

Activity 2

Anglo-Saxon Religion Quiz

Using the knowledge you have learnt in the lesson, you are going to design and create your own quiz about the Anglo-Saxon pagan religion.

You can present your quiz how you like. It could be a list of questions on a sheet, a set of quiz cards or maybe even a crossword.

Use the questions below to get you started, but then you will need to think of some more of your own. Remember you must provide the answers to all the questions!

Who is the Venerable Bede?
Which Anglo-Saxon festival was celebrated around the 25th December each year?
What does polytheistic mean?
Why did the Anglo-Saxons bury the dead with their belongings?

Extension activity

Great Gods Questions

Use these questions and your own research to help you get into character as one of the Anglo-Saxon gods. Think how you will present yourself to the rest of the class, making sure you include all the important information about your god.

Remember you can include the facts you have learnt in the lesson or researched yourself, and you can use your imagination to add extra details.

What is your name?
Do you have a special object?
Do you have a special animal?
Do you have a special power?
Why should people pray to you?
Is anything named after you?
What special things have you done?
What makes you so important?

