





# Anglo Saxon Homework Y5/6

Multiple Intelligences	Choose one task from each column every other week.					
	Knowing	Understanding	Applying	Analysing	Creating	Evaluating
<p><u>Mathematical</u></p>  <p>I enjoy working with numbers and science</p>	<p>Find out about the days of the week that were named after Anglo Saxon gods. Which gods were they and what were they the gods of? Can you find any other Anglo Saxon gods? Where do the other names of the days of the week come from?</p>	<p>Create a chart listing Anglo Saxon place names in North Yorkshire and in Suffolk. What do you notice that is different between the two? What does this tell you?</p>	<p>Anglo Saxons used Roman numerals. Create a set of Anglo Saxon maths problems using Roman numerals for someone else to solve.</p>	<p>Research the Anglo Saxons. Where did they come from? Write a paragraph on your own opinion of them and whether you think they were good or bad for Britain.</p>	<p>Be creative with different shaped boxes, bags or other objects and build a pole-lathe</p>	<p>Place the attached events in chronological order on a timeline. Now reorder them in what is in your opinion, the order of importance. Explain why you have chosen to put the first and last event in your list in those positions.</p>
<p><u>Visual</u></p>  <p>I enjoy painting, drawing and visualizing.</p>	<p>Draw a picture of an Anglo Saxon soldier. Compare his armour and weapons with a Roman soldier. What is the main difference?</p>	<p>Draw/paint a picture of an Anglo Saxon house. Why was it designed as it was? How was it different to a Roman villa?</p>	<p>Create a leaflet or poster for one of the Anglo Saxon's gods. What would they have been worshipped for? Were they frightening or friendly?</p>	<p>Compare the Anglo Saxon's gods and goddesses with the Viking gods and goddesses. Which ones are similar? Which ones are different? Why?</p>	<p>Create a comic strip to show the life of Saint Patrick. Show his early life and use it to explain why there are no snakes in Ireland.</p>	<p>Find a map showing Anglo Saxon kingdoms. Look at a modern map to see what modern counties and cities lie in the old kingdoms. Is your house or school in an Anglo Saxon kingdom?</p>

<p><u>Kinesthetic</u></p>  <p>I enjoy doing hands on activities</p>	<p>Create a film to show what you can find out about the Anglo Saxons</p>	<p>Create, write and act out a legend that could be passed on to other children.</p>	<p>Research what the Anglo Saxons wore and how they made their clothes. Use sewing or weaving to create a garment.</p>	<p>An Anglo Saxon grave is like a time capsule. Many people in the past buried things as well as dead bodies. How does this help us to understand how they lived? Make a time capsule of things you might bury in the ground for later generations to look at. Would people in, say 1000 years' time. Know what they were?</p>	<p>Research the old Anglo Saxon game of taefl. Make a taefl board and try to play the game. What other game does it remind youof?</p>	<p>Use a map of East Sussex and see how many Anglo Saxon Place names you can find. If they end in -ton, -ham, -burgh, what did it mean? Can you find out anything else about the names of towns and villages of our country?</p>
<p><u>Verbal</u></p>  <p>I enjoy reading, writing and speaking</p>	<p>Write about a day in the life of an Anglo Saxon boy or girl. What would you have liked most about their way of life? Or hated?</p>	<p>Find out all about King Arthur and places connected with him such as Tintagel in Cornwall. Why do you think there are so many stories about him?</p>	<p>Imagine you are an Anglo Saxon ealdorman. You've been told to round up some soldiers to fight the Vikings. Will the men be willing to go? Write a persuasive argument to convince them to go.</p>	<p>Write a newspaper article giving a Roman-British account of the Anglo Saxons moving in. How do local people feel about it? Is there fighting? Or have the newcomers taken over the land that no-one else wants?</p>	<p>Write a story with YOU as the hero who defeats a dragon. Don't forget to illustrate it.</p>	<p>The settlers and invaders loved telling stories through poems that were sung by minstrels called scops. Can you write a poem that tells a story and put it to the music of a song of your choice?</p>