

## Key Vocab (**Romans**, **Anglo Saxons** and **Vikings**)

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| <b>Empire</b>            | A group of states or countries ruled over by a single monarch, government or a sovereign state.                                                              |
| <b>Colosseum</b>         | A large theatre, cinema or stadium.                                                                                                                          |
| <b>Gladiator</b>         | A man trained to fight with weapons against other men or wild animals in an arena.                                                                           |
| <b>Centurion</b>         | The commander of a century in the ancient Roman army.                                                                                                        |
| <b>Invasion</b>          | To invade a country or region with an armed force.                                                                                                           |
| <b>Settlements</b>       | Places where people establish a community.                                                                                                                   |
| <b>Kingdoms</b>          | A country, state, or territory ruled by a king or queen.                                                                                                     |
| <b>Angles and Saxons</b> | Two different tribes of people from Germany, who invaded and settled in England in the 5th and 6 <sup>th</sup> centuries AD.                                 |
| <b>Picts</b>             | A member of an ancient people inhabiting northern Scotland in Roman times.                                                                                   |
| <b>Jutes</b>             | A tribe of German people who joined the Angles and Saxons in invading Britain in the 5th century, settling in a region including Kent and the Isle of Wight. |
| <b>Christianity</b>      | The religion based on the teachings of Jesus Christ, or its beliefs and practices.                                                                           |
| <b>Scandinavia</b>       | A region of Europe made up of Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Finland, and Iceland, as well as the Faroe Islands, Greenland, and Åland.                             |
| <b>Conquer</b>           | To overcome and take control, usually by using military force.                                                                                               |
| <b>Monastery</b>         | A building or buildings occupied by a community of monks living under religious vows.                                                                        |

# Invaders and Settlers

## Sticky Knowledge

- The Romans originated from Italy.
- Italy is in Europe.
- The Vikings and the tribes that became known as the Anglo-Saxons originated from many different areas of the world.



Julius Caesar  
A Roman General who led the first attempt by the Romans to invade Britain in 55 BC.

Beowulf  
A character from an Old English poem based on Geatish legend.



Boudicca  
Queen of the Iceni Tribe who led an uprising against the Roman Empire in AD 60.

Lindisfarne  
A Holy island in Northumberland, attacked by the Vikings in AD 793.

