



**What should I already know?**

- The Stone Age was when early humans used tools from stone. This lasted until the Bronze Age.
- The Bronze Age began when **settlers** arrived from Europe to Britain. These **settlers** brought with them ways of making tools from metal (bronze).
- The Iron Age lasted from 800 BC till the Roman **invasion** (AD 43) - this was when people used tools made from iron.
- In AD 43, the Romans under the order of Emperor Claudius, first invaded Britain and Roman rule lasted until AD 410.

**Historical skills and Enquiry**

- Explain how the Roman withdrawal contributed to **Anglo-Saxon settlement**.
- Describe what **Anglo-Saxon** life was like for all groups of people.
- Ask questions and find out the answers about the **Anglo-Saxons and Scots**.
- Suggest reasons why the **Anglo-Saxons** settled in Britain.
- Explain what religious beliefs were before the spread of **Christianity** and how the spread of **Christianity** impacted Britain.

**Diagrams**

Anglo-Saxon migration



**Vocabulary**

Angles	people from Germany who <b>invaded</b> Britain around AD 410
Anglo-Saxon	the name given to the people who travelled from Germany and South Denmark and settled in Britain around AD 410
archaeologist	someone who studies the past by exploring old remains
Artefact	an object from the past that shows evidence of what life was like
century	a period of 100 years
Christianity	the religion based on the teachings of Jesus Christ
Invasion	to try and take over a place by force
Jutes	people from the Jutland peninsula (Germany and Southern Denmark) who <b>invaded</b> Britain around AD 410
Migration	movement from one place to another in order to settle there
monk	a member of a male religious community
pagan	a person who follows a religion that is not a major religion
Picts	ancient tribes who lived in northern Scotland
Saxons	people from northern and central Germany who <b>invaded</b> Britain around AD 410
Scots	people from Ireland who eventually settled in Scotland
Settler/ settlement	people who migrate to a new place. When people start a community, this is a <b>settlement</b>
source	where something comes from

**Important Facts that I will learn**

- **Anglo-Saxons** settled in Britain after the Romans left.
- The **Picts** and **Scots** lived in Scotland before the **Anglo-Saxons** arrived. This land was called Dal Riata.
- **Anglo-Saxon** houses were made from wood and thatched roofs.
- **Anglo-Saxons** were both **pagans** and Christians.

**Timeline**

AD 396 - 398: **Picts, Scots** and **Saxons** constantly raid Roman Britain.

AD 450: The **Anglo-Saxons** began to settle alongside the Britons.

AD 597: St Augustine helps missionaries spread the word about **Christianity**. King Ethelbert converts to **Christianity**.

AD 789: The Vikings begin to raid Britain.

AD 410: Romans leave Britain to defend Rome which was under attack. **Angles, Saxons** and **Jutes** make their way from Germany and South Denmark.

AD 500: By AD 500, the seven kingdoms had been created.

AD 731: Bede completes the Ecclesiastical History of English Peoples.