

Spelling list: Qegs History 2-The Norman Conquest

Basic history words

normans	The Normans were Vikings (people from Scandinavia) who conquered an area in France they called Normandy in nine hundred and eleven.
defeated	It tells Macbeth that he will not be defeated .
tactics	Tactics are the art or science of disposing military or naval forces for battle and manoeuvring them in battle.
conquest	The small country was his last conquest .
tapestry	A tapestry is a fabric upon which coloured threads are woven by hand to produce a design, often pictorial; like the Bayeux Tapestry.
medieval	The town is a throwback to medieval times, an anachronism that has survived the passing years.
survey	They surveyed the pupils' opinions about school dinners.
domesday	The Domesday Book, is a book that gives information about life in England in the year one thousand and eighty six.
Book	He read the whole book in one day.
heir	The heir to his fortune will be very rich.
feudal	A baron is a feudal vassal holding his lands under a direct grant from the king.
system	The decimal numeral system has ten as its base.
oath	An oath is a promise made in the name of God or holy person.
noble	Noble is an important man in medieval times.
baron	A baron is a feudal vassal holding his lands under a direct grant from the king.

villein

A **villein** was a labourer forced to work on the land for a feudal lord.

peasants

Peasants were unimportant people who worked the land but did not own it.