

# ANGLO-SAXON AND NORMAN ENGLAND INTERACTIVE

## CHANGES IN LANDHOLDINGS

### Reasons for the changes in land ownership



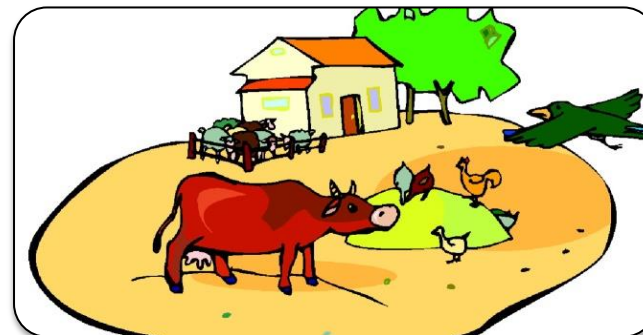
#### **Forfeit**

Land was taken away as a punishment for disloyalty to the William e.g. rebellion.



#### **New Earldoms**

William owned all the land so it was his right to create new earldoms e.g. the Marcher Earldoms.



#### **Illegal Grabs**

Some Anglo-Saxons were unable to prove ownership of their land. Some Normans took advantage of this.