

**Sturgeon/English 12**

**Introduction to British Literature (Anglo-Saxons and *Beowulf*)**

**Britain before the Anglo-Saxons (the Dark Ages – prehistory)**

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**Barbaric Celts**

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**Celtic Religion**

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**Celtic Women**

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**Roman Conquest**

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**Roman Contributions**

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**Angles, Saxons, and Jutes**

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## **Anglo- Saxon Civilization**

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## **Heroic Ideal**

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## **Christianity and Culture**

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## **First Danish Invasion**

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## **Alfred the Great**

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## **Second Danish Invasion and Norman Conquest**

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## **Anglo- Saxon Literature**

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## **Beowulf (c. 700 A.D.)**

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## **Epic Characteristics**

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