

Year 7 Invaders Knowledge Organiser

Rationale: In this unit you will be learning about the different groups who have invaded Britain and the impact they had on Britain. Through this you will also be learning a range of key terminology and concepts that will help you in your learning in Year 7 and beyond.

Key concepts	
1. Chronology	The study of time
2. Cause	The reason something happens
3. Change	Differences between different periods of the past
4. Continuity	Things that stay the same in different periods of the past
Key events	
5. Iron Age Britain	750BC - 43AD
6. Roman Britain	43AD - 410AD
7. Anglo-Saxon Britain	410 - 1066 AD
8. Viking invasions begin	793 AD
9. Norman Britain	1066-1154 AD

Key vocabulary	
10. BC	Before Christ - a time before Jesus was born
11. AD	Anno Domini (in the year of our lord) - the time after Jesus was born
13. Chronological order	Putting dates and events into time order.
14. Decade	A period of 10 years
15. Century	A period of 100 years
16. Millennium	A period of 1000 years
17. Evidence	Clues about the past.
18. Contemporary evidence	Evidence from the time an event happened.
19. Secondary evidence	Evidence produced after the event by someone who was not there.
20. Invasion	When one country used its army to enter and take control of another country by force.
21. Empire	A collection of areas of land that are ruled over and controlled by one leading country.