

Kingsley CP Knowledge Organiser

Year 5



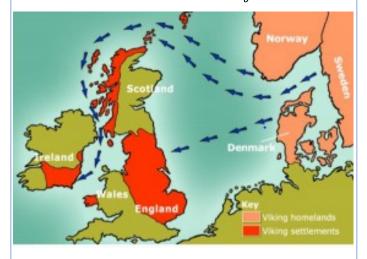
Spring Term

History focus		Vikings	
What? (Key knowledge)			
Key Individuals			
King Alfred	King of Wessex from 871 to 899, defended Wessex from the Viking conquest.		
Athelstan	First King to unite English kingdoms, 927		
Guthrum	King of the Vikings in Danelaw at the time of the treaty with the Saxons.		
Edward the Confessor	Penultimate Saxon King of England.		
Viking Longships			
Appearance	The front of the ship would have a carved figure head to scar off enemies.		
Speed	They were long and narrow for travelling quickly through the water.		
Protection	The Vikings men's shields were tied over the oars holes to protect men and women in battle.		
Røom	people. Ex	enough room for 50-60 tting and sleeping were done on deck.	
Viking Life			
Farms.	cow	ved on farms and kept s, pigs and sheep ilk, wool and meat.	
Houses	str and daub (x the i	ade of stone or wood aw roof. Wattle sticks and mud/dung) for nside of the walls	
Jewellery	Worn to st	row off how rich a per- son was	
Pagans	-	arrived as pagans but converted to Christianity.	
Sagas	Vikings used rhyme to tell stories about battles against monsters.		

What? (Key Vocabulary)		
Exile	To be sent away	
invade	To enter and occupy land	
Kingdom	An area ruled by a King	
Longship	A long, wooden Viking warship	
Pagan	A person who believes in many gods	
Raid	A surprise attack	
Runes	The Viking alphabet	
Danelaw	Areas in Britain ruled by the Vikings	

Diagrams and symbols

This map shows how the Vikings came to the British Isles and where they settled.



Possible experiences

Reading and retelling famous Viking sagas Researching and creating Viking weaponry out of modroc

Designing Viking longship prows.

Take part in a Viking Raid (Tatton Park Experience)