

## Early Britain

### Multiple Choice Questions

1. **When did modern humans (Homo sapiens) first arrive in Britain?**

- A) Around 10,000 years ago
- B) Around 30,000 years ago
- C) Around 50,000 years ago
- D) Around 5,000 years ago

**Answer:** B) Around 30,000 years ago

2. **What new material did people start using during the Bronze Age?**

- A) Iron
- B) Stone
- C) Bronze
- D) Wood

**Answer:** C) Bronze

3. **Which famous monument was built around 2500 BC during the Neolithic period?**

- A) Hadrian's Wall
- B) Stonehenge
- C) Tower of London
- D) Big Ben

**Answer:** B) Stonehenge

4. **Which people are known for living in Britain during the Iron Age?**

- A) Romans
- B) Celts
- C) Anglo-Saxons
- D) Vikings

**Answer:** B) Celts

5. **When did the Romans invade Britain?**

- A) AD 43
- B) AD 597
- C) AD 793
- D) AD 410

**Answer:** A) AD 43

6. **What was the name of the wall built by the Romans to protect northern Britain?**

- A) The Great Wall
- B) Hadrian's Wall

- C) The Berlin Wall
- D) The Roman Wall

**Answer:** B) Hadrian's Wall

7. **Who was the Celtic queen who led a rebellion against the Romans in AD 60?**

- A) Boudicca
- B) Cleopatra
- C) Elizabeth I
- D) Victoria

**Answer:** A) Boudicca

8. **Which group settled in Britain after the Romans left in AD 410?**

- A) Celts
- B) Anglo-Saxons
- C) Vikings
- D) Romans

**Answer:** B) Anglo-Saxons

9. **Who brought Christianity to Britain in AD 597?**

- A) Julius Caesar
- B) Saint Patrick
- C) Augustine
- D) William the Conqueror

**Answer:** C) Augustine

10. **What year marks the beginning of Viking raids in Britain?**

- A) AD 1066
- B) AD 597
- C) AD 410
- D) AD 793

**Answer:** D) AD 793

### **True or False Questions**

1. The Stone Age people in Britain were farmers and lived in permanent homes.
  - **Answer:** False
2. The Beaker People introduced bronze to Britain around 2400 BC.
  - **Answer:** True
3. Hadrian's Wall was built to protect Britain from invasions by the Anglo-Saxons.
  - **Answer:** False (It was built to protect against invasions from tribes in Scotland.)
4. The Celts lived in roundhouses and believed in many gods.
  - **Answer:** True

5. The Romans ruled Britain for nearly 400 years.
  - **Answer:** True
6. Boudicca's rebellion was successful in driving the Romans out of Britain.
  - **Answer:** False (Her rebellion was defeated.)
7. After the Romans left, Britain was attacked by the Celts.
  - **Answer:** False (Britain was attacked by the Anglo-Saxons.)
8. Augustine became the first Archbishop of Canterbury in AD 597.
  - **Answer:** True
9. The Vikings came to Britain before the Romans.
  - **Answer:** False (The Romans came before the Vikings.)
10. The Anglo-Saxons built Hadrian's Wall.
  - **Answer:** False (The Romans built Hadrian's Wall.)

### Short Answer Questions

1. **What is the significance of Stonehenge, and when was it built?**
  - **Answer:** Stonehenge is a famous stone monument built around 2500 BC during the Neolithic period. It was likely used for religious ceremonies.
2. **Why did the Romans build Hadrian's Wall?**
  - **Answer:** The Romans built Hadrian's Wall in AD 122 to protect their northern border in Britain from attacks by tribes from what is now Scotland.
3. **Who were the Celts, and what were they known for?**
  - **Answer:** The Celts were tribes that lived in Britain during the Iron Age. They were known for their art, music, storytelling, and belief in many gods.
4. **What happened in AD 410, and why is it important?**
  - **Answer:** In AD 410, the Romans left Britain to defend other parts of their empire. This marked the end of Roman rule in Britain.
5. **Who was Boudicca, and what did she do?**
  - **Answer:** Boudicca was a Celtic queen who led a rebellion against the Romans in AD 60. Although she destroyed several Roman towns, her rebellion was eventually defeated.