Knowledge Organiser: Was the Reformation a 'good thing'?

| The Catholic Church faced criticism in the 16th | | Chronology: what happened on these dates? | | Vocabulary: define these words | |
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| century, leading to the Reformation. Some rulers left it and set up their own churches, causing plots, revolts and wars. | | 1534 | Henry VIII declares himself head of the Church of England. | Tudor | The English royal dynasty which held the throne from Henry VII in 1485 until the death of Elizabeth I in 1603. |
| Summarise your learning | | 1536 | The process of dissolving England's monasteries begins. | Dynasty | A line of hereditary rulers of a country. |
| Topic 1: How the Tudors came to power. | Henry Tudor defeated Richard III at the Battle of Bosworth. | 1547 | Edward VI becomes king and begins to accelerate the Reformation in England. | Protestant | A group of Christians, who broke away from the Catholic Church. |
| | | 1553 | Mary I becomes queen and tries to reverse the Reformation in England. | Catholic | A group of Christians that follow the Catholic Church and the Pope. |
| Topic 2: Criticisms of the Catholic | The quality and practices of the Church were criticised by Martin Luther. This led to the Reformation. | 1559 | Elizabeth I succeeds Mary and sets up her own Religious Settlement. | Reformation | A movement that divided the Christian Church in Europe. |
| Church | | 1603 | James I becomes king of England and persecuted the Catholics further. | Annulment | Declaration that a marriage is invalid. |
| Topic 3: Henry's 'Great Matter' | Henry VIII wanted a divorce and had to break from Rome to get one. | | | Transubstantiation | The belief that Jesus Christ is physically present in the bread and wine during mass. |
| Topic 4: How Henry VIII and Edward VI | enry VIII and Edward VI In England, the monasteries were dissolved and the Church | | | Monastery | A building occupied by a community of monks living under religious vows. |
| changed the church | adopted Protestant features. | Martin | Who were these people? What were these events? | Dissolution | The closure and sale of England's |
| Topic 5: Mary I and Elizabeth I | h I Reformation, but Elizabeth found a middle way. | Luther Mary, Queen of Scots | A rival to the English throne, who fled there after her nobles revolted. | Heir | A person who will take the throne after the king/queen dies. |
| | | Guy Fawkes | A mercenary and explosives expert, who tried to blow up parliament. | Armada | A fleet of warships. |
| Topic 6: The Catholic reaction | Elizabeth faced many rebellions by Catholics who wanted Mary Queen of Scots to be queen and the Spanish Armada invaded. | The Babington Plot (1586) | An unsuccessful plot to kill Elizabeth I and replace her with Mary, Queen of Scots. | | |
| Topic 7: The Gunpower Plot | The plotters wanted to kill the Protestant king of England by blowing up parliament. | The Spanish Armada (1588) | A failed invasion attempt, organised by Philip II of Spain, to restore Catholicism in England. | | |
| Gi | inpowder lot, 1605 | The Gunpowder | A Catholic plot to blow up parliament, kill James I and place his daughter on the throne, which ended in failure. | | |

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Plot (1605)



