

**SUBJECT: HUMANITIES****TEACHER: MARGARITA****GROUP: E2****NAME:**

Dear all, today we started talking about Angles, Saxons and Jutes (the ones everybody forgets about!). Read the text and answer the questions:

By around 410AD, the last of the Romans had left Britain to go back to Rome and England was left to look after itself for the first time in about 400 years. Emperor Honorius told the people to fight the Picts, Scots and Saxons who were attacking them, but the Brits were not good fighters.

What did Emperor Honorius tell the people to do?

- Trade with the Picts, Scots, and Saxons
- Fight the Picts, Scots, and Saxons
- Make peace with the Picts, Scots, and Saxons
- Fight the Romans

The Scots, who came from Ireland, invaded and took land in Scotland. The Scots split Scotland into 4 separate places that were named Dal Riata, Pictland, Strathclyde and Bernicia. The Picts (the people already living in Scotland) and the Scots were always trying to get into England. It was hard for the people in England to fight them off without help from the Romans. The Picts and Scots are said to have jumped over Hadrian's Wall, killing everyone in their way. The British king found it hard to get his men to stop the Picts and Scots. He was worried they would take over in England because they were excellent fighters. Then he had an idea how he could keep the Picts and Scots out. He asked two brothers called Hengest and Horsa from Jutland to come and fight for him and keep England safe from the Picts and Scots.

Which groups split Scotland into separate places?

- Anglo-Saxons
- Scots
- Romans
- Picts

What did the British king worry about regarding the Picts and Scots?

- They would leave England
- They would become allies
- They would take over England
- They would surrender

What did the Brits struggle with in defending against the invaders?

- Building skills
- Fighting skills
- Trading skills
- Diplomatic skills

What did the Picts and Scots do when they jumped over Hadrian's Wall?

- Traded with the people
- Joined forces with the people
- Killed everyone in their way
- Protected the people

Hengest and Horsa did help to keep the Picts and Scots out, but they liked England and they wanted to stay. They knew that the people in England were not strong fighters so they would be easy to beat. Hengest and Horsa brought more men to fight for England and over time they won. However, men from other countries also wanted to take over in Britain and they attacked too. These invaders are called the Anglo-Saxons because the two biggest groups were called the Angles and the Saxons. Other invaders were the Jutes, Franks and Frisians. They came from Germany, Holland and Denmark.

What were the two biggest groups among the Anglo-Saxons?

- Jutes and Franks
- Picts and Scots
- Franks and Frisians
- Angles and Saxons

What did Hengest and Horsa do to help keep the Picts and Scots out?

- Fought against them
- Joined forces with them
- Made peace with them
- Traded with them

Which groups invaded Britain after the Romans left?

- Picts
- Anglo-Saxons
- Scots
- Romans

What did Hengest and Horsa want to do after helping England?

- Leave
- Surrender
- Stay
- Trade

