

### Roman Engineering: Roads

Roman soldiers like this one, as well as slaves, built the many, many miles of ancient Roman roads. Explain why you think the Roman army would have found the roads so useful. Then, explain what other roles you think the roads might have played.

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Why do you think ancient Roman soldiers would make the TESTUDO formation, seen to the left?

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Try this awesome activity!

In the workshop you built an ancient Roman road out of different types of candy. What other less edible materials could you build a road out of? How about building one out of sand, small pebbles, large pebbles, and stones?