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EUREKA! ARCHIMEDES MAKES AMAZING DISCOVERY IN SYRACUSE!



Archimedes was a Greek mathematician, scientist and inventor from the city of Syracuse in Sicily.

He loved to solve problems and discover how things work.

He made amazing inventions, studied mathematics and helped defend his city with clever machines.

Many of the ideas he developed still influence science and engineering today.



IN THE NEWS TODAY



1. City celebrates Archimedes' new discovery



2. New defence machines tested



3. News from Alexandria



4. Market prices



5. Theatre performances



6. Weather in Syracuse



"Eureka!" means "I have found it!"

WRITE YOUR OWN NEWS STORY!

Write a newspaper article about Archimedes and one of his amazing discoveries or inventions. Include who, what, where, when, why and how.

REPORTER'S NOTES

Use this space for extra facts, interviews or eyewitness accounts.

DID YOU KNOW?



According to an ancient story, Archimedes shouted "Eureka!" ("I have found it!") after solving a difficult problem.

SYRACUSE AT A GLANCE



City: Syracuse (Sicily)



Ruler: King Hiero II



Population: Around 200,000 people



Famous for: Learning, inventions, shipbuilding and strong defences



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