

Guess the Word!

These are the letters used in Old English which we no longer use:

Letter Name	Lower Case	Upper Case	Sound
Ash	æ	Æ	Can be short 'a' or long 'ah'
Eth	ð	Ð	th
Thorn	þ	Þ	th
Wynn	ƿ	ƿ	w
Yogh	ȝ	ȝ	g, j, y, x, w

Now see if you can work out what these Old English words mean:

eald _____

nett _____

æppel _____

cwæn _____

ban _____

hring _____

bruder _____

wif _____

bealcan _____

winter _____

clawu _____

lif _____

hus _____

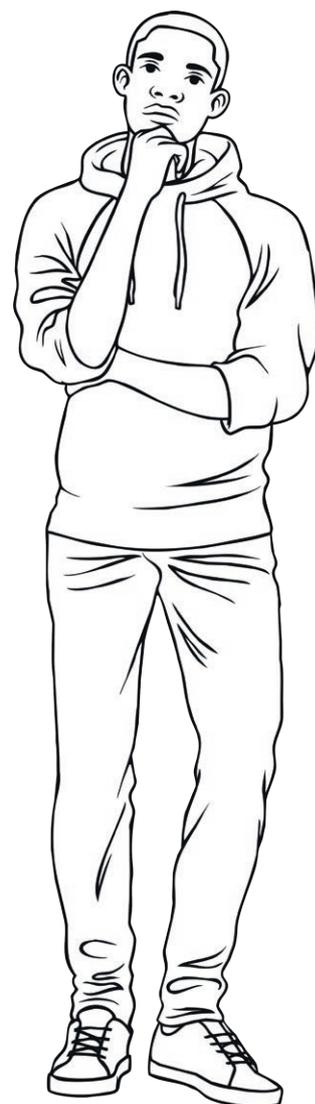
wifmann _____

hel _____

lēogre _____

cynn _____

brēad _____



Guess the Word! Answers

eald - old

nett - net

æppel - apple

cwæn - queen

bane - bone

hring - ring

bruder - brother

wif - wife

bealcan - belch

winter - winter

clawu - claw

lif - life

Hus - house

wifmann - woman

hel - hell

lēogre - laugh

cynn - kin

bread - bread