Unit Outcomes and Rationale

- Develop a chronological understanding of British history.
- Understand how the monarchy exercised absolute power.
- Understand the changing nature of religion in Britain and its impact.

This builds on the Year 4 learning of Anglo-Saxons as a period of history in Britain. Plus, it provides a useful comparison to life in different civilisations from across the world at different stages of history.

Important Things I Will Know

- King Henry VIII had 6 wives and killed two of them.
- King Henry VIII changed the national religion from Catholic to Protestant.
- Elizabeth I reigned for over 50 years and saw life in Britain change dramatically.
- Tudor houses have a distinct style and can be seen in Canterbury still today.
- Family dynasties dominate the history of the British Royal Family.



The Tudor Rose was made by combining the Yorkshire white rose and the Lancashire red rose.



The Six Wives of Henry VIII



Divorced, beheaded, died,

divorced, beheaded, survived.



Oueen Elizabeth I

Disciplinary Concepts

Sources of evidence.

Historical interpretations.

Change and continuity.

Cause and consequence.

Similarities and differences.

Historical enquiry

Posing historical questions.

Gathering, organising and evaluating evidence.

Evaluating and drawing conclusions.

Communicating findings.

Substantive concepts

Power (monarchy, government and empire).

Beliefs.

Civilisation (social and cultural).

Trade.

Achievements and follies of mankind.

Important	Vocabulary	I Will	Learn and Use	

Monarchy	A form of government that has a single person (known as a monarch) at its head.	
Royal	Is connected to the monarch or their family.	
Henry VIII	A king of England—famous for having 6 wives and starting the protestant religion in England.	
Source	A place of information, can be primary or secondary.	0
Propaganda	Information that is used to make the public feel a particular way.	
Tyrant	A ruler who governs with unfairness and cruelty. They have absolute power.	
Inventory	A list of items that detail what is in a place. Can be used for tax purposes.	5 (1 (2 (2 (2 (2 (3 (3 (4 (3 (4 ((4 (4 ((4 (4 ((4 (4 ((4 (4 ((4 (4 (
Royal progress	The monarch visits a town with all of their staff. The town has to cater for the visit.	Å [®]

