

Battle of Hastings Orienteering Quiz



Objective

- To become familiar with some key facts about the Battle of Hastings.



Equipment

- Enrich School Orienteering Map
- Orienteering control markers
- Activity Sheet
- Answer Sheet



Preparation

- Children should have been introduced to key facts about the Battle of Hastings prior to this activity.
- Children could do this activity in pairs or small groups.
- Provide each pair/group with a copy of the Activity Sheet and an Enrich School Orienteering Map.
- Explain to children how to complete their Activity Sheet.



Instructions

- The Activity Sheet has 6 questions about the Battle of Hastings.
- Children write down their guess for each answer. They then check their guess by filling in missing letters to spell the answer to each question.
- Above each answer, there is the number of a control point. Children use their orienteering map to find the control point.
- They then use letters from the control marker (1st, 2nd, 3rd or 4th) that are indicated above each missing letter to fill in the missing letter and complete the answer.



Other information

- This activity could be used as part of a class topic on the Battle of Hastings, Normans or Anglo-Saxons.

