

The inflection of the _____ in the Germanic languages is much simpler than it was in indo- European times.

Select the correct option



verb



noun



adverb



pronoun



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Two streams mingle in Old English literature: the pagan and the-----.

Select the correct option

☒	Christian
☐	Goethic
☐	Romans
☐	Greeks

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'A History of the English Language' was written by

_____.

Select the correct option

☐	Geoffrey Chaucer
☐	William Black
☐	William Shakespeare
☒	Albert C. Baugh

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Norsemen and Normans were ----- in origin.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------|
| ☒ | Scandinavian |
| ☐ | Irish |
| ☐ | British |
| ☐ | Italian |

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'Who' and 'which' existed in the Old English but were indefinite or interrogative _____, not relatives.

Select the correct option

☐ adverbs

☐ nouns

☐ verbs

☒ pronouns

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Choose the best option.

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_____.

Select the correct option



French and Latin



Latin and Greek



Greek and French



Latin and French

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What is Stone Age?

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| ☐ | Lack of education |
| ☐ | Lack of infrastructure |
| ☒ | Stones used as weapons |
| ☐ | All the other |

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The most influential factor in the rise of _____ English was the importance of London as the capital of England.

Select the correct option

☐ middle

☒ standard

☐ old

☐ modern

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☐	William Black
☐	William Shakespeare



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Mark the following statement as True or False:
There was a great transition in 'spelling' from Old English to Middle English.

Select the correct option

☒	True
☐	False

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Adoption of _____ words into the English language took place in the 13th century.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|---------|
| ☐ | Roman |
| ☐ | Greek |
| ☐ | Italian |
| ☒ | French |

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The French language spread through _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------|
| ☐ | migration |
| ☐ | settlement |
| ☐ | trade |
| ☒ | intermarriage |

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Choose the best option.
Nearly all of Old English literature is preserved in _____
transcribed in this region.

Select the correct option

☒ manuscripts

☐ magazine

☐ encyclopedia

☐ journals

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Nearly a _____ of the strong verbs in Oxford English died out early in the Middle English period.

Select the correct option

☒	third
☐	fourth
☐	fifth
☐	sixth

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Which of the following is NOT the part of Roman conquest?

Select the correct option



Emperor Claudius



Julius Caesar



Boudicca



King James

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_____ was the language of the court and the upper classes; English was the speech of the masses.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|---------|
| ☐ | Roman |
| ☐ | Greek |
| ☐ | English |
| ☒ | French |

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Because of its _____ system, Old English had greater freedom of word-order than Modern English.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------|
| ☐ | language |
| ☐ | formation |
| ☐ | derivational |
| ☒ | inflectional |

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Two streams mingle in old English literature: the pagan and the _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| ☐ | Greeks |
| ☐ | Romans |
| ☐ | Gothic |
| ☒ | Christian |

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Choose the correct option.
French is the first language in England to challenge the monopoly of Latin in _____ matters.

Select the correct option

☒	written
☐	reading
☐	speaking
☐	official



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Select the correct order of the material according to the age:

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| ☐ | Gunpowder, stone, bronze, iron |
| ☐ | Gunpowder, stone, bronze, iron |
| ☐ | Bronze, iron, gunpowder, Stone |
| ☒ | Stone, bronze, iron, gunpowder |

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English is derived from _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|-------|
| ☐ | Celt |
| ☒ | Anglo |
| ☐ | Kent |
| ☐ | Saxon |

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All the legal vocabulary of English language has its origin in _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| ☐ | Greek |
| ☒ | French |
| ☐ | Italian |
| ☐ | Old English |

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Choose the correct option.
Geoffrey Chaucer's 'Canterbury Tales' were written in _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|------|
| ☒ | 1387 |
| ☐ | 1388 |
| ☐ | 1389 |
| ☐ | 1390 |

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The heathon god “Tiw” is named after _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| ☐ | Friday |
| ☐ | Thursday |
| ☐ | Wednesday |
| ☒ | Tuesday |

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The year in which Geoffrey Chaucer's Canterbury Tales were written was _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|------|
| ☒ | 1387 |
| ☐ | 1388 |
| ☐ | 1389 |
| ☐ | 1390 |

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In the 14th and 15th centuries, London was:

Select the correct option

☐ The political capital of England

☐ Commercial center of England

☐ Focus of the social & intellectual activities

☒ All the given options

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Bede in his Ecclesiastical History of the English People, completed in 731, tells us that the Germanic tribes that conquered England were _____.

Choose the correct option.

Select the correct option

☐	Jutes
☐	Saxons
☐	Angles
☒	All the other

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Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------|
| ☐ | Italian |
| ☐ | British |
| ☐ | Irish |
| ☒ | Scandinavian |

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Choose the correct option.
Romances owned by Richard II in 1385 were in _____,
but he spoke English fluently.

