



# Year 5 Kings And Queens Knowledge Organiser



Dynasties	
1042 - 1066	Saxon
1066 - 1154	Norman
1154 - 1399	Plantagenet
1399 - 1461	Lancaster
1461 - 1485	York
1485 - 1603	Tudor
1603 - 1649	Stuart
1649 - 1660	Commonwealth
1660 - 1714	Stuart
1714 - 1901	Hanover
1901 - 1910	Saxe-Coburg-Gotha
1910 - present day	Windsor

## Significant Places



### Buckingham Palace

The London residence of the reigning monarch.



### Westminster Abbey

Originally built by Edward the Confessor. Where coronations take



### Tower of London

Originally built by William the Conqueror. Protector of the crown jewels.

## Significant Monarchs



### King Charles I

Reigned 1625 - 1649

Had several disagreements with Parliament during his reign.

For 11 years Charles ruled

the country without Parliament and imposed his own taxes

The start of the English Civil War began during his reign and Parliament had Charles I executed.



### Queen Victoria

Reigned 1837 - 1901

Victoria became queen when she 18 years old.

In 1840 she married her cousin, Albert, and eventually gave him the name Prince Consort.

They had nine children together.

When Albert died in 1861, Victoria spent the rest of her life wearing black clothes.



### Queen Elizabeth II

Longest ever reigning monarch.

Elizabeth's coronation was the first ever to be shown on TV.

Celebrated Platinum

Jubilee in 2022. (70 years on the throne.)

Died 8<sup>th</sup> September 2022.

Her successor King Charles III is now the current reigning monarch.

## Key Vocabulary

<b>abdicate</b>	Give up, such as power, as of monarchs and emperors.
<b>commonwealth</b>	A political system in which power lies in a body of citizens.
<b>coronation</b>	The ceremony of installing a new monarch.
<b>descendant</b>	A person considered as coming from some ancestor or race.
<b>dynasty</b>	A series of leaders in the same family, like the British Royal Family.
<b>hereditary</b>	Inherited or inheritable by established rules of descent.
<b>illegitimate</b>	Contrary to or forbidden by law.
<b>interregnum</b>	The time between two reigns or governments.
<b>line of succession</b>	The order in which individuals are expected to succeed one another in some official position.
<b>monarch</b>	A nation's ruler usually by hereditary right.
<b>protestant</b>	A member or follower of any of the Western Christian Churches that is separate from the Roman Catholic Church.
<b>reign</b>	Royal authority; the dominion of a monarch.
<b>sovereign</b>	A nation's ruler usually by hereditary right.