

Stone Age	500,000 BCE – 2500 BCE	People lived in caves and made tools out of stone to hunt animals to eat. In the latter part of this time period people built their own dwellings and stone monuments, developed farming by domesticating crops and animals, and exchanged beautiful polished stone tools in Europe.	
Bronze Age	2500 BCE – 800BCE	This is when people first learnt how to make metals such as copper and bronze. They used fire to melt ore. Trade with mainland Europe also happened in this period.	
Iron Age and The Celts	800 BCE – 43 CE	People learnt how to make and use Iron, which lead to the introduction of farming and warfare. People lived in clans with kings. Celtic people from Europe arrived in Britain and brought their art and music.	
Roman Britain	43 CE - 410 CE	The Romans expanded their huge empire by invading Britain in 43 CE. They stationed soldiers and Roman administrators all over the island and brought with them culture such as public baths, roads and mosaics.	



Anglo-Saxons	410 – 700	The Saxons were tribes	
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		Germany and Denmark,	
		they mixed with the	
		Angles (people of Angle-	
		land or England). People	
		were now settled in	
		villages, and strong	
		leaders started to take	
		over more and more land,	All
		creating kingdoms such as	
		Mercia (now the	
		Midlands) or East Anglia.	
Vikings and Anglo-	700 - 1066	The Vikings invaded	
Saxons		Britain from what is now	
		Denmark and Sweden,	
		causing a lot of fighting	
		between the Anglo-	
		Saxons and Vikings over	
		control of land.	
		Eventually, the two sides	
		made a deal, the Anglo-	
		Saxons lived mainly in the west and the Vikings	
		mainly in the East.	
Newsers	1000 1104	In 1066, Duke William of	
Normans	1066 - 1154	Normandy invaded Britain	
		(he argued that he had	
		been invited by the	
		previous king, Edward the	
		Confessor who had taken	
		over most of England).	
		The Normans brought the	
		whole of what is now	
		England under their	
		control through force –	
		they built castles,	
		destroyed villages and	
		raised taxes so that the	
		people would submit to	
		their rule.	
High Medieval	1154 - 1399	This period began with	
		Henry II in 1154. During	
		this period, the king relied	
		on his Lords and knights	
		to rule areas of England	
		for him but expected his	
		Lords to be completely	
		loyal. Royal courts (where	
		the king lives with his	
		Lords) began in this	
		period. England also still	
		ruled over parts of what is	



		now France, inheriting them from William the Conqueror, but King John lost them in 1214.	
House of Lancaster	1399 - 1471	This was the family of Henry IV, V and VI who won a huge battle against the French at Agincourt which ended the Hundred Year war with France.	
House of York	1461 - 1485	During the period 1461-71, the crown was fought over by the Houses of York and Lancaster called the Wars of the Roses. This was ended by Henry Tudor who became Henry VII in 1485 after the battle of Bosworth.	
Tudors	1485 - 1603	This period includes some of Britain's most famous monarchs: Henry VIII and Elizabeth I, and saw Britain begin their empire when they started to take over parts of India and what is now America. Under Henry VIII, three of his queens were beheaded and England became protestant rather than Catholic, no longer following the orders of the Pope. This is also the beginning of the Early Modern period and the end of the Medieval period.	



Ctuarta	1602 1640	James VI of Scotland was a	
Stuarts	1603 - 1649	relation of Elizabeth I and	
		became King of England in	
		1603, giving this period its	
		name. In 1649, Charles I	
		had his head cut off by	
		parliament because he	
		had not consulted them in	
		decision making and	
		believed he should have	
		total power and control. A	
		famous event of this	
		period is the Gunpowder	
		plot of 1605 which is	
		where we get	
		Bonfire/Firework night	
		from!	
Popublic/	1649 - 1660	After Charles I had had his	
Republic/	1049 - 1000	head cut off, Parliament	
Commonwealth		ruled until Oliver	
		Cromwell ruled as Lord	46
		Protector and gave	
		himself similar powers to	
		a King. During this period,	
		Parliament banned	
		theatres, Christmas and	
		feasting! In 1660, Charles	
		I's son Charles II came	
		back to England and	
		restored the rule of the	
		monarchy in what is	N 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1
		known as the Restoration.	
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Stuarts	1660 - 1714	Charles II, known as the	
o to a to	1000 1711	party king, ruled but	
		James II was deposed in	
		The Glorious Revolution of	
		1688 (called this because	
		there was no fighting)	
		because he was Catholic	
		and England wanted to be	
		Protestant. William III and	
		Queen Mary II	
		(descendants of Charles I)	
		ruled jointly.	
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Georgians	1714 - 1837	Queen Ann ruled until 1714 but did none of her 17 children were still alive when she died, so the crown passed to Anne's Hanoverian (area of Germany) cousins. Georges I, II, III, and IV then ruled England. George III was said to be mad, but today we would say he suffered from a mental health condition such as bipolar. Historians usually use 1750, the start of industrialisation to mark the change between the Early Modern and Modern period.	
Victorians	1837 - 1901	Queen Victoria was never expected to be Queen as her father had 3 older brothers, but they all died (including her father) before the previous king, William IV. This period saw the height of Britain's industrialisation and Empire where Britain controlled ¼ of the world by force.	



20 th Century	1900 - 1999	This is possibly the time of	
		greatest change in	900
		Britain's history. At the	Account to the second
		start of the period,	3
		women still did not have	0.
		the vote and their clothes	
		still largely consisted of	920
		floor length dresses and	
		tight corsets. The upper	TO THE REAL PROPERTY.
		classes still held most of	1930
		the power and working-	
		class men had only just	
		gained the right to vote.	*40'5
		During this period there	
		were two world wars and	250
		huge social changes, such	
		as equal rights for all ages,	7,0861
		genders, religions and	S. Carlotte and Ca
		ethnicities. Technology	19
		also developed hugely, at	Cotes
		the beginning of the	N .
		century, computers and	1980'5
		mobile phones had yet to	
		be invented, but by 1999	99,
		they were commonly used	
		by ordinary people.	
21st Century	2000 - 2099	We are only at the start of	Linked LIVE JOURNAL
		this period, but major	Courselland
		events have included	
		London hosting the	You facebook 8+ 6
		Olympic games and the Coronavirus Global	
		pandemic.	tacmy Behand
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