

5.3 Culture and Society in the Roman World – Reading Check Questions (pp. 163-168)

1. Why were the Romans able to construct buildings larger than those of the Greeks?

2. Why are the works of Livy considered to be so valuable to historians?

3. How were expectations for Roman boys and girls different?

4. What jobs did the Romans assign to slaves?

5. Why did the Roman emperors provide free grain to the poor?