



PICTURES OF THE PAST

Roman and Anglo-Saxon Canterbury

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Look at the reconstruction drawings side by side. What are your first impressions?

The ruins of some Roman buildings were still standing in Anglo-Saxon times. Can you see any in the Anglo-Saxon picture? Note them down.

In each picture, look at the **landscape**, the types of **buildings** and the **materials** people used. Note down some observations. What would you say about each culture?

Roman Canterbury

Anglo-Saxon Canterbury

Archaeologists find more remains of Roman buildings than Anglo-Saxon ones. Why do you think this is?



RECONSTRUCTING ROMAN CANTERBURY

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The reconstruction drawing was made after examining a lot of archaeological evidence found on 'digs' in the town (excavations).

There are different types of building in the picture. Identify and list three principal ones.

List the types of materials the Roman builders used.

Looking at the picture, what kinds of jobs (occupations) did people have?

Do you think many or a few people lived in Roman Canterbury? Give your reasons.