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### Julius Caesar 716

Sopris West Six Minute Solutions

Do you ever wonder how the calendar months got their names? You may be surprised to know **(that)** the origins of our modern-day calendar **(date)** back to the time of the **(ancient)** Romans. Julius Caesar, a famous general **(in)** ancient Rome, was responsible for the **(development)** of the calendar. Caesar discovered in 46 **(B)**.C. that the Roman calendar was **(three)** months behind the sun. So he **(added)** three months to the Roman calendar. **(Caesar)** also rearranged the way in which **(the)** calendar was organized. In appreciation for **(his)** efforts, the Roman Senate named the **(month)** of July after Julius Caesar.

Julius **(Caesar)** was well known for his military **(pursuits)**. Caesar ended the Roman Republic in 46 **(B)**.C. when he started a civil **(war)**. After three years of fighting, Caesar **(triumphed)**. He defeated his Roman rivals and **(was)** able to gain control of the **(country)**. In 49 B.C. Caesar declared himself **(dictator)**, a ruler with absolute power. Caesar **(was)** not well liked as a dictator. **(The)** Roman people were afraid that Caesar **(was)** planning to make himself a king **(and)** establish a dynasty. If that were **(the)** case, Caesar's family would rule Rome **(even)** after his death. The Roman Senate **(would)** then have no say in selecting **(their)** own leader. Desperate to prevent this, **(more)** than 60 senators planned Caesar's assassination. The **(leader)** of the plot was Brutus, a **(man)** Caesar considered to be a friend. **(When)** Caesar was first attacked, he tried **(to)** defend himself. When he recognized that **(his)** friend Brutus had turned against him, **(Caesar)** cried out, "You too, Brutus?" **(and)** fell to the ground.



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Julius Caesar, a famous general **(manage, in, terrible)** ancient Rome, was responsible for the **(development, fiercely, unfasten)** of the calendar. Caesar discovered in 46 **(condition, B, story)**.C. that the Roman calendar was **(three, impress, bread)** months behind the sun. So he **(added, expansion, difficult)** three months to the Roman calendar. **(Quickly, Caesar, Debt)** also rearranged the way in which **(hair, match, the)** calendar was organized. In appreciation for **(rule, successful, his)** efforts, the Roman Senate named the **(month, froze, massive)** of July after Julius Caesar.

Julius **(meddle, Caesar, fruit)** was well known for his military **(silver, pursuits, flaky)**. Caesar ended the Roman Republic in 46 **(side, degree, B)**.C. when he started a civil **(outrageous, body, war)**. After three years of fighting, Caesar **(crossly, triumphed, strange)**. He defeated his Roman rivals and **(earth, salt, was)** able to gain control of the **(country, tray, cuddly)**. In 49 B.C. Caesar declared himself **(greasy, dictator, begin)**, a ruler with absolute power. Caesar **(was, grain, steady)** not well liked as a dictator. **(Cute, Loud, The)** Roman people were afraid that Caesar **(awoke, give, was)** planning to make himself a king **(and, fatally, rough)** establish a dynasty. If that were **(cool, the, shakily)** case, Caesar's family would rule Rome **(even, punctually, greasy)** after his death. The Roman Senate **(warmly, would, tired)** then have no say in selecting **(their, war, filthy)** own leader. Desperate to prevent this, **(girl, more, drown)** than 60 senators planned Caesar's assassination. The **(bad, leader, haunt)** of the plot was Brutus, a **(man, agree, balance)** Caesar considered to be a friend. **(Solemnly, When, Narrow)** Caesar was first attacked, he tried **(rung, to, regarding)** defend himself. When he recognized that **(taken, his, determined)** friend Brutus had turned against him, **(strong, remove, Caesar)** cried out, saying, "You too, Brutus?" **(and, real, lighten)** fell to the ground.