## **Spartacus**

Hello, I am Spartacus. I am a famous gladiator. As a slave, I was used for entertainment in the Roman circuses. I was trained to fight bloody battles against other slaves and wild beasts. Wanting freedom, I led an army of 100,000 gladiators in a revolt against the Romans. It was called the Gladiator War. After two years of fierce fighting, I was killed in a battle against Pompey the Great and my army was defeated.

Performance Instructions: Dress as a Roman gladiator and carry <u>a toy sword</u>. After speaking, re-enact a gladiator fight with a teammate in which you are defeated. Practice the battle with your teammate beforehand!

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