



## Timelines – Augustus

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Read the article and answer the questions below.

1. What date was Octavian (Augustus) born?  
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2. In which year did Octavian take the name Gaius Julius Caesar Octavianus?  
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3. Octavian defeated Mark Antony, who had taken control of Rome following Caesar's death, in which year?  
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4. Octavian and Mark Antony formed a political alliance, known as the Second Triumvirate, with Markus Aemilius Lepidus (chief priest of Rome). In which year were Marcus Junius Brutus and Gaius Cassius Longinus, Caesar's chief assassins, defeated at Philippi in Macedonia?  
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5. What year was another threat, Sextus Pompey (son of Pompey the Great), defeated by Antony and Octavian?  
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6. In what year did the Triumvirate disintegrate?  
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7. In what year did Mark Antony and Cleopatra (Queen of Egypt) become lovers?  
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8. In what year did Octavian go to war against Antony for control of the Roman world?  
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9. Marcus Agrippa defeated Antony and Cleopatra's forces in the Battle of Actium on what date?  
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10. Following the suicides of Antony and Cleopatra, Egypt became a Roman province in which year?  
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11. In what year did the Senate give Octavian the name *Augustus* (the revered)?

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12. What year was Augustus made Emperor thus starting the era of the Roman Empire?

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13. In which years were arrangements with the Senate made to give Augustus legal power to direct Rome's civil and military affairs as the *princeps* (leading citizen)?

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14. Augustus took on the role of *pontifex maximus* in which year?

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15. Under Augustus the Roman Empire doubled in size, bringing all of Spain under Roman control and extending the frontier to the Danube River. However, the army was defeated at the Battle of Teutoburg Forest when trying to push the frontier north to the Elbe River. In what year were they defeated?

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16. Augustus' reign ushered in a period of peace and prosperity after years of civil unrest leaving a lasting legacy. He died of old age on what date? What is the name of his tomb?

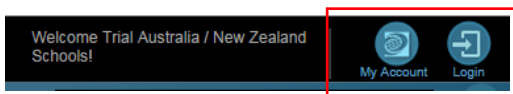
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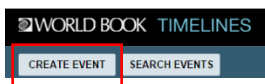
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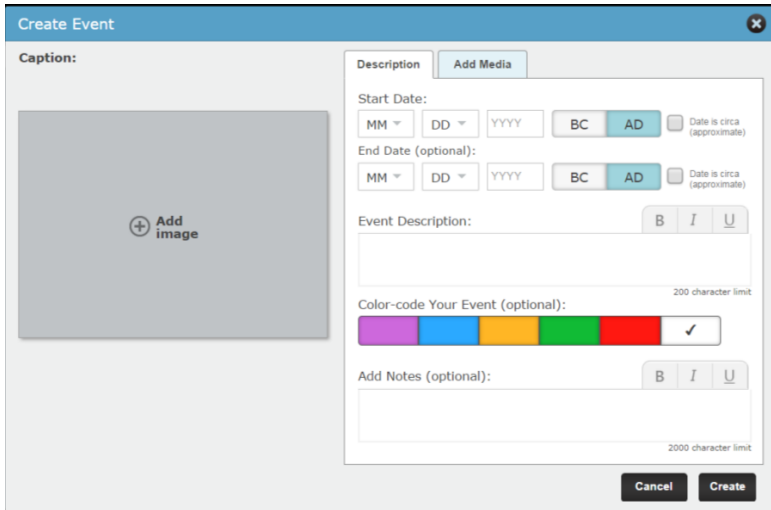
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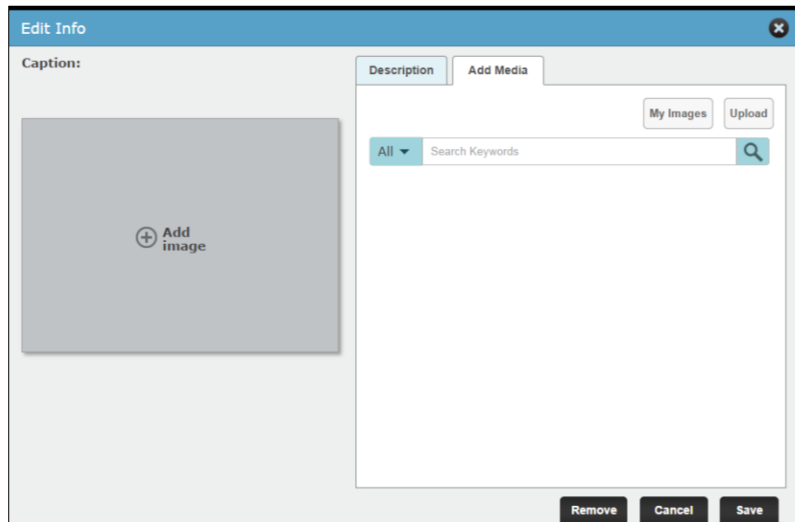


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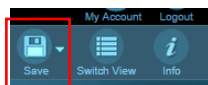


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## **Augustus Scavenger Hunt**





### **Answers:**





- 1.** 23 September, 63 B.C.
- 2.** 44 B.C, following Caesar's assassination.
- 3.** 43 B.C.
- 4.** 42 B.C.
- 5.** 36 B.C.
- 6.** 36 B.C.
- 7.** 41 B.C.
- 8.** 32 B.C.
- 9.** 2 September, 31 B.C.
- 10.** 30 B.C.
- 11.** 27 B.C.
- 12.** 27 B.C.
- 13.** 27, 23, 19 B.C.
- 14.** 12 B.C.
- 15.** 9 A.D.
- 16.** 19 August, 14 A.D. Mausoleum.

## Augustus

From 63 BC to AD 14

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Event Date	Event Description	Note
 Sep. 23, 63 BC	Augustus, first Roman emperor, born.	-
44 BC	Octavian took the name Gaius Julius Caesar Octavianus.	-
 43 BC	Octavian defeated Mark Antony.	-
42 BC	Under the alliance known as the Second Triumvirate, Octavian and Antony defeated Marcus Junius Brutus and Gaius Cassius Longinus in Philippi, Macedonia.	-
 41 BC	Mark Antony and Cleopatra become lovers.	
36 BC	Sextus Pompey defeated.	Son of Pompey the Great
36 BC	The Second Trimuvirate alliance disintegrated.	-
32 BC	Octavian went to war against Antony for control of the Roman world.	
 Sep. 2, 31 BC	Marcus Agrippa defeated Antony and Cleopatra in the Battle of Actium	

	30 BC	Egypt becomes a Roman province	
	27 BC	Octavian was given the name Augustus (revered one).	
	27 BC	The era of the Roman Empire began	
	27 BC	Senate gave Augustus legal power to direct Rome's civil and military affairs as the princeps.	
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	23 BC	Senate gave Augustus legal power to direct Rome's civil and military affairs as the princeps.	
	19 BC	Senate gave Augustus legal power to direct Rome's civil and military affairs as the princeps.	-
	12 BC	Augustus took on the role of pontifex maximus.	-
	9	Roman forces were defeated at the Battle of Teutoburg Forest.	Under Augustus the Roman Empire doubled in size, bringing all of Spain under Roman control and extending the frontier to the Danube River. However, the army was defeated at the Battle of Teutoburg Forest when trying to push the frontier north to the Elbe River.
	Aug. 19, 14	Augustus died of old age	Augustus' remains are placed inside a great tomb called the Mausoleum. After his death, Augustus was made a god and worshiped in Rome.