



the Tudors

The Tudors were a Welsh-English family that ruled England and Wales from 1485 to 1603 - one of the most exciting periods of British history. They ruled for 118 years.

They are famous for many things, including Henry VIII and his six wives, the exploration of America and the plays of William Shakespeare. It also marked the end of the Catholic Church in England. During 118 years of Tudor rule, England became richer than ever before. As the country became wealthier, towns grew, beautiful houses were built and schools and colleges were set up. Arts and crafts flourished too. England was home to great painters, writers and musicians.

From <http://www.woodland-junior.kent.sch.uk/Homework/tudors>

Henry VII (reign : _____ - _____)

<http://www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/Homework/tudors/kings/henry7.htm>

What event marked the beginning of Henry VII's reign ?

Who was the king before him ?

Who did Henry VII marry ?

Who succeeded him ? What family link did they have ?



Henry VIII (reign : _____ - _____)

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/famouspeople/flash/index.shtml?page=master.swf>

click on "Henry VIII" and on "learn"

Where did he live ?

What did he enjoy doing ?

What did he wear ?

What kind of food did he eat ?



Henry VIII's wives : <http://www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/Homework/tudors/kings/wives.html>
<http://www.quia.com/hm/321566.html>

Divorced, beheaded, died; Divorced, beheaded, survived
This popular rhyme tells of the fate of Henry VIII's six wives



1st wife's name :
Wedding date :
Number of children (with Henry VIII) & name(s):
What happened to her ?



2nd wife's name :
Wedding date :
Number of children & name(s):
What happened to her ?



3rd wife's name :
Wedding date :
Number of children & name(s):
What happened to her ?



4th wife's name :
Wedding date :
Number of children & name(s):
What happened to her ?



5th wife's name :
Wedding date :
Number of children & name(s):
What happened to her ?



6th wife's name :
Wedding date :
Number of children & name(s):
What happened to her ?

Edward VI (reign : _____ - _____)

<http://www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/Homework/tudors/kings/edward6.htm>



- Who were his parents ?
- How old was he when he became king ?
- Who ran the country ?
- What did he like ?
- How old was he when he died ?

Lady Jane Grey (reign : _____ - _____)

<http://www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/Homework/tudors/kings/edward6.htm#jane>

- What was her religion ?
- How long did she reign ?



Mary I (reign : _____ - _____)

<http://www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/Homework/tudors/kings/mary1.htm>



- Who were her parents ?
- What was her religion ?
- Why is her nickname "bloody Mary" ?
- Who did she marry ?
- What were her hobbies ?

Elizabeth I (reign : _____ - _____)

<http://www.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/Homework/tudors/kings/elizabeth1.htm>

- Who were her parents ?
- What was her religion ?
- Why is her nickname "the virgin queen" ?
- Who became king or queen after her ?

