

What should I already know:

- History is studying something that has happened in the past and that things have happened outside my living memory.
- What life was like when the Romans invaded Britain.
- Different historical sources can tell us about the past.

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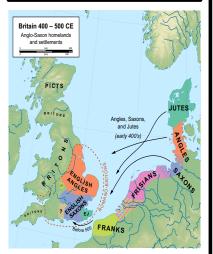
Pupils should be taught about Britain's settlement by Anglo-Saxons and Scots.

By the end of this unit:

- Know who the Anglo-Saxons where and where they came from and why.
- Know Britain during Anglo-Saxons times was divided into 7 kingdoms.
- Know that archaeologists have discovered important artefacts that tell us about this period and these give us information about the past.
- Know Anglo-Saxons were warriors.



Year 4: History Anglo Saxons





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	Vocabulary	
Anglo-Saxon	The Anglo-Saxons formed many	
Kingdoms	regions each with one ruler, known	
	kingdoms.	
Archaeologist	A person who studies history.	
Artefact	An object from the past.	
Burial grounds	Where someone or something was	
	buried.	
Christianity	Religion believing in Jesus .	
Evacuation	Digging something from a site.	
Invaders	People who used force to enter a	
	place and take over, usually with	
	army.	
Jutes	A tribe from Anglo-Saxon times.	
Pagans	A person who has a religious belief	
	that is not a world religion.	
Scandinavia	A group of countries in northern	
	Europe.	
Settlement	Deciding to live somewhere.	
Sutton Hoo	An archaeological site in England.	
Warriors	People who fight in battle.	

Key Facts at the end of this Unit:	
The Anglo-Saxons invaded Britain in	The Anglo-Saxons sailed from Germany,
AD 450 when the Romans left.	Denmark and The Netherlands in
	longships.
The Anglo-Saxons were made up of	For a long time, England was not one
three tribes— they were called Angle,	country. Anglo-Saxon kings ruled lots of
Saxon and Jute.	small kingdoms across the land.
We know about Anglo-Saxon life	The Anglo-Saxons were fierce people
because of excavations made by	who fought many battles, including
archaeologists.	fighting each other.