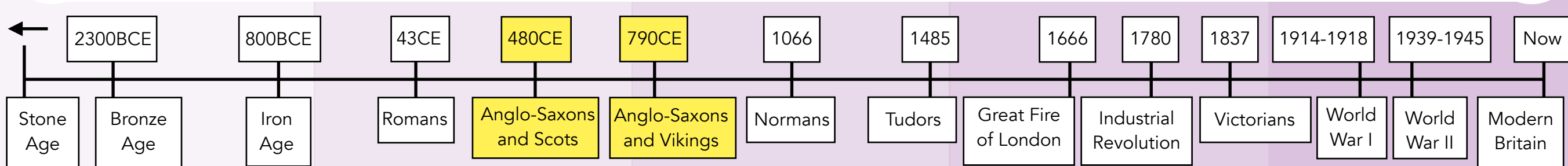




# Year 3/4 | History | Anglo Saxons



## What we will be learning

- I can talk about Britain's settlement by Anglo-Saxons.
- I can talk about the importance of the Anglo-Saxon conversion to Christianity.

## What I will know and understand:

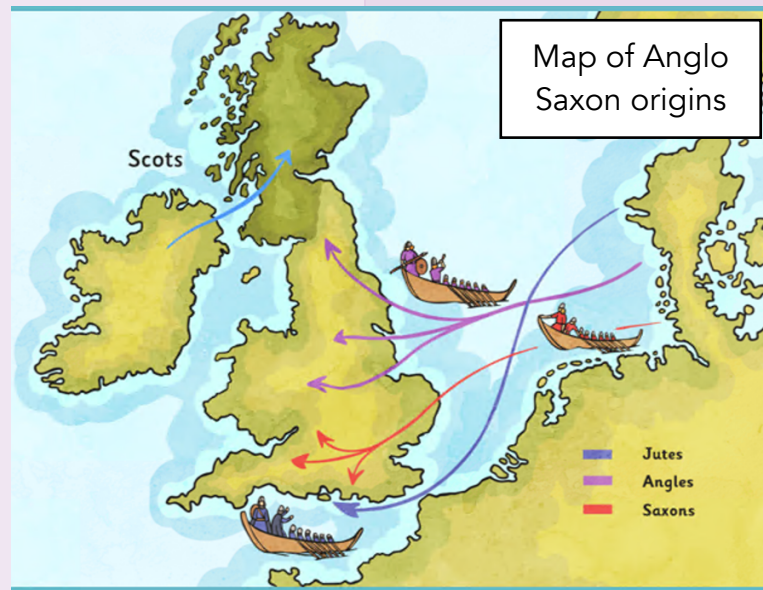
- Use a timeline to place historical events in chronological order.
- Understand how knowledge of the past is constructed from a range of sources.
- Use evidence to describe what was important to people from the past.
- Describe how some of the things I have studied from the past affect/influence life today.

## Key Vocabulary and Phrases

Angles	Tribes from Denmark
Saxons	Tribes from Germany
Visigoths	Tribes from Germany - attacked Rome
Invaders	People who enter an area and take control by force
Conversion	Changing your religious beliefs or persuading someone else to do so
Pagan	A person in Anglo Saxon times who was not religious or a Christian
Barbarians	People who are thought to be uncivilised and violent
Thatch	The craft of building a roof with dry vegetation such as straw
Settler	A person who migrates to an area to set up permanent residence
Artefacts	An object which has a cultural or historical interest

## When - Timeline of key events

AD410	Sack of Roman by Barbarians
425	Anglo Saxons begin to settle in England
430	Most Roman armies have left England and returned to Rome
556	Seven Anglo Saxon kingdoms in England now exist
597	Augustine begins to convert Anglo Saxons to Christianity
789	Vikings begin to attack England
886	King Alfred of Wessex agrees treaty with the Vikings to divide up England
925	Athelstan of Wessex is crowned the first King of England
937	Athelstan defeats the Vikings at the Battle of Brunanburh
1016	Cnut of Denmark becomes the first of three Viking Kings to rule England
1042	Edward the Confessor becomes King of England
1066	Edward dies and is succeeded by Harold Godwinson (King Harold II)
1066	Harold II defeats the Vikings at Battle of Stamford Bridge
1066	William Duke of Normandy defeats Harold II at the Battle of Hastings and begins Norman rule of England



Map of Anglo Saxon origins



A reconstruction of an Anglo Saxon village

## Concepts

Chronology  
Sources  
Change and Continuity  
Cause and Effect  
Military  
Religious

