

# City Building

Which brother would you trust to choose the location for the new city? Discuss with your group using the following questions:

- Because Remus was captured by Amulius' shepherds, does this make him weaker than Romulus?
- Was Remus captured only because he is calmer and less violent than Romulus? Does this make him more trustworthy?
- Find the word in the text that describes how Romulus feels about Remus. What does this tell you about Romulus?
- How does Romulus organise the rescue of Remus? What does this show about his character?
- The text shows that Romulus has a bad temper. Find these words. With such a hot temper, could Romulus be trusted to make good decisions?
- The text said that Remus saw the sign of six vultures and that Romulus 'claims' to have seen twelve. What does the word 'claim' suggest? Do you think that Romulus is trustworthy?
- The text says that Romulus 'ignored' his brother. If he doesn't listen to other people's advice, can he be trusted to make good decisions?
- The text says that Remus was 'jealous' of Romulus. Does this mean he allows his emotions to influence his views?



## Challenge Task

Think of an alternative way that the brothers could resolve their conflict.