

Key dates	Events
AD410	Approximate date when the Romans left Britain.
AD793	Vikings attack the monastery on Lindisfarne.
AD866	Vikings capture the city of York.
AD871	Alfred the Great becomes king of Wessex (and of the Anglo Saxons in AD 878).
AD876	Groups of Vikings settle permanently in England.
AD886	Alfred agrees to a treaty with the Vikings.
AD954	The last Viking king of Jorvik (York) is forced out.

Key vocabulary:

Invader mercenary settler immigrant hierarchy

Scandinavia - Norway Sweden Denmark Nordic

Christian monk monastery Pagan monotheistic pantheistic

Danelaw Danegeld York/Jorvik kingdoms

King Earl thegn/thane ceorls peasants slaves

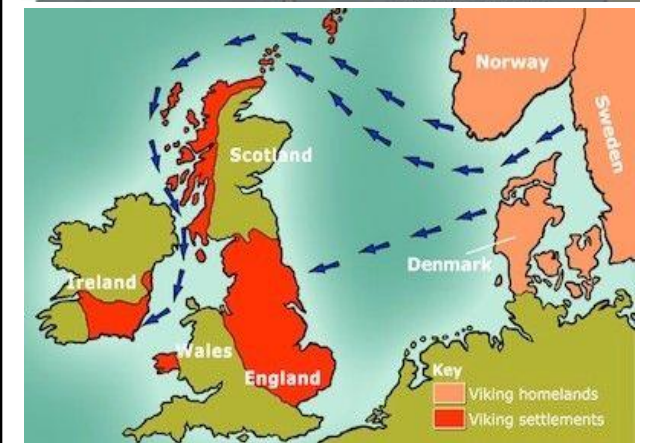
Year 5- Autumn- Vikings

Summary:

- After the Romans left Britain, the Britons suffered raids from the Welsh and Scots.
- Saxon mercenaries helped to fight them.
- Vikings attack Lindisfarne - first they are invaders, but then Vikings start to settle in England.
- The Vikings settled in what became the Danelaw
- Learn about the Viking way of life.
- Learn about features of Scandinavian lands
- The impact of the Vikings- Viking place names, lifestyle, the Danelaw and Viking gods.
- Viking Runes

Where in the World?

Scandinavia: Denmark, Sweden, Norway
Ireland England Scotland Wales



Key people:

Viking Gods - Odin, Thor, Freja
Alfred The Great