

Topics in this cycle: The Stuarts	Taught: Summer 2	Year Group: 7
Key knowledge/concepts to be learnt ('Tell me about...')		Websites/blogs/YouTube links and further reading to deepen and consolidate learning
<p>Causes of the English Civil War</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Know the causes of the English Civil War – Religion, Money, Power • Extended Writing - Causation <p>Events of the English Civil War</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recall the major battles of the English Civil War – Edgehill, Marston Moor, and Naseby • Why did Parliament win the English Civil War – Leadership, Mistakes, Organisation, Support, Motivation • Extended Writing - Significance <p>The Trial of Charles I</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What happened at Charles I's execution • Extended Writing – Consequence <p>Charles I's Execution</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What happened if you refused to fight in the war • The reaction of the people to the King's death <p>Oliver Cromwell</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluate whether Oliver Cromwell can be seen as a 'hero' or a 'villain' in England after 1649 • Extended Writing – How far do you agree? <p>The Restoration</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How the monarchy was restored in 1660 – Declaration of Breda • Changes under the rule of Charles II 		<p>The English Civil Wars - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zk4cwmn/articles/zxxgg7h </p> <p>The Execution of Charles I - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zk4cwmn/articles/z3jyydm </p> <p>Who was Oliver Cromwell? - https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zk4cwmn/articles/zg6ccmn </p> <p>The British Civil Wars (Video) - https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/articles/z4kdf4j </p> <p>Horrible Histories (The Chaotic Civil War) - https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/m001wspw/horrible-histories-series-10-9-the-chaotic-civil-war </p>

Key Vocabulary and Definitions To Be Learnt		What Will The Assessment Look Like?
Civil War	A conflict where both sides are from the same country.	Unit test: 1 hour <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Short answer questions x 10 • Extended writing question: Significance – Why did Parliament win the English Civil War (How far do you agree?)
Parliamentarians or Roundheads	A supporter of the Parliament in the English Civil War.	
Royalists or Cavaliers	A supporter of the King in the English Civil War.	
New Model Army	A standing army formed by the Parliament in 1645 (highly trained and disciplined).	
Treason	An act against the government or King.	Family Learning Opportunities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create the Stuart family tree with key figures like James VI and I (who also became James I of England), Mary Queen of Scots, Charles I, and Charles II. • Create a timeline with all the Battles from the English Civil War. • Research other key events from the Stuart Era such as the Gunpowder Plot (1605), the Great Fire of London (1666) and the Great Plague (1665/6)
Traitor	A person who betrays someone or something.	
Major-Generals	Appointed from 1655 to 1657 to govern an English county and punish those who opposed Cromwell's rule.	
Restoration	The period when Charles II restored the Stuart Monarchy to England, Scotland and Ireland, 1660 to 1688.	