

The Norman Conquest, 1065-1087

Personal Learning Checklist

This unit is worth 20% of your total GCSE.

Section	Content	RAG	Revised?
England on the eve of the conquest: <i>The character of late Anglo-Saxon England</i>	The nature, structure and diversity of late Anglo-Saxon England		
	Religion in late Anglo-Saxon England		
	Anglo-Saxon culture: buildings, art, and literature		
Invasion and Victory: <i>How and why William became King of England in 1066</i>	Norman society, culture, and warfare pre-1066		
	The succession crisis of 1066		
	The battles of Fulford, Stamford Bridge, and Hastings		
Resistance and response, 1067-1071: <i>The establishment of Norman rule between 1067 and 1071</i>	First uprisings against Norman rule including resistance in the west and in Mercia		
	Northern resistance and William's 'Harrying of the North'		
	The rebellion of Hereward in the east and the end of English resistance		
Castles: <i>The nature and purpose of Norman castles in England to 1087</i>	Pre-conquest fortifications and the first Norman castles in England		
	The distribution and design of Norman castles in England to 1087		
	The purpose of Norman castles in England including their military and economic functions		
Conquest and control: <i>The impact of the Norman Conquest on English society to 1087.</i>	The Domesday Book, its creation and purpose		
	The social structure of Norman England including changes in land ownership and the elite		
	Changes and continuities: language, laws, and the Church		

Recommended Online Resources:

BBC Bitesize - <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z2gvfrd>

Google Classroom Code – Students should have the access code from their teacher. A directory of access codes for all subjects should be available.