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| **Core Knowledge Map** |
| **Subject:** The Norman Conquest |  **Year:** 7 | **Term:** 2 |
| **What are we learning?** |
| How did the Norman invasion impact England?  |
| **How will I be assessed**  |
| Knowledge test – 25 markWritten response – 10 mark |
| **Big Questions:** |
| Who was the best man for the job in 1066?Was Stamford Bridge really a victory for Harold?Why did William win the Battle of Hastings?How did the Feudal System help William control England?How did castles help William control England?Did William only use violence to stop rebellions against him? |
| **How does this build on previous learning?** | **How will this link to my future learning?** |
|  | Further study of the Norman Conquest (KS4) |
| **Core knowledge:** | **Key vocabulary:** |
| Who the claimants are to the throne of England.What happened during the Batte of Fulford and the Battle of Stamford Bridge.Identifying reasons why William won the Battle of Hastings.The effect of the feudal system and castles on England while William was King of England.What was the Anglo-Saxons reaction to William being King.How did William react to the rebellions. | **Claimant** – a person who claims to have a right to something**Consequences** – a result or effect of an event or action**Feigned retreat** – a military tactic where a force will pretend to be defeated, fake a retreat, then while they are being pursued, turn and ambush the enemy**Witan** - an Anglo-Saxon national council or parliament**Sheild Wall** – a protective wall formed by connecting the shields of foot soldiers**Counterattack​** - an attack made as a reply to another attack**Feudal System** - ​ system in which people were given land and protection by people of higher rank, and worked and fought for them in return**Rebellion​** - when you rise up and fight those in power, usually on a large scale |
| **Need more help?** |
| [The Norman Conquest - KS3 History - BBC Bitesize](https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zshtyrd)[William's control of England - KS3 History - BBC Bitesize](https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zvhjdp3)Watch these videos to get an insight into the key groups we study in this unit:[Who were the claimants to the throne in 1066? (1/6) | History – The Norman Conquest - YouTube](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1sK4JX0co8I)[Life after the Norman Conquest | The Story of Britain | BBC Teach](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bxpTxuPTklA&ab_channel=BBCTeach)[Motte and Bailey Castles | William the Conqueror's Early Defences](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DLymoBFa49I&ab_channel=HistoryBlast) |