The Roman Expansion
The Second & Third Punic Wars

Directions:
Using the handouts provided to you in class, answer the following questions about the Second Punic War. Make sure you use complete sentences when answering the questions below.

The Beginning of the Second Punic War.

1) How did Rome and Carthage begin to increase their power and influence?

2) Who is Hamilcar Barca?

3) Why was Hannibal so popular with his troops?

4) What were Hannibal’s reasons for not defending Saguntum?

The End of the Second Punic War.

1) What were the reasons that Hannibal had for never attacking the city of Rome?

2) Who was Publius Cornelius Scipio?

3) How was Hannibal’s tactics around Rome similar to tactics Scipio used on Carthage?
The Third Punic War.

1) What were some of the terms that Carthage had to do because they lost the Second Punic War?

2) Romans were so angry at the Carthaginians, why?

3) Who were the Numidians?