

# LI: To know the Kings and Queens in the Tudor Dynasty

**Part 1: Answer these questions to remind yourself of the things we have learnt in previous lessons. Brief answers are ok, you don't need to write long sentences.**

1). Which King ended the War of the Roses?

Henry Tudor / Henry VII

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2). Who was Henry VIII's first wife?

Catherine of Aragon

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3). Which of Henry's wives gave him a son?

Jane Seymour

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4). Name Henry VIII's three children.

Mary, Elizabeth, Edward

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5). What were Henry VIII's three big problems?

No male heir / so to become king after him. Pope wouldn't let him divorce Catherine of Aragon. Spending lots so running out of money.

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6). How did splitting from the Catholic Church help Henry solve these problems?

He no longer needed the Pope's permission to divorce so could marry someone else and try to have a son with them. He took land, buildings and treasure from the Catholic Churches in England.

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7). List three things on which Henry VIII spent his money?

Any three of these: his first Christmas; food and drink; clothes ; palaces; war, navy, castles and forts.

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8). Why were the Device Forts / Henrician Castles built on the south coast of England?

To stop invasion from France or Spain.

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9). Why was it important for Henry to build a large navy?

To prevent ships from France or Spain reaching the English coast.

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10). What was the Mary Rose?

Henry's favourite ship / his flag ship.

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***Now read the next page carefully and answer before looking at Parts 2 and 3 on the final page.***

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## **Part 2: Memorise the Tudor Kings and Queen in order.**

Use this memory aid to help you: H-HELMET. It's the first letters of the names of the Kings and Queens.

Henry VII – Henry VIII – Edward VI – Lady Jane Grey – Mary I – Elizabeth I – Tudors!

## **Part 3: Answer these questions about each of the Tudor Monarchs. Explain your answers in more detail where you need to.**

1). Why did Henry Tudor's oldest son not become King?

Arthur died before his father did.

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2). List Henry's wives in order and the names of their child, if they had one. (You might need to look back at previous work to help you with this question).

Catherine of Aragon (Mary); Anne Boleyn (Elizabeth); Jane Seymour (Edward); Anne of Cleves; Catherine Howard; Catherine Parr.

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3). Why did Edward want his cousin to become Queen after him?

Edward was a Protestant. His cousin, Lady Jane Grey, was a Protestant like him but Mary (his half-sister) was Catholic.

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4). For how long was Lady Jane Grey Queen of England?

9 days.

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5). Explain what did Mary I tried to do and why she did it.

Mary was a Catholic so she tried to return England to being a Catholic country. She tried to give lands and buildings back to the Catholic Church but Parliament stopped her.

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6). What did the people call Elizabeth I? Why did they call her these names?

Gloriana or Good Queen Bess. She was a popular and well-liked Queen.

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