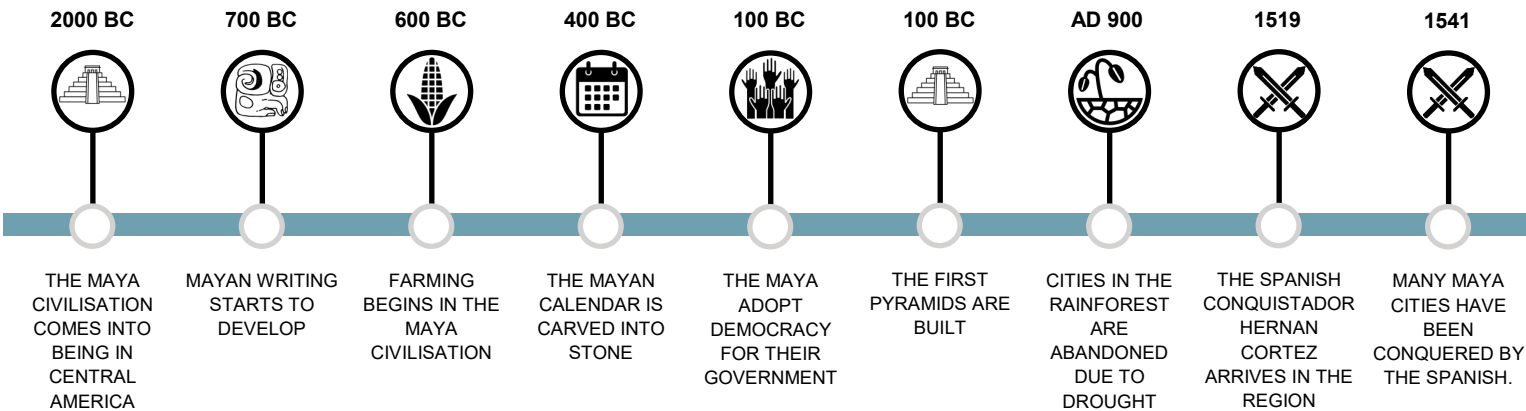


Year 4: How did the Maya civilisation compare to the Anglo-Saxons?

HISTORICAL CONTEXT



WHAT?



KEY VOCABULARY



ABANDON: To leave something and not return



CITY-STATE: A large, independent city running the surrounding area.



CIVILISATION: A complex society with a form of government and a system of



CONQUISTADOR: A conqueror from Spain from the 16th Century.



DECLINE: When something becomes less important, prominent or reduces in quality



DEFORESTATION: When forests in a large area are cut down.



DROUGHT: A period of time when an area experiences very low levels of



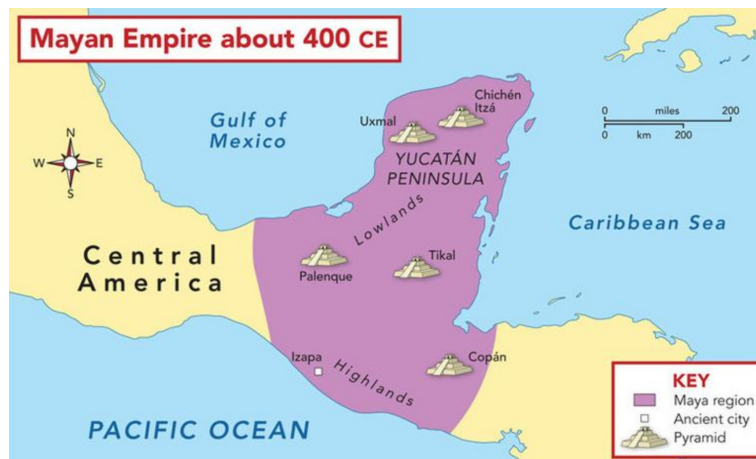
GLYPH: A character or symbol used as a part of written communication.

MAYA CITIES

Historians have learned more about cities from recent archaeological discoveries in the rainforest (e.g. hieroglyphics were discovered in the buildings).



CENTRAL AMERICA:



MAYA HOUSES



Maya lived in houses called **nah**