

Early Elizabethan England – The Spanish Armada - Recall Quiz Answers

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Recall the Facts

1. When was the Armada first spotted off the coast of England?

2. Why could the Battle of Plymouth be considered a non-event?

3. Why was the battle for the Isle of Wight a serious blow for the Armada?

4. How did the English attack the Spanish at Gravelines?

5. How did poor communication between the Duke of Medina-Sidonia and the Duke of Palma cause serious problems for the Armada?

6. Why were the Spanish unable to use the deep-water ports at Ostend?

7. How did the Spanish respond to the English fire ships?

8. What advantage did English ships have over Spanish ships?

9. Why was being near to the English coast an advantage for the English fleet?

10. What did Phillip II mean when he said, " I sent you to fight against the English, not against the elements"?

