

History Cycle A 5/6 - The Vikings

Were the Vikings just brutal invaders?



Lesson 1 INVASION

Where did the Vikings come from and why?
How did they travel?

*Chronology
Settlers*



Lesson 2 INVASION

Why have the Vikings gained such a bad reputation?

*Raiders
Traders*



Lesson 3 SETTLEMENT

What can we learn about Viking settlement from studying place names?

Settlements



Lesson 4 SETTLEMENT

How have recent excavations changed our view of the Vikings?

*Primary sources
Secondary sources*



Lesson 5 LEADERSHIP

How did the Vikings try to take over the country and how close did they get?

*Analyse
Conquer*



Lesson 6 ASSESSMENT

Raiders or settlers: How should we remember the Vikings?

What will we be learning about over the coming weeks?