

ALEXANDER

— THE GREAT —

FACT FIND

Use books or the internet to research Alexander the Great and write your answers in the spaces below.



- 1 When and where was Alexander born?

- 2 Who were Alexander's parents?

- 3 Around what age did Alexander begin studying with Aristotle?

- 4 When Alexander became king, how old was he?

- 5 What did Alexander hope to achieve through his conquests?

- 6 Name three regions that became part of Alexander's empire.
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- 7 What was the name of the famous city Alexander founded in Egypt?

- 8 How did Alexander treat the people in the lands he conquered?

- 9 Why was Alexander's army so successful?

- 10 Which modern country marks the eastern edge of Alexander's empire?

- 11 Why did Alexander's soldiers refuse to go any further?

- 12 What happened to Alexander at the age of 32?

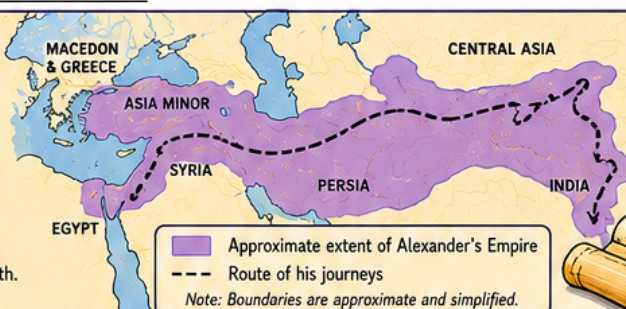
- 13 How has Alexander been remembered through history?

- 14 What did Alexander help spread across his vast empire?

- 15 If you could ask Alexander the Great one question, what would it be?

DID YOU KNOW?

Alexander became one of history's most famous military leaders. He created one of the largest empires the world had ever seen, stretching from the kingdom of Macedon and Greece in the west to India in the east and from Egypt in the south to the mountains of Central Asia in the north.



— Approximate extent of Alexander's Empire
--- Route of his journeys
Note: Boundaries are approximate and simplified.

