

How Ancient Rome Rose to Power

1. Overthrew Etruscan King and created a Republic (democracy where representatives are elected).
2. War - Romans conquered Etruscans, Latins, Greeks, and Southern Italian peninsula.
3. Formed Roman Confederacy and made conquered people citizens. The more loyal, the more rights + power you get.
4. Build roads to connect Empire
5. Create strong political institution/government/democratic republic.