



Year 10 History Learning Journey

The Norman Conquest

Spring Term 4

Core knowledge	Reference number
What was the Feudal System?	
How and why did William (and Lanfranc) change the Anglo-Saxon Church?	
How much life in towns and villages change after the Norman conquest?	
How did the Normans change the legal system?	
How did William change his central government?	
What was the significance of the Domesday Book?	
What was it like to be in the Norman Aristocracy?	
The Troubled Life of Odo, Bishop of Bayeux	
What was happening with William's family?	
Why was there ANOTHER succession crisis after William's death?	
How should we remember William, Duke of Normandy and Conqueror of England?	

Learning Checkpoints

LC Title	
Q. 'The revolt of the Earls failed because of Lanfranc's leadership. How far do you agree?'	

Key Vocabulary

Feudalism

Reform

Legal system

Centralised government

Domesday Book

Aristocracy

Succession

Legacy