



## British History—Year 1 Yellow class

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#### Key Vocabulary

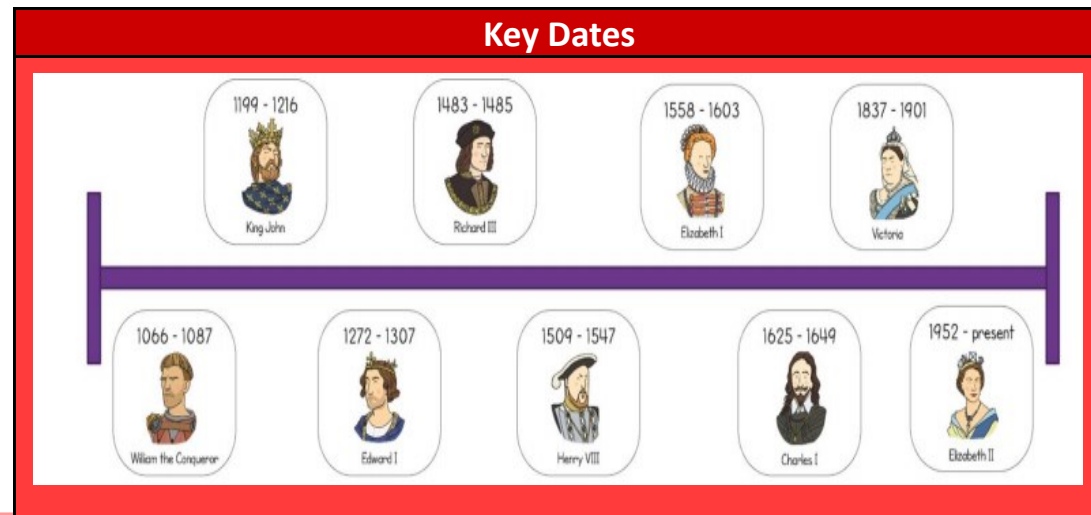
royal	A King or Queen or member of their family.
monarch	A King, Queen or Emperor who rules a country.
reign	The time that a monarch rules a country.
heir	The person who is going to become King or Queen next.
Government	The people who are in charge of Queen Elizabeth II running the country.
Prime Minister	The head of the government.
Buckingham Palace	The Palace where the monarch of the United Kingdom lives when they are in London.



#### Overview

Where does the Queen live?  
 Where is Buckingham Palace?  
 Who is in the Queen's family?  
 What does the Queen do?  
 When was the Queen born?  
 When did the Queen first become Queen?

#### Key Dates



## British History: Year 1

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#### Key Knowledge

##### Interesting Facts

- The Queen has a special song about her called 'The National Anthem'.
- Queen Elizabeth II has celebrated her Golden and Diamond Jubilees and has served for 64 years so far - she is the longest-reigning monarch!
- Queen Elizabeth is the first queen to become 90 years old.



- The Queen has two birthdays: when she was really born and the second Saturday of June to celebrate Her Majesty becoming Queen.

#### Key Knowledge

**Date of coronation:**  
2nd June 1953.



**Date of birth:**  
21st April 1926.

