

# History—Year 1—Who were Britain’s famous monarchs?

## Key Knowledge



Elizabeth I was a monarch.

The period of time when Elizabeth I reigned, was called ‘The Elizabethan age’ because of her name.

Elizabeth I never married or had children which was unusual at the time.

Queen Victoria was a monarch.

The period of time when Queen Victoria reigned was called ‘The Victorian Era’ because of her name.

She married Prince Albert and had lots of children. She was very sad when he died.

Queen Victoria ruled a huge **empire** made up of lots of countries.

During Queen Victoria’s reign there were lots of new inventions including the electric light bulb, public toilets and ice cream!

Queen Elizabeth II was the longest reigning monarch in British history.

## Key People



Queen Elizabeth I



Queen Victoria



Queen Elizabeth II



King Charles III

## Key Places



**Buckingham Palace** is the place where the monarch carries out duties



The **Houses of Parliament** is where laws are made for the United Kingdom



## Vocabulary



democracy	parliament
different	past
Elizabethan	power
empire	present
era	Prime minister
famous	queen
Invention	reign
leader	same
king	Victorian
monarch	

## Timeline of Key Events

Jesus was born.

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Queen Elizabeth I became queen.

1558

Queen Victoria became queen.

1837

Queen Elizabeth II became queen.

1952

Queen Elizabeth II died.  
King Charles became king.

2022

Themes— Legacy and Change. Monarchy. Democracy. Diversity and Equality.