

Battle of Hastings & 1066		
Term	Definition	Image
1. Anglo Saxon	People who settled in Britain after the Romans. They came from what is now Germany, Belgium and the Netherlands	
2. Heir	A person legally entitled to the property or rank of another on that person's death	
3. The Witan	A Council of Noblemen that has met to decide who the next king of the Anglo Saxons should be.	
4. Feint	To make a deceptive or distracting movement, especially during a fight such as pretending to run away.	
5. Bayeux Tapestry	A historical narrative depicting the events leading up to the Norman Conquest of England in 1066, ending in the Battle of Hastings.	
6. Fyrd	A type of early Anglo-Saxon army that was mobilised from freemen or paid men normally using shields and spears as weapons.	
7. Housecarls	A household bodyguard in medieval Northern Europe during the Battle of Hastings they were wielding a Dane axe with two hands.	
8. Harold Godwinson	The King of England at the beginning of the Battle of Hastings and was shot in the eye during the Battle of Hastings.	
9. Harald Hardrada	King of Norway and leader of the Vikings at the Battle of Stamford Bridge known as the most feared warrior in Europe.	
10. William of Normandy	The Duke of Normandy who led the Norman invasion of England and became the first Norman to be King of England.	