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(c.790–c.1066)

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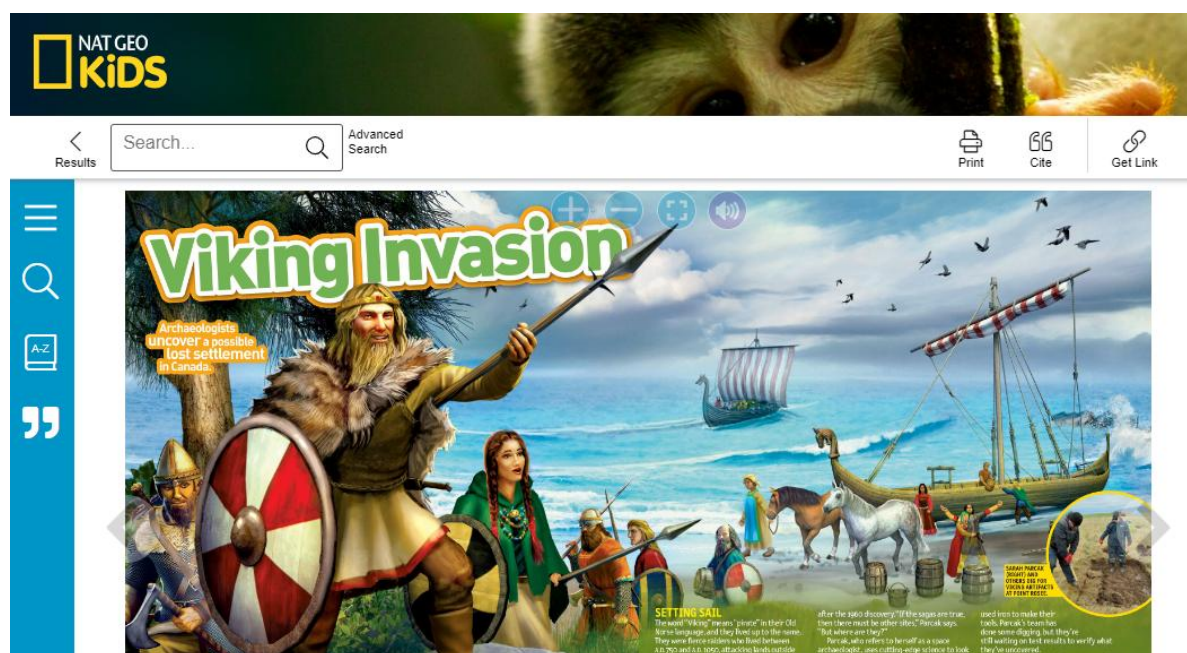
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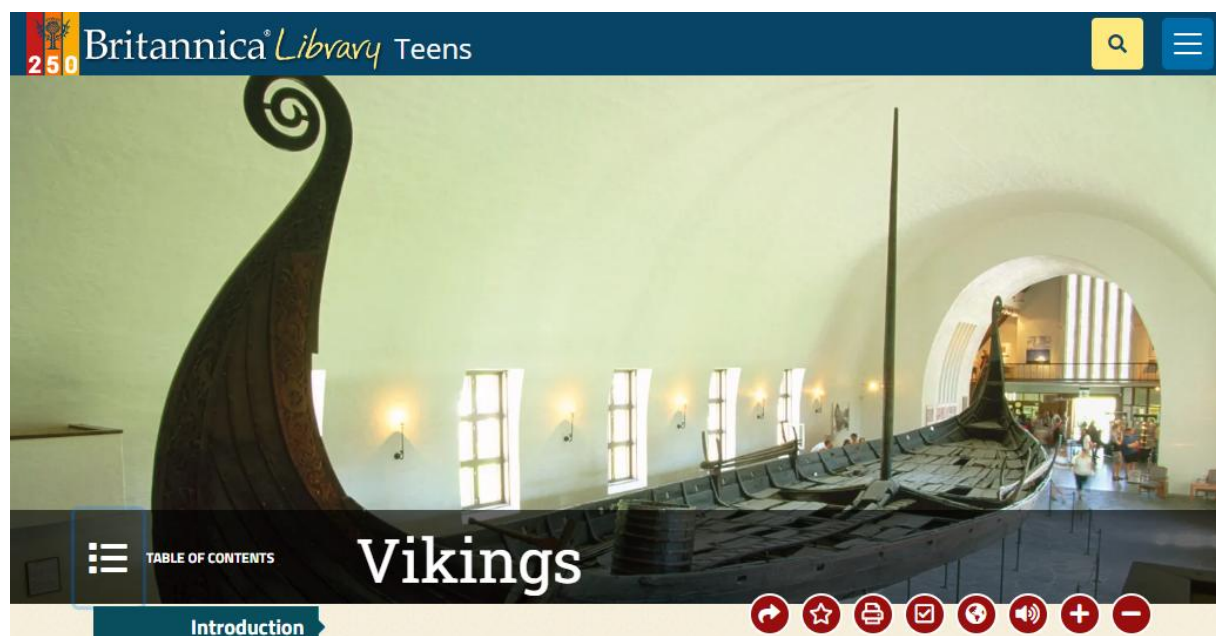


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 Authors: Heather Pringle, Robert Clark, and David Gutterfren

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