

Year History: January - April

The Stewards: The English Civil War

Key knowledge: Things I need to be able to do:



I can describe the steps to civil war.			
I can describe the view point of both Cromwell and King Charles.			
I can explain the factors that led to the English Civil War.			
I can explain why neither King Charles or Oliver Cromwell would give up.			
I can describe both Parliamentarian and Royalist soldiers, their weapons and tactics.			
I can explain why Cromwell had the King executed.			
I can explain why Cromwell refused to be called a king when he ruled England and why he chose the title Lord Protector.			
I can describe the attack on Drogheda.			
I can explain why Cromwell acted as he did at Drogheda and why others said he went too far.			
I can evaluate and assess Cromwell over the period of the Civil War and after to reach a developed judgement on him as a leader.			

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KEY QUOTES

“I tell you we will cut off his head with the crown upon it .”

Cromwell to one of the judges at the trial of King Charles I.1648.

Key Term	Definition	Key Skills in this Unit
Parliament	The place and organisation where politicians discuss how to run the country.	<p>Develop a wider knowledge of different political systems and forms of government.</p> <p>Explore the different methodologies used to enforce control including civil war and rebellion.</p> <p>Assess methods of control using increasing contextual knowledge and understanding of both The King's and Cromwell's actions to make judgements.</p> <p>Use contextual knowledge with sources reach a judgement on Cromwell and consolidate learning on control and rebellion.</p>
Government	A group of people who help the King to run the country or run it themselves.	
Divine Right	The King's right to rule which has been given to him by god.	
Civil War	A war between two sides from the same country.	
Roundheads	Soldiers who fight for Parliament to rule England.	
Cavillers	Soldiers who fight for the King to rule England.	