

Pompeii



- During Ancient Roman times, Pompeii was considered a “resort town” for the wealthy.
- In front of many of the homes in Pompeii, the word “HAVE” (pronounced ha-weh) was written in mosaic on the floor.

What does "HAVE" mean?



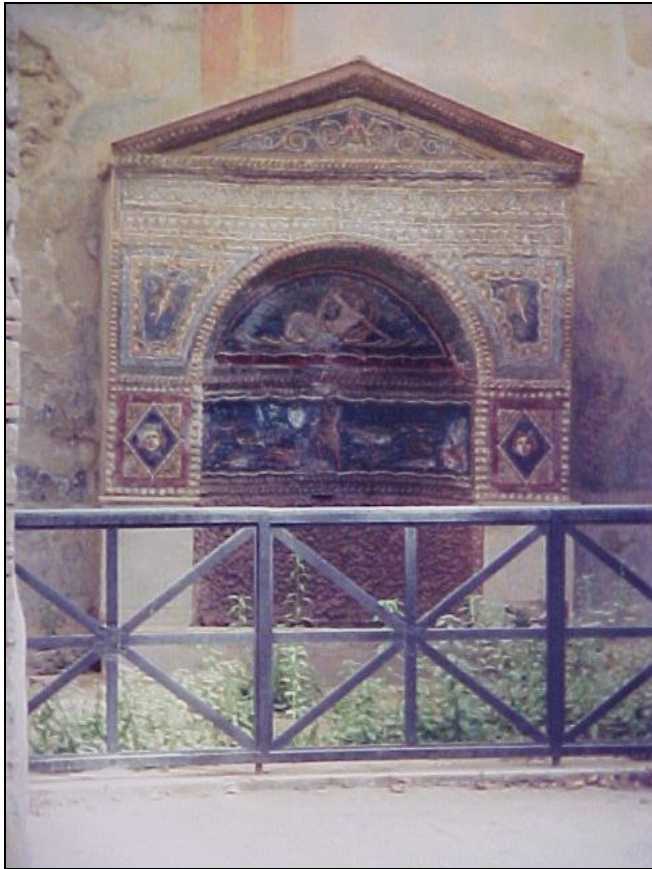
- In Latin, the word “Have” means “Welcome”. Where do you think the inspiration for our Welcome Mats came from?!

Beware of Dog



- In the entrance to some of the houses, there are mosaics of dogs with the message “Cave Canem” (pronounced cah-weh-k-nem). This is still a message people use today!

Art



- Many of the wealthier houses were decorated with intricate artwork.
- This mosaic is approximately 2000 years old!

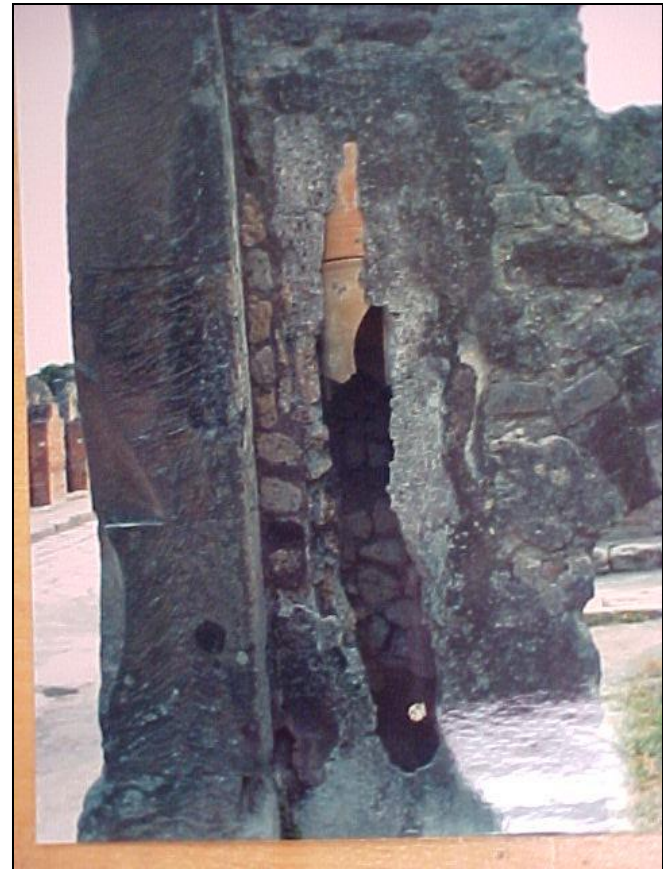
Pax Romana



- This is a pretty famous picture...it's seen in many books/posters/etc.
- Often, the height of the Roman Empire is called the “Pax Romana”, or “Roman Peace”. This is a time where the Empire was at its strongest, and wasn't fighting with other civilizations.