Select the correct option

☐ Italian

☒ French

☐ Greek

☐ Roman

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|----------------------------------|------|
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| ☐ | 1388 |
| ☐ | 1389 |
| ☐ | 1390 |

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An anti-foreign movement in England culminated in the _____ years' war.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|---------|
| ☐ | ten |
| ☐ | twenty |
| ☐ | fifty |
| ☒ | hundred |

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Due to the use of _____, there was an indirect effect on inflections (loss) and simplification of grammar.

Select the correct option



French



Old English



Italian



Roman



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Latin was the language of _____.

Choose the correct option.

Select the correct option

☐	Saxons
☐	Anglos
☒	Romans
☐	Greeks



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One of the consequences of the decay of inflections in Old English was the elimination of grammatical _____ in Middle English.

Select the correct option



gender



role



plural



all of the options

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The vowel sounds of Old English relate to early _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|------------|
| ☒ | West Saxon |
| ☐ | West Essex |
| ☐ | East Saxon |
| ☐ | East Essex |



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Choose the best option.

An important feature of the Germanic languages is declension. The weak declension is used when the _____ is preceded by article, demonstrative, or possessive pronoun.

Select the correct option

☒	noun
☐	verb
☐	pronoun
☐	adjective

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At the time of the Norman Conquest, the civilization of Normandy was _____.

Select the correct option

☐	Roman
☐	Greek
☐	Italian
☒	French

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Choose the correct option.

The literature in English that came down to us from the period (1150–1250) is almost exclusively _____.

Select the correct option



social



political



religious



moral

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On several occasions, Henry I confiscated the _____ estates of unruly Norman barons.

Select the correct option

☐	Greek
☐	Roman
☐	Italian
☒	English

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Write the name of the period from 450 to 1150.

Select the correct option



West Germanic English



Old English



Middle English



Medieval English

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In Old English, thou and thee were _____ pronouns.

Select the correct option



singular



plural



multiple



none of the given options

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Choose the correct option.
Chaucer's prioress spoke French, though she told her tale to the Canterbury pilgrims in _____.

Select the correct option

☐ Italian

☒ English

☐ Greek

☐ Roman

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Choose the best option.
Nearly all of Old English literature is preserved in -----
transcribed in this region.

Select the correct option



manuscripts



magazine



encyclopedia



journals

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The literature of the _____ is the richest and the most significant of any preserved literatures among the early Germanic people.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------|
| ☒ | Anglo-Saxons |
| ☐ | Celts |
| ☐ | Jutes |
| ☐ | Proto-germanic |

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Hundred Years' War is probably to be reckoned as one of the causes contributing to the disuse of _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|---------|
| ☐ | Roman |
| ☐ | Italian |
| ☒ | French |
| ☐ | English |



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Choose the correct option.
In early Middle English, only _____ method/s of indicating the plural remained fairly distinctive.

Select the correct option

☐	one
☒	two
☐	three
☐	four

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The inflection of the Old English _____ indicates distinctions of number(singular and plural)and case.

Select the correct option

☐	adjective
☐	adverb
☐	verb
☒	noun

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Choose the correct option.
In private and semi-official correspondence, French was at its height in about _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|------|
| ☒ | 1350 |
| ☐ | 1351 |
| ☐ | 1352 |
| ☐ | 1353 |

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Choose the best option.

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_____.

Select the correct option



French and Latin



Latin and Greek



Greek and French



Latin and French

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The Black Death spread rapidly in England, reaching its height in -----.

Select the correct option



1349



1350



1351



1352

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Choose the best option.

The differences that one notices between Old and Modern English concern spelling & pronunciation, and _____.

Select the correct option



lexicon & grammar



syntax & lexicon



syntax & grammar



grammar & lexicography

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Select the correct option



Italian



English



Greek



Roman

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Choose the correct option.

_____ was the language best understood by the upper classes in the 15th century.

Select the correct option



English



French



Italian



Roman

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_____ in old English were a fertile resource in word building and particularly a feature in the formation of verbs.

Select the correct option

☒	Prefixes
☐	Suffixes
☐	Root words
☐	Infixes

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Because of its _____ system, Old English had greater freedom of word-order than Modern English.

Select the correct option

☐ language

☐ formation

☐ derivational

☒ inflectional

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Choose the correct option.
The Middle English period ranging from _____ was marked by momentous changes in the English language.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| ☐ | 1100-1500 |
| ☐ | 1130-1500 |
| ☒ | 1150-1500 |
| ☐ | 1155-1500 |

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The Wales belongs to _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| ☐ | France |
| ☒ | Briton |
| ☐ | Newzeland |
| ☐ | Australia |

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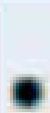
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By 1250, the 'strong declension' had distinctive forms for singular and plural only in certain _____ adjectives which ended in a consonant in Old English.

Select the correct option



monosyllabic



bi-syllabic



tri-syllabic



polysyllabic

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In old English, the vowel of the _____ tense often differs in the singular and plural.

Select the correct option



past



present



future



conditional

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In Middle English, the inflections are very much _____ compared to Old English.

Select the correct option



reduced



increased



enhanced



complicated

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Which one is not the meaning of English word "wealh"?

Select the correct option

☐	Native
☐	Welshman
☐	Briton
☒	Foreigner

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