Skim & Scan Bingo Board Answer Key Ancient Rome and Greece

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Xerxes was a Persian emperor who was in charge of a large army during the Persian Wars.	In about 1450 BC, Crete was almost destroyed by a tidal wave that was caused by volcano on the island of Thira.	Rome was ruled by a kingship until the 6th century BC, when it became a republic.	As a Greek city- state, Sparta is considered to have been the "most militaristic" with a heavy focus on war.	The <u>Circus Maximus</u> was the largest building in ancient Rome and was used for nearly 1,000 years.
Although Athens and Sparta were rivals, they had a similar form of government.	Socrates thought that wisdom and the search for truth were the most important things of all.	Rome was founded on the banks of the <u>Tiber</u> River.	It is said that Athens was the birthplace of democracy.	The aqueducts carried <u>water</u> into large cities.
Alexander the Great achieved his important status in a short amount of time. He died when he was 33 years old.	The last king of Rome was <u>Tarquin</u> .	The corvus is a device that was used to connect two ships together. It is credited with helping Rome win the Second Punic War.	People in ancient Rome were classified as slaves, patricians, or plebeians (poor people who did not own land).	The Academy was a famous school founded by Plato and Aristotle.
The Olympics were held every four years in honor of Zeus.	Aeschylus, a playwright, invented drama. His first play had only two actors in it.	When a person was ostracized, he could not return to his city for 10 years.	Hannibal was a Carthaginian general who vowed to fight Rome for his entire life.	Pythagoras was a famous Greek mathematician who developed a formula for determining measurements of triangles.
Aristotle's teacher was Plato, and his student was Alexander the Great.	The highest mountain in ancient Greece was Mount Olympus. It was said to be the home of the gods.	One of Solon's laws stated that every citizen must teach children to read and write.	In 86 BC Athens was seized by a Roman general named Sulla.	Hippocrates is known as the "Father of Medicine."

