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Can you remember what you saw in Dublinia?

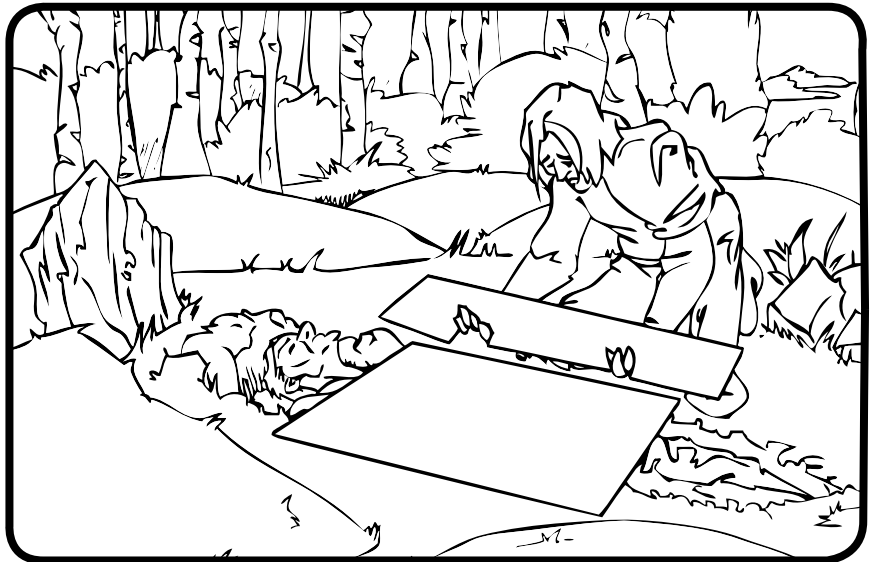
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A Viking burial

At Dublinia you saw a Viking warrior being buried in a grave. Two items were buried with him. Can you remember what they were?

Draw the items in the spaces below and write what they were:

This Viking was buried with a and a .



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A Viking wharf

The Vikings bought and sold people as slaves. At Dublinia you met a slave master who was selling a young girl as a slave.

Answer the questions below:

1 How would you have felt if you were this slave girl?

2 How would you have felt if you were the slave master?



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A Viking house

In the Viking house you heard how the Vikings built their houses. They built them from wooden posts and mud. This technique was called 'wattle and daub'. A line of wooden posts was stuck into the ground. Twigs and branches were woven between them to make the wall strong. The walls were covered with mud and even animal dung! This kept the house warm but it probably smelled too.

Look at the picture of the Viking house below. Circle the five objects that do not belong here.



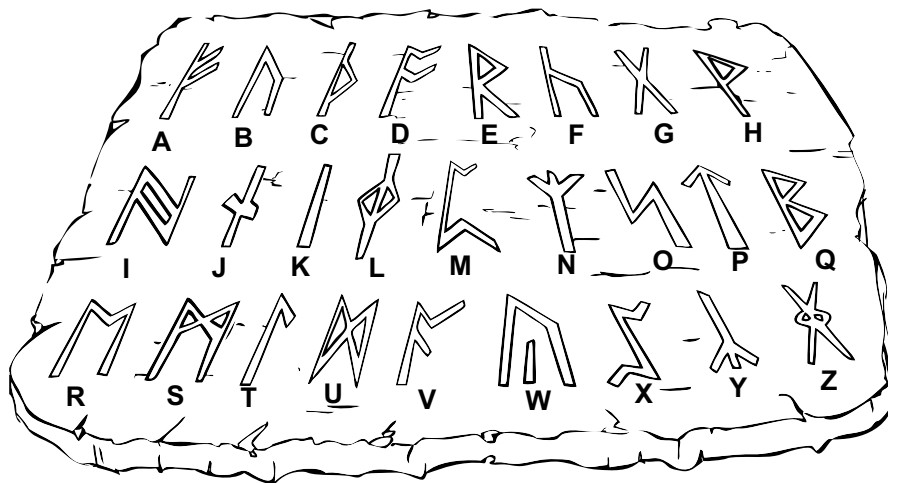
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Viking rune letters

In Dublinia you learned that the Vikings lived in a time before people had pens, pencils or even paper. They had their own alphabet called the Futhark, which was different from ours. The letters were called runes.

Using the Futhark write 'The Vikings are cool' in rune letters.





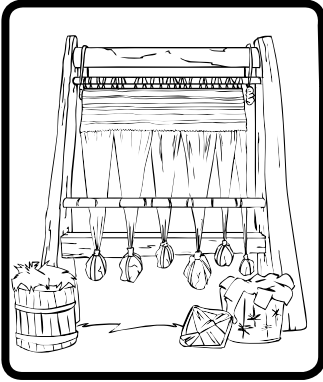
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Viking objects

Write down what you think these objects were used for in Viking times. Use the hints to help you.

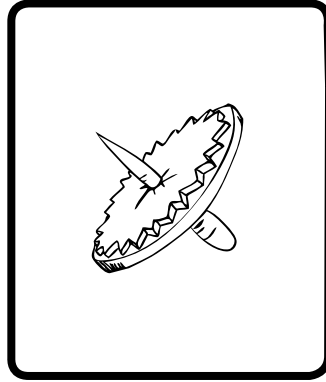


You will have seen some strange-looking objects when you walked through Dublinia's Viking exhibition.