Roman Houses

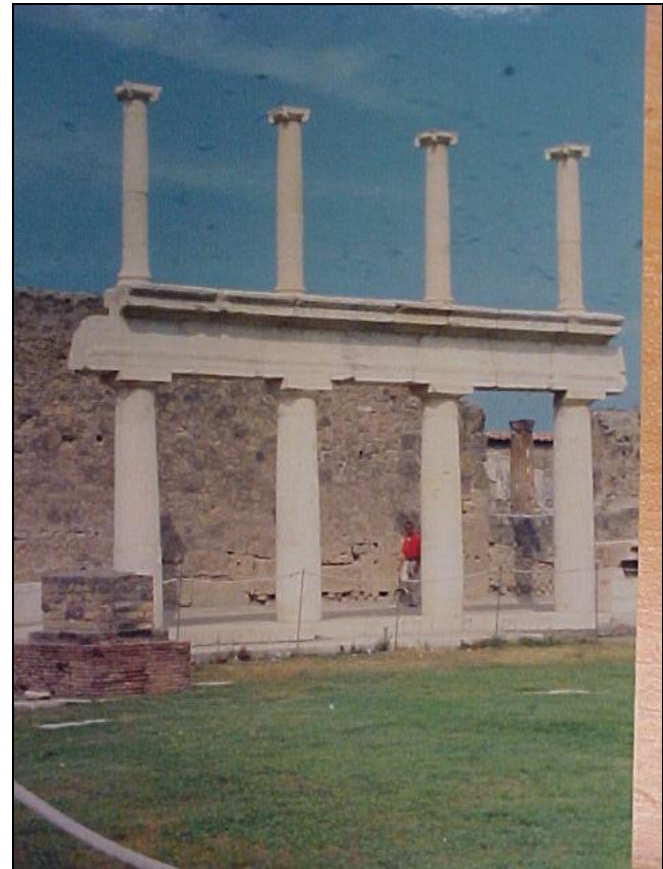
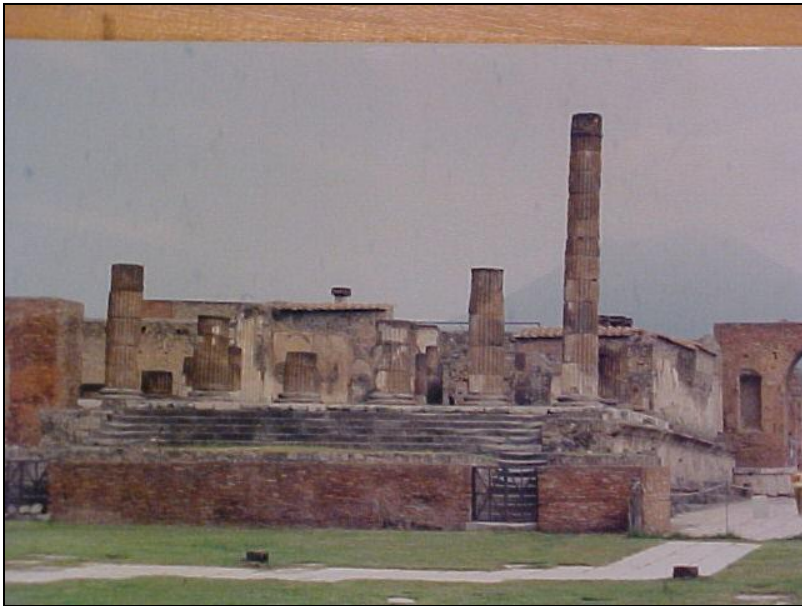
- This is a picture of a water drain in a house. Rainwater would collect here and run off into the street.
- Our modern plumbing really isn't that different from that of the Ancient Romans.



Pompeii's Forum



What Types of Columns are These?



A Bakery in Pompeii



Brick Ovens

- At a bakery in Pompeii, bread was baked in brick ovens.
- The design used for our modern pizza ovens is very similar to what you see here.

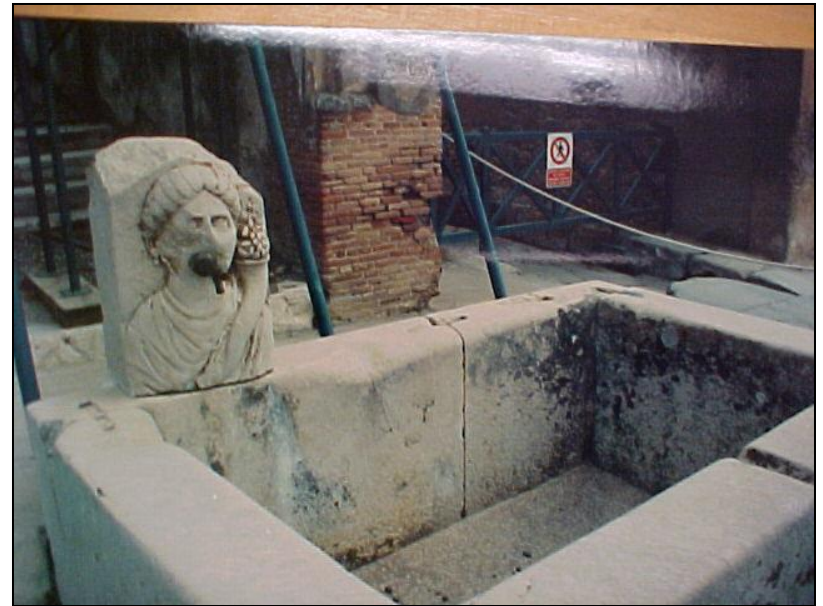


Storefront

- This was the front of the bakery, where sales transactions would take place.
- What civilization inspired Rome's usage of coin money?



Public Drinking Fountains- For People



Public Drinking Fountain-For Animals



- You could tell which fountains were for people and which were for animals based on the pictures by the fountains.

Pompeii's Streets



What's with the Stones?!



- While the Ancient Romans did have plumbing, it usually wasn't *underground* like our plumbing today.
- All waste/drainage water would empty out into the street, making it difficult to walk around. The big stones in the middle of the road allow people to cross the street without getting dirty, but chariots can travel down the street as well.