Norman Conquest quiz

1. Who was the King of England at the start of the year of the Norman Conquest?

a. Harold Godwinson
b. Edward the Confessor
c. Harald Hardrada
d. William of Normandy

2. Following the death of the English King in January 1066, Harold Godwinson the Earl of Wessex, was crowned King. What relation was Harold to the previous king?

a. brother-in-law
b. Nephew
c. brother
d. son

3. What year did the Norman Conquest take place?

a. 942
b. 1066
c. 1215
d. 1350
e. 1492

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4. Who was the leader of the Normans during the Norman Conquest?

a. William
b. Harold
c. Alfred
d. Robert
e. Richard

5. There were three men who claimed the right to be king of England. Who did the English want to be king?

a. Harald Hardrada of Norway
b. Robert I of Normandy
c. Richard Neville
d. Earl Harold Godwinson
e. William of Normandy

6. Which king died at the Battle of Stamford Bridge?

a. King William
b. King Harold II
c. King Hardrada
d. King Richard I
e. King Henry VIII

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7. What was the main battle between the English and Normans?

a. Battle of Hastings
b. Battle of London
c. Battle of Norway
d. Battle of Normandy
e. Battle of Stamford Bridge

8. What is the popular name for William the Duke of Normandy?
a. William the Great
b. William the Conqueror
c. William the Confessor
d. William the Wise
e. William the Bold

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