

Woodlands Academy

Year 6

Henry VIII: Hero or Villain?



Tudor Vocabulary and Definitions:

Monarch- A leader of a country, e.g. a King or Queen.

Heir- The person next in line to throne who will take over when the current King or Queen dies. **Reign**- The period of time that a monarch rules.

Church of England- Henry VIII created the Church of England so that he could divorce his first wife. The Catholic church did not permit divorce.

Reformation - The act of changing (reforming) something. In this case the reformation of the church to remove the Pope's control.

Pope- The head of the Roman Catholic Church.

Divorce- The legal end of a marriage.

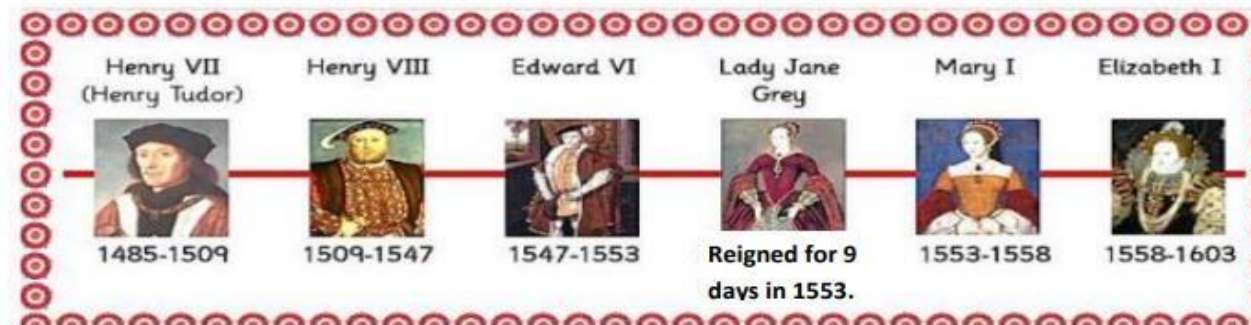
Execution- Being put to death.

Treason- to betray your country or monarch.

Beheading- A punishment which resulted in your head being chopped off with an axe. **Gallows**- A wooden structure where people were hung by a piece of rope around their neck.

Sticks- A block of wood with two holes for your hands and a hole for your head to go in. Local people threw rubbish and rotten food at the people in the sticks.

Tudor Monarchs Timeline



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The Spanish Armada timeline 12th

July 1588 The Spanish Armada sets sail from Spain
19th July 1588 The English see the Armada. After seeing the Armada ships, English ships chase them up the English Channel.
27th July 1588 The Armada anchors off Calais. The English send burning ships at the Armada. The Spanish panic!
28th July 1588 English ships attack the Armada near Gravelines in the Netherlands. As the Spanish sailed off from Calais they were attacked by the English. This meant that they could not stop to pick up more soldiers waiting for them in the Netherlands
30th July 1588 The Armada tries to make it back to Spain by going around the coast of Scotland.
August Fierce storms off Scotland and the west coast of Ireland wreck many Spanish ships.
September Only two-thirds of the Armada war ships make it back to Spain.



The Six Wives of Henry VIII



Catherine of Aragon
m. 1509 - 1533
Divorced



Anne Boleyn
m. 1533 - 1536
Executed



Jane Seymour
m. 1536 - 1537
Died



Anne of Cleves
m. 1540 Jan. - July
Divorced



Kathryn Howard
m. 1540 - 1542
Executed



Katherine Parr
m. 1543 - 1547
Widowed

Key Facts

1. There were six Tudor monarchs who ruled England from 1485 to 1603.
2. Tudor England had 2 of the strongest monarchs ever to sit on the English throne: Henry VIII & his daughter Elizabeth I.
3. The Tudor rose was created when Henry VII brought an end to the Wars of the Roses. He joined the White Rose of York with the Red Rose of Lancaster to create the Tudor Rose.
4. Religion was very important in Tudor times. Everyone had to go to church. If you didn't attend the same church as the monarch you might get arrested, thrown into the Tower of London, or even executed.
5. Henry VIII broke away from the Catholic church and created the Protestant Church of England so that he could divorce his first wife. He went on to have six wives, beheading two of them.