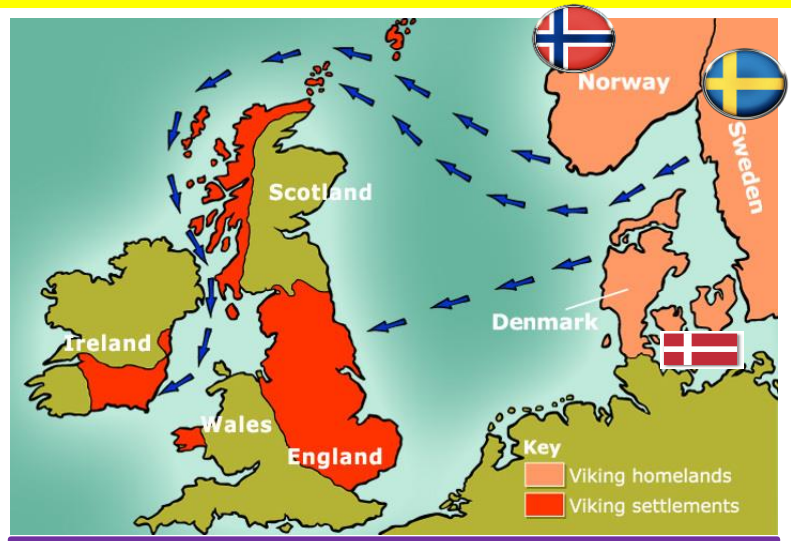
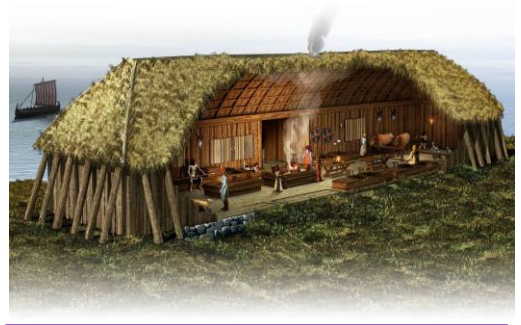




Scandinavia  A region of northern Europe	longship  A type of boat used by the Vikings	raiding  a sudden attack	pillaging  to violently steal something
negotiated  to reach an agreement about something	peace  a time when there is no war or violence	Danelaw  an area of northern and eastern England ruled by the Vikings	settlement  a place where people choose to live
outlaw  a criminal	crime  an act that breaks the law	punishment  to make someone suffer in some way because they have broken the law	fine  money someone must pay as a punishment



The Vikings came from Norway (the Norse people), Sweden (the Swedes) and Denmark (the Danes).



Viking Life
 Viking women would often have to look after the farms when the male warriors went raiding. Vikings would also live in long houses which could mean up to 70 people living in one house!



Things
 Vikings used to hold 'things' or meetings where they would decide if someone had broken the law and if so what their punishment would be.



Alfred the Great
 Alfred fought against the Vikings and won. However, he continued to cooperate with them giving them land known as Danelaw.



Raiding
 The Vikings were fierce raiders, who would attack settlements on the coast or near to rivers, then take what they wanted from the people there. One of famous raids was on Lindisfarne Priory.

789 First Viking raid	793 Viking raid on Lindisfarne	793-850 Viking raids continue up and down the Seven Kingdoms	865 The Great Viking Army invades the English Kingdoms from Denmark	866 Danes capture York and make it their kingdom (Jorvik)	876 Vikings from Denmark, Norway and Sweden settle permanently in England	886 King Alfred the Great defeats the Vikings but allows them to settle in Eastern England (the Kingdoms of York and East Anglia) This area on England becomes known as Danelaw and is ruled by the Viking King Guthrum	954 Eric Bloodaxe, the last Viking King of Jorvik, is thrown out of York.
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