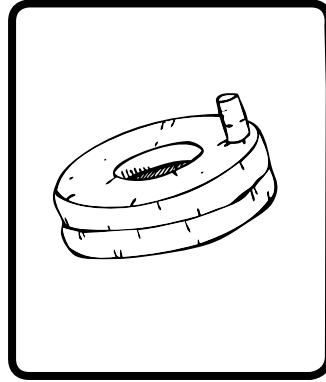
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Hint: There was a lady weaving something with this



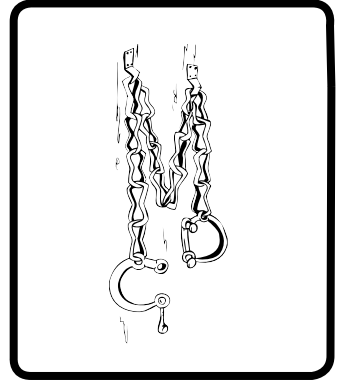
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Hint: This was helpful to sailors on a ship



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Hint: You saw a girl using this in the Viking house



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Hint: You would not like to have these around your neck

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Crossword

Answer the questions and finish the crossword.

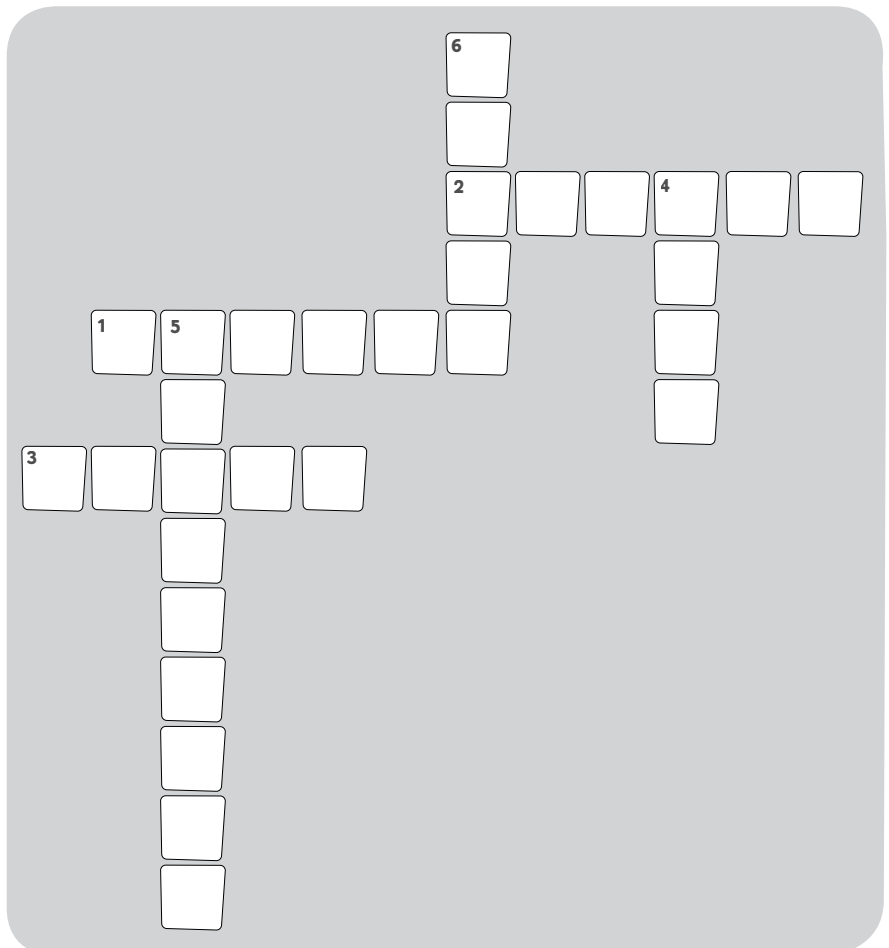


Across

- 1 The Vikings bought and sold people as what? (6 letters)
- 2 The Vikings came to Dublin from this country (6 letters)
- 3 Whom did the Vikings attack in the monasteries? (5 letters)

Down

- 4 The Vikings made their houses out of posts made from this material (4 letters)
- 5 Their ships were called this (9 letters)
- 6 Viking letters are called this (5 letters)



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Think spot

Daily life in Viking times included rearing animals such as pigs, sheep and cows. The Vikings used animal parts such as antler, horn and bone to make useful objects.



Answer the questions below:

- 1 Beside the wharf there was a woman weaving on a loom. What animal material was she using to weave with?

- 2 You might have noticed the slave master was wearing a pair of shoes. What animal part were his shoes made from?

- 3 In the Viking house there was an instrument hanging up. If you blow into it, it makes a loud sound. What was this made from?



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Extra challenge

We have seen that the Vikings lived long before many things were invented. They did not have computers, electricity and mobile phones. Think about what you saw at Dublinia.



Write 'before' or 'after' in the blank spaces below to make a full sentence.

- 1 St Patrick visited Ireland the Vikings came.
- 2 Paper, pens and pencils were used in Ireland the Viking era.
- 3 Dublin grew into a big city the Vikings lived there.
- 4 The Anglo-Normans arrived in Dublin the Vikings had settled there.