is a great idea. I look forward to you joining me soon.

Your loving brother, Antonius





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Start a new paragraph for each new point you make.

Use adverbials (also, in addition, another point, secondly, another thing to think about, finally).

Don't forget to finish with a persuasive phrase to encourage Marcus to join the army.

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