

Wellesley Park Primary School – History

Topic: Queen Victoria and Queen Elizabeth

KS1 Year A

Key objectives: **Comparison and significance**

What Should I Already Know?

- That we live on a **planet** called **Earth** in a **country** called **Great Britain**
- Great Britain is ruled by a **King** or **Queen**

Historical Skills And Enquiry

Chronological Understanding:

- Can I use phrases and words like: 'before', 'after', 'past', 'present', 'then' and 'now'; in my historical learning?
- Can I use a range of appropriate words and phrases to describe the past?
- Can I compare how life has changed over time?

Knowledge and Interpretation:

- Can I explain why Britain has a special history by naming some famous events and some famous people?
- Can I explain why someone in the past acted in the way they did?

Historical Enquiry:

- Can I research the life of someone who used to live in my area using the internet and other sources, to find out about them?
- Can I ask questions about life in the past?



Vocabulary

Monarch	The head of a monarchy with a title like Queen/King/Emperor/Empress
Monarchy	A form of government that has a monarch leading it
Era	A period of time starting from a date or known for a special event
Coronation	The ceremony of crowing a King or Queen
Reign	Rule by a King or Queen
Industrial	having to do with the making of goods and services by industry.
Economic	the way in which goods and services are made, sold, and used in a country or area the city's economy

Important Facts

Queen Victoria was the longest reigning monarch, serving 74 years as Queen, until 2017 when Queen Elizabeth took the title!
 Queen Victoria married Prince Albert and they had 9 children together
 Queen Elizabeth married Prince Phillip and they had 4 children together
 Queen Victoria is known for improving the British Empire through industrial expansion and economic progress

Timeline

1819	1838	1883	1887	1901	1926	1953	2017
Queen Victoria Born	Victoria's Coronation	Victoria awarded Florence Nightingale Royal Red Cross	Diamond Jubilee	Queen Victoria Died	Queen Elizabeth born	Elizabeth's Coronation	Sapphire Jubilee Celebrated