

Year 5 Knowledge  
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Terrific Tudors



## What was life like in Tudor times?

### Anne Boleyn

The second wife of Henry VIII and the mother of Elizabeth I. She was strongly Protestant and tried to influence Henry VIII to change his religious views.



### Hans Holbein the Younger

A German painter who lived at Henry VIII's court for periods. His portraits are some of the most famous of Henry VIII.



### Henry VIII

Henry VIII was the King of England from 1509 to 1547. He married six times to get a male heir. He used portraits of himself to portray himself as a powerful king.



### Elizabeth I

The daughter of Henry VIII and Anne Boleyn, Elizabeth I ruled from 1558 to 1603. She used portraits, royal progresses and coins as propaganda to show her power and authority.



### Key vocabulary

**authority** - A person or ruler's power to give orders and make decisions for the country.

**evidence** - The information that historians extract from sources.

**heir** - A person who inherits money, property or a title after a family member dies.

**inventory** - A list of all the items belonging to a person who died in Tudor times.

**portrait** - A painting or drawing of a person's face and expression.

**primary source** - An original document from the period being studied that has not been changed in any way.

**progress** - A monarch's tour of the kingdom, accompanied by his or her court.

**propaganda** - Information given out that may not be accurate but is intended to make people believe something or to hold a particular point of view.

**secondary source** - A document or a record that was not written at the time of the event studied.

**tyrant** - A person or ruler who uses their authority cruelly.