

## Key Information

The name Anglo-Saxon comes from the 2 biggest invading tribes; the Angles and the Saxons.

They were very superstitious and believed in good and bad omens, lucky charms, spells and magic. They thought these could influence what happened in their lives.

There were many festivals throughout the year. They made sacrifices to their gods.

The Anglo-Saxon rule came to an end in AD 1066 when William of Normandy (William the Conqueror) won at the Battle of Hastings.

## Year 4 Anglo-Saxons Knowledge Organiser

### TIMELINE OF KEY EVENTS:

DATE	WHAT HAPPENED
410 AD	Roman rule in Britain ends
450 AD	Angles and Saxons invade
597 AD	St Augustine comes to Britain
633 AD	Lindisfarne monastery built
789 AD	First Viking attack
793 AD	Lindisfarne (Viking raid)
867-878 AD	Series of Viking victories
886 AD	Viking and Alfred divide England
899 AD	King Alfred dies
1066 AD	Battle of Hastings

### SUGGESTED WEBSITES TO FIND OUT MORE:

[www.bbc.co.uk/education/topics/2xsbcdm](http://www.bbc.co.uk/education/topics/2xsbcdm)

[www.natgeokinds.com/uk/discover/history/general-history/anglo-saxons](http://www.natgeokinds.com/uk/discover/history/general-history/anglo-saxons)

### Key People

Alfred the Great King who stopped the Vikings taking control of

St Augustine Sent as a missionary to convert England to

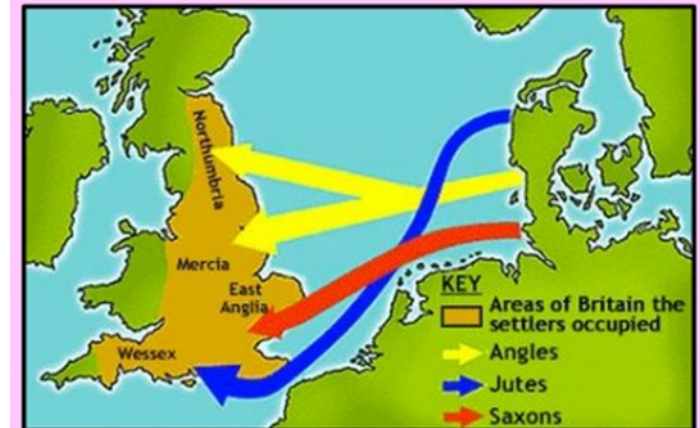
King Offa King of Mercia from AD 757 - AD 796.

King Harold Died during the Battle of Hastings in 1066.

Britain was divided into the  
Seven Kingdoms.



### Angle, Saxon and Jute Invasion Routes



### Runes

