

KEY VOCABULARY

Throne

A **special chair** for a king or queen, or another very important person

Sceptre

An ornamented (decorated) **rod carried by rulers on special occasions**

Majesty

A **royal person**

Reign

The time/ **period that a person is in charge and rules** over the country

Baron

An **important person who owns land**

The Magna Carta

A **written promise** (charter) that was sealed by King John

Civil war

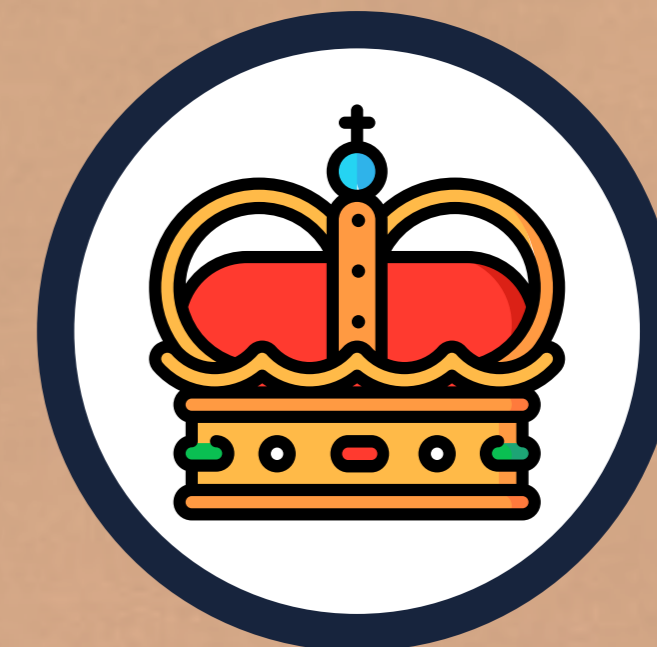
A **war between people who live in the same country**

Coronation

When a king or queen is **given the crown**

Royalty

People who are **kings or queens**, or in the **same family as the king/queen**



Queