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TIQA Paragraph Graphic Organizer

Use this organizer to plan your TIQA paragraph. Copy the prompt or question. Fill in your ideas.

Prompt/Question

How did the Roman Empire maintain its strength?

T – Topic Sentence

What is your main idea or answer to the prompt?

The Roman Empire stayed strong because it built good roads to connect its cities.

I – Introduce the Quote

Who is speaking? Provide context for the quote.

According to historian Mary Beard,

Q – Quote

Write the quote that provides evidence for your topic sentence.

"The Roman road network stretched over 250,000 miles, allowing for rapid movement of troops, goods, and information."

A – Analysis

Explain how the quote supports your topic sentence. Why is this quote important?

This shows that roads helped the Romans move things quickly and keep control of their large empire. They could quickly send soldiers to deal with uprisings and send for help or share new laws quickly.