

# What was the Anglo-Saxon impact on Britain?

## I am a fantastic historian because...

- ✓ I can remember and sequence key events in history and use the terms BC and AD.
- ✓ I can examine the reasons for great events in history and discuss why the outcome occurred.
- ✓ I can study different people and notice the difference in different people, such as men and women.
- ✓ I can use evidence that is provided to me to build up a picture of past events.

I already know...

**The Stone Age** was a time (4000BC-2000BC) when the earliest period of humans lived, where tools were made mostly of stone.

**The Romans** were a successful invading group who moved through, and conquered, much of Europe, including Britain.

## Key Vocabulary

**Angles** Tribes from modern day Denmark.

**Christianity** A religion based on the teachings of Jesus

**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.

**Wessex** one of the kingdoms of Anglo-Saxon England, whose ruling dynasty eventually became kings of the whole country.

**Sussex** one of the kingdoms of Anglo-Saxon England

**Mercia** one of the most powerful kingdoms of Anglo-Saxon England.



Alfred the Great 849AD-899AD

300BC- Celts in Britain.

55BC – 409 AD – Romans occupied

449 AD- Anglo Saxon Invasion

400-600 AD- Christianity spread

1066- Norman Invasion