

Key Questions

History

1. Explain how religion changed during Anglo-Saxon Britain?
2. How did Britain change during the Anglo-Saxon reign?
3. When did the Anglo-Saxons come to Britain?
4. When did the Anglo-Saxons leave Britain?

Science

5. How is water transported in plants?
6. What type of surface is the best to prevent people from slipping?
7. How do levers allow a smaller force to have a greater effect?

Computing

8. What is the difference between an infinite loop and a count-controlled loop?

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9. Name two different types of stitches.

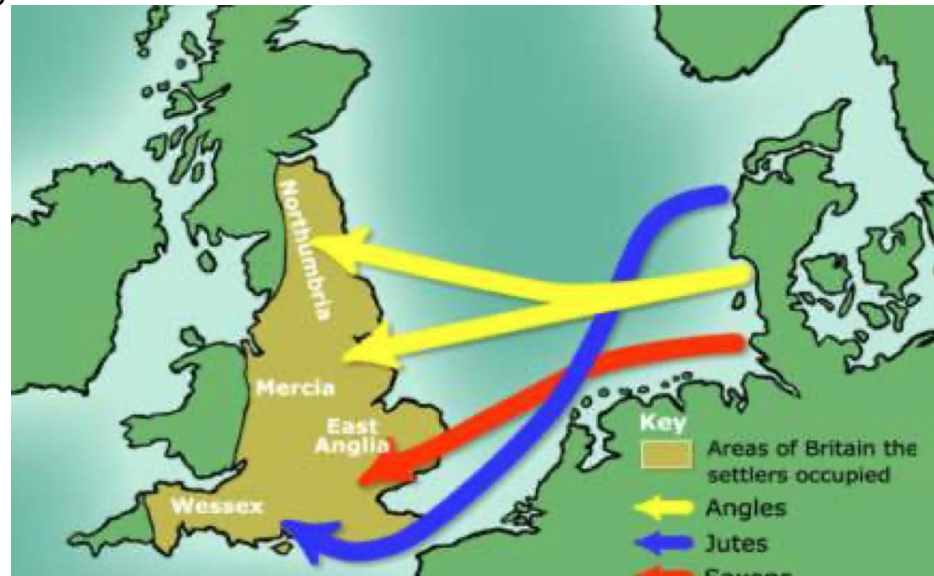
French

10. Tell me about where you live?

Raiders and Traders – Topic 3

Who are the Anglo-Saxons?

After the Romans left Britain, it became more open to invasion. The Anglo-Saxons were made up of people who rowed across the North Sea from an area that is now northern Germany, Denmark and the Netherlands. These people were from three tribes: the Angles, the Saxons and the Jutes. The three tribes settled all across England.

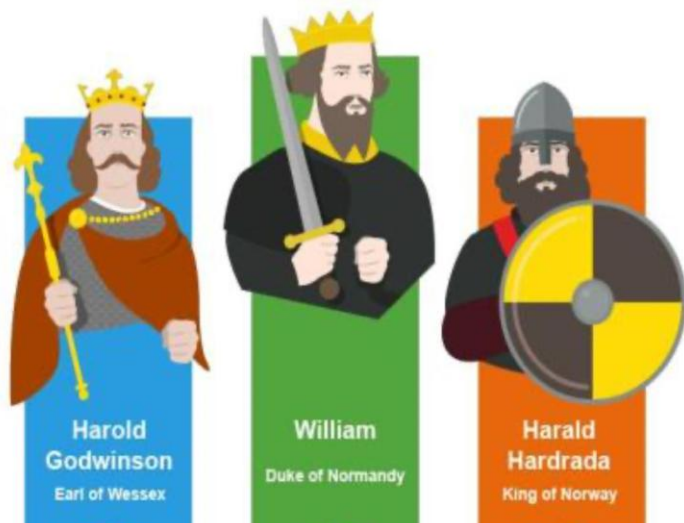


Key Vocabulary

Anglo-Saxon	Sutton Hoo	warrior	settlement	invade	Picts
	Scots	Angles	Saxons	Jutes	runes

The Battle of Hastings

Throughout history, there have been lots of people who wanted to be King or Queen of England. The same thing happened in Anglo-Saxon times and at one point, there were three men all fighting for the throne! These men were Harold Godwinson (he has been crowned the King of England), William Duke of Normandy and Harald Hardrada King of Norway. All three men wanted to be king and so they fought to claim the throne. This famous battle was called the Battle of Hastings and happened in 1066. In the end, it was William who won, and he became known as William the Conqueror!



Topic Tasks

Make an Anglo-Saxon Shield

Imagine you are an Anglo-Saxon. Write a letter which describes how you feel about the Vikings who keep trying to invade your land.

Research Anglo-Saxon runes and try to write your name using them!

What did Anglo-Saxons eat? Investigate what food the Anglo-Saxons ate and try to make some yourself.

Draw and explain about 6 things you would want to take with you if you travelled back in time to the Anglo-Saxon era.

The Bayeux Tapestry

The Bayeux tapestry is an embroidered piece of material that is 230ft long (this is about as long as 6 buses)! It tells us information about the Battle of Hastings and the Normans invading Britain and taking it away from the Anglo-Saxons. Here is a sneak peek of the Battle according to the tapestry. There are no words, just stitched patterns!

