

Cut out the dates and arrange them in order as a time line.

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| <p>1066 October</p> <p>William of Normandy beat King Harold at the Battle of Hastings.</p> | <p>1077</p> <p>The Bayeux Tapestry was completed.</p> | <p>1087</p> <p>William I died and his son became William II.</p> | <p>1066 January</p> <p>Edward the Confessor died and Harold became king.</p> | <p>1086</p> <p>The Domesday Book survey was completed.</p> | <p>1069</p> <p>William “harried” the north of England to stop rebellions, burning the ground.</p> | <p>1066 December</p> <p>William the Conqueror was crowned on Christmas Day.</p> | <p>1066 September</p> <p>Viking Harald Hardrada invaded but was beaten by King Harold.</p> |
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*Then cut out the pictures and match them to the dates. They are in a different order!



Challenge!

**Here are some more dates about Norman rulers. See if you can put them all in order. You could even draw some little pictures to go with them!

New vocabulary: Heir (said "air") – this means someone who will inherit something or become something when a person dies.

| 1135 | 1100 | 1066 | 1120 | 1139 | 1087 | 1154 | 1126 |
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| Henry I died. Stephen became king. | William II died. Henry I became king. | William I became king. | Henry's son and heir drowned at sea. | Matilda tried to claim the throne. | William I died. William II became king. | Stephen died. Matilda's son became Henry II. | Henry I chose his daughter Matilda to be his heir. |