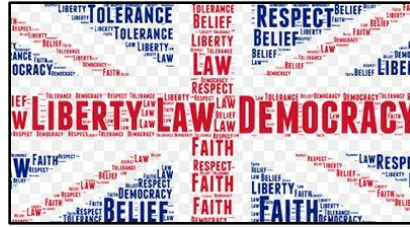


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## British values from the national curriculum:

- Democracy.
- The rule of law.
- Individual liberty.
- Mutual respect.
- Tolerance of those of different faiths and beliefs.

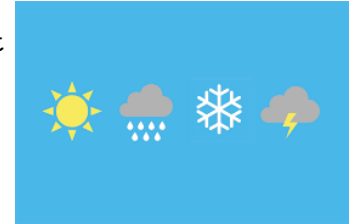


Anglo-Saxon Britain had many laws and punishments, many of which we would find unusual, odd or cruel!



## Anglo-Saxon Geography facts:

The climate in Anglo-Saxon Britain was quite different from today's climate. It was considerably warmer and stormier!

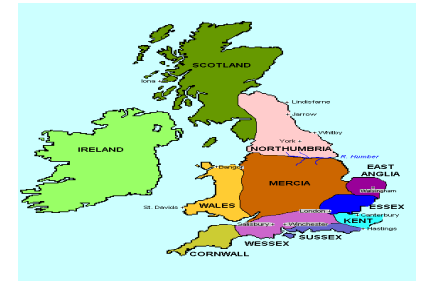


## Anglo-Saxon History facts:

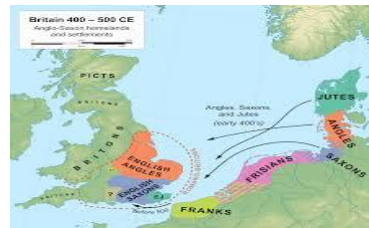
The Anglo-Saxons arrived in large numbers in Britain around 500 CE (AD). They took over once the Romans had left but some of them were actually invited!



During the period of Anglo-Saxon rule, Britain was divided into 5 major Kingdoms, with Sheffield in the Kingdom of Mercia.



The Anglo-Saxons arrived from a number of places in Northern Europe but mostly came from Germany and Denmark.



In the time of the Anglo-Saxons, parts of Britain looked very different; on the east coast there were huge swamps or fens!



The Anglo-Saxons were originally pagans. They later converted to Christianity.



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### Key Vocabulary

**Anglo-Saxons:** the name given to the group of people who arrived in Britain around 500CE (AD).

**Invade:** to enter an area using force or violence to try and take it over.

**Migrate:** to move to another place to make it your home.



**Conquer:** to take control of an area and become its main ruler or leader.

**Pagan:** a set of religious beliefs with many gods that focuses on the natural world.

**Convert:** to change another person's beliefs or religion

**Climate:** the patterns of weather that are normal for a specific place

**Settlement:** a place that is lived in by a group of people

**Fens:** a naturally swampy area of the east of England

