










Year 5/6	Topic Title: The Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the kingdom of England.
NC Programme of study	Key Knowledge and Vocabulary. Children should know:
<p>Pupils should continue to develop a chronologically secure knowledge and understanding of world history, establishing clear narratives within and across the periods they study. They should note connections, contrasts and trends over time and develop the appropriate use of historical terms. They should regularly address and sometimes devise historically valid questions about change, cause, similarity and difference, and significance. They should construct informed responses that involve thoughtful selection and organisation of relevant historical information. They should understand how our knowledge of the past is constructed from a range of sources.</p> <p>Pupils should be taught about: <i>Britain's settlement by the Anglo-Saxons and the Viking and Anglo-Saxon struggle for the Kingdom of England to the time of Edward the Confessor.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Key vocabulary: AD, BC, pagan, wergild, Danelaw, settle, invade, runes. <p>Key dates and knowledge:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Anglo-Saxon's believed in good and bad omens, lucky charms, spells and magic – they thought these would influence what happened to them during their lives. William of Normandy was crowned of the new king of England n 25th December AD 1066. The Viking agge and Anglo-saxon rule in Britain came to an end. <u>Kings</u> King Alfred the Great – AD 871-899 King Athelstan – AD 924-939 Edward the Confessor – AD 1042 – 1066 Goodwin of Wessex – tried to defeat Edward between AD 1050 – 1052 Harold II – AD 1066 The Anglo-Saxon's made sacrifices to their Gods. Woden – chief God Frigg – wife of Woden, Goddess of childbirth. Thunor – God of thunder Tiw – God of War Eostre – Goddess of rebirth and giving of eggs. <div data-bbox="1429 762 2101 1430" style="display: flex; flex-wrap: wrap; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 15px; padding: 5px; width: 30%; text-align: center;"> <p>AD 449</p>  <p>Anglo Saxon invaders arrive in Britain.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 15px; padding: 5px; width: 30%; text-align: center;"> <p>AD 600</p>  <p>Anglo Saxons gradually take over England.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 15px; padding: 5px; width: 30%; text-align: center;"> <p>AD 793</p>  <p>The vikings attack from Norway.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 15px; padding: 5px; width: 30%; text-align: center;"> <p>AD 871</p>  <p>Alfred the Great becomes King of Wessex.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 15px; padding: 5px; width: 30%; text-align: center;"> <p>AD 924</p>  <p>Athelstan becomes the King of Wessex.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 15px; padding: 5px; width: 30%; text-align: center;"> <p>AD 937</p>  <p>Athelstan defeats rebels in battle.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 15px; padding: 5px; width: 30%; text-align: center;"> <p>AD 939</p>  <p>The vikings invade England and take back the north.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 15px; padding: 5px; width: 30%; text-align: center;"> <p>AD 1042</p>  <p>Edward the Confessor becomes king.</p> </div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; border-radius: 15px; padding: 5px; width: 30%; text-align: center;"> <p>AD 1066</p>  <p>King Harold is killed in the Battle of Hastings.</p> </div> </div>