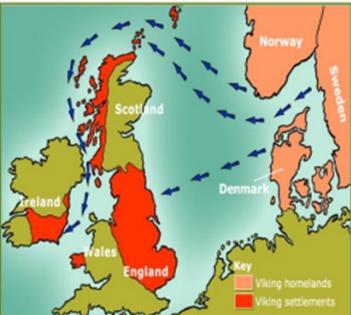


HISTORY: YEAR 4 -VIKINGS

Key Vocabulary		Objectives	Significant People
conquer	To win and get something by force	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To make connections, contrasts and trends over time. To use historical terms. To develop chronology. To develop historically valid questions about cause, change, similarity and difference Study the Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor 	<p><u>Eric Bloodaxe (885-954)</u></p> <p>He was king of the Viking kingdom of Jorvik between 947-948 and 952-954. Jorvik was a large Viking kingdom around York. He was the last King of York who was driven out in 954. The Vikings in England then agreed to be ruled by the king of England rather than having their own king.</p> <p><u>Leif Erikson (c.970-1020)</u></p> <p>He was a famous Viking explorer from Iceland who sailed all the way to North America.</p> <p><u>King Canute (990-1035)</u></p> <p>He was the first Viking king of England, ruling from 1016-1035. He won a battle against Edmund II that divided their kingdoms, but when Edmund died Canute ruled both kingdoms. His sons, Harold Harefoot and then Hardicanute, ruled until 1042.</p> <p><u>Harald Hardrada (c.1015-1066)</u></p> <p>He was the king of Norway. He led Viking armies into England but was defeated at the Battle of Stamford Bridge in York by King Harold II.</p>
Danegeld	the tax that the English kingdoms paid to the Vikings to stop them ransacking their lands		
Danelaw	The area in Britain the Vikings ruled		
kingdom	A country whose ruler is a king or queen		
Longship	A ship used by Vikings for raids		
missionaries	People sent to promote religions, especially Christianity		
monastery	A building where people worship and devote their time to God		
pagan	A person who believes in many gods		
runes	Viking letters of the alphabet		
settlement	A place where people have come to live		
Scandinavia	The area is made up of the countries: Denmark, Sweden and Norway	  	
Valhalla	In Norse belief, it was a heaven for Viking warriors who died bravely in battle		

Timeline

700	789	793	865	866	876	886	1014	1066
The Viking Age begins	First recorded Viking attack	Viking raid on Lindisfarne	Viking army from Denmark invades England	Danes capture York (Jorvik)	Vikings from Denmark, Sweden and Norway settle permanently in England	King Alfred defeats the Vikings / Allows them to settle in East England	King Canute (Cnut) of Denmark King of England	Battle of Hastings / William I King of England