

-6,000 B.C.	British isles cut off from mainland
-4,000-2,500 B.C.	Stone age hunters and gatherers replaced by farmers
-2,000 B.C.	Peoples from Rhineland and Holland join original farming people
-800 B.C.	Celts, originally from central Europe, conquer Southern England
-55 B.C.	Caesar and Romans invade and retreat
-450-600 A.D.	Anglo-Saxons, but also Jutes, Frisians, etc., invade
-7 th cent. A.D.	Anglo-Saxon kingdoms Christianized <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Irish Celtic missionaries in North (Iona, Lindisfarne, etc.) -St. Augustine and Roman missionaries from South (Canterbury)
-789-869	Invasions from Vikings/Norsemen and Danes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -865, "Great Host" Invasion
-871-899	King Alfred of Wessex and the Reconquest of the Danelaw
-978-1016	Aethelred the Unready
-1016-1035	King Cnut and the Danes
-1042-1066	Edward the Confessor
-1066	Harold
-1066-1087	William the Conqueror <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -1086, Domesday Book
-1154-1189	Henry II <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -1164, Constitutions (decrees) of Clarendon (hunting lodge) -1166, Assize of Clarendon (Grand Jury, Petty Assizes) -1170, assassination of Thomas Beckett, Archbishop of Canterbury -1170-1171, conquest of Ireland by Welsh Marcher Barons
1199-1216	King John <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -1215, Magna Carta