

Subject: History		Year: 6 – Autumn – Monarchs Across History	
Key Question: How has life in Britain changed since 1066 under different reigns Concept: Significance of People and Events			
National Curriculum objectives: Pupils should be taught about: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a study of an aspect or theme in British history that extends pupils’ chronological knowledge beyond 1066 • the changing power of monarchs using case studies such as John, Anne and Victoria 			
To begin this unit, the children should have already learnt: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How monarchs were in power during medieval times (Y1 Spring) • How Christianity was brought into England during Henry VIII Reign (Y1 Spring) • How laws and democracy was introduced (Y4 Autumn) • That Ancient Greeks invented democracy and law (Y5 Autumn) • Understand how Christianity evolved in Britain throughout Anglo-Saxon period (Y5 Spring & Summer) 		The learning in this unit will prepare the children to learn these things in the future:	
By the end of this unit, children will know: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Most significant monarchs across History since 1066 • The correct terminology to define a period in time and periods of monarcharchies – Dynasties • The time in History that Britain became a republic, why and what lead to this decision • That Henry VIII was a influential monarch in British History • Queen Victoria II was the longest serving reign and what British life was like under her reign 		By the end of this unit, children will be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compare what life was like in different periods of reign • Discuss the benefits and differences between Britain having a monarchy and becoming republic • Comparing and explaining the lives of the wives of Henry VIII • Explain what daily life was like during Victorian times under the Reign of Queen Victoria II 	
Vocabulary: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dynasty • Republic • Monarch • Influence • Reign 	End of unit assessment question: How has life in Britain changed since 1066 under different reigns Local History Link: Gressenhall visit – Victorian day Norwich Castle and it’s use within monarchies		Assessment criteria: WT – Pupils can name two different monarchs and a significant event during their reign EX – Pupils can compare the differences life in Britain under different monarchs GD – Pupils can discuss the effects of different monarchies on life in Britain today

Recourse: