

History

All children – regardless of gender, starting point or background – will have the opportunity to engage with a high-quality history education. They will be equipped with the knowledge, skills and vocabulary to ask perceptive questions, think critically, weigh evidence, sift arguments and develop perspective and judgement, to provide an understanding of chronology, knowledge of significant individuals and events. We intend to inspire a sense of enjoyment and curiosity about history.

Comparison of Queen Victoria and Queen Elizabeth II

Spring 2

Igniting Prior Knowledge:

Year 1 (Florence Nightingale & the British Victorian Monarchy)

- Queen Victoria ruled England over 180 years ago. This was known as the Victorian era
- Queen Victoria was born in 1819, married to Albert and had nine children.
- That period of time is known as Victorian.
- Florence Nightingale is one of the most famous Victorians.



Key Vocabulary:

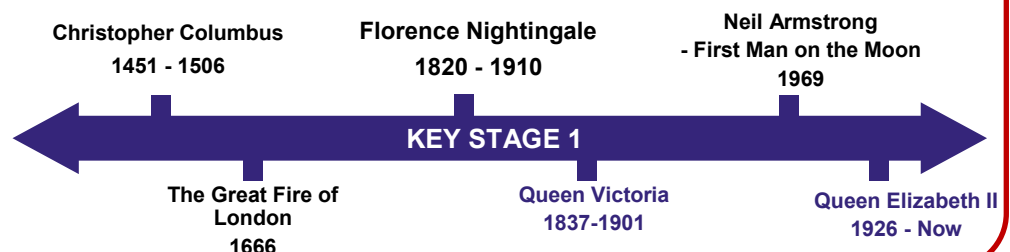
- Research
- Monarch
- Monarchy
- British Monarchy
- Reign(ed)
- Queen Elizabeth II
- King Charles III
- Commonwealth

New Knowledge:

- We can use research to answer questions about the past.
- A monarch is a King or Queen (or emperor/empress), who is usually part of a Royal Family.
- A monarchy is a country or countries ruled by a monarch.
- Monarchies were once common throughout the world, but now they are rare.
- Our monarchy is known as the British Monarchy.
- King Charles III is our current monarch.
- Queen Victoria's rule began in 1837, and she reigned over Britain and its Empire for over 60 years.
- Queen Victoria ordered the building of Buckingham Palace.
- Queen Elizabeth II's rule began in 1952 and was our queen for 70 years.
- The British Empire came to an end, because countries wanted to be independent and Queen Elizabeth helped them do this.
- Queen Elizabeth introduced the commonwealth.
- QE is Britain's longest serving - previously it was Queen Victoria.



Where does it fit in?



Empires & Monarchy