Essential Questions

How did the Norman Invasion of England lead to Rights for All Americans?

How was the development of English government different than French government?
William the Conqueror
Battle of Hastings
1066
What inspires the invasion?

What body of water do the invaders have to cross?

What are some things the invaders do before the battle?

What is the ultimate result?

The Bayeux Tapestry (1070)
“for as the sentence of that strict and terrible last account cannot be evaded by any skilful subterfuge, so when this book is appealed to ... its sentence cannot be quashed or set aside with impunity. That is why we have called the book 'the Book of Judgement' ... because its decisions, like those of the Last Judgement, are unalterable.”
English Common Law
Magna Carte
Cornerstones of English Government

- Domesday Book
- Common Law
- Magna Carta
- Parliament
French Government

Estates General (1302)

1. Clergy
2. Nobility
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