



## Anglo-Saxons

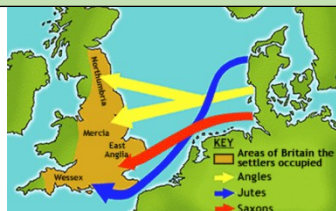


## Year 4

### What should I already know?

- That the Romans had successfully invaded Britain by 87AD.
- That historical civilizations can be placed on a timeline which show and explain the changing lives of people in a particular country.

### Diagrams



### What will I know by the end of this unit?

- Which tribes invaded and settled in Great Britain after the Romans left by 400AD.
- The names and major historical decisions made by key Anglo-Saxon figures.
- The daily lives, occupations and houses of Anglo-Saxon Britons and how they compare to life today.
- What artefacts that have been found in Archaeological digs tell us about Anglo-Saxon Bri

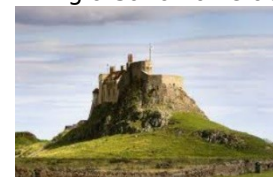
### Vocabulary

**Angles:** Tribes from modern day Denmark.  
**Christianity:** A religion based on the teachings of Jesus.  
**Missionary:** A person from a religion sent to spread the faith.  
**Pagan:** A religion that involves worshipping many gods and goddesses.  
**Picts:** Tribes originally from Scotland who were 'foul' and had a 'lust for blood'.  
**Romans:** The Romans invaded and settled in Britain for over 400 years, starting with their first successful raid in 54 BC.  
**Saxons:** German - Dutch tribes who settled in Britain from around 450 AD.  
**Scots:** People from Ireland, who, like the Picts, were fierce and powerful fighters.

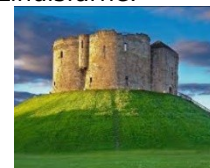
### Significant Places and Objects



Sutton Hoo - site of a major archaeological dig that found many significant Anglo-Saxon artefacts.



Lindisfarne Castle - A castle and monastery that was an important centre for Anglo-Saxon Britain's conversion from Paganism to Christianity. Many important historical documents were written at Lindisfarne.



York - as well as being a large Roman and Viking settlement, York was the 3rd largest Anglo-Saxon town and the largest in Yorkshire.

### Learning Journey Assessment

-Place the time studied on a timeline.  
-Analyse artefacts to see what they tell us about the time period.  
-Find out about everyday lives of people in the time studied; compare with our life today, and with previous Roman settlers.  
-Explain the reasons for the type of worship practised by Anglo-Saxons.  
-Use a range of sources to find out about a period.  
-Observe small details - artefacts, pictures.  
- To use a map with grid references to accurately pinpoint different locations.  
- Note connections, contrasts and trends over time and develop the appropriate use of historical terms.

