



# Let's Analyze the Family Tree!



1. How many men have P. Cornelius Scipio as part of their name?
2. How many men have L. Cornelius Scipio as part of their name?



3 Because so many people from the same family had the same name, Romans often gave nicknames. These Nicknames would come from something the person had done or from a personal trait. For instance:

- a. *Barbatus* means *bearded*. Draw a beard beside the Scipio who was bearded.
- b. *Calvus* means *bald*. Draw a bald head by the Scipio who had one.
- c. *Nasica* means *pointed nose*. Draw one of these by the Scipios who had them.
- d. Do you remember why there are two Scipios who have the nickname *Africanus*?
- e. Which Scipio Africanus conquered Hannibal, the Elder or the Younger?



4 How many men in the tree died in battle?

- a. Which 2 brothers died in battle in the same year (and both in Spain)?
  - b. Who died at the Battle of Cannae in 216 BC?
5. Look at all the women's names. What do you notice about them?



- a. What do you think was the name of Pomponia's father?



6 How many men are there in the tree?

- a. How many were consuls?
- b. How many were consuls more than once?
- c. What offices did a man usually have to hold before he was a consul? (Hint: check *BigBook 1*, Lesson 6)
- d. What 2 Scipios only reached the office of praetor?
- e. What is interesting about the year that they did it?
- f. How could Cornelia be pretty sure that her boys would need to be trained to be good leaders in Rome?



7 There are two Cornelias in the tree. Whom are they named after?

- a. Which one is the mother of the Gracchī?
- b. How old was Cornelia when her husband died?
- c. How long did Cornelia live?
- d. How long did she live after Gaius was killed?



8 How old was Tiberius when his father died?

- a. Did Gaius ever really know his father? Why?
- b. How old was Tiberius when he died?
- c. How about Gaius?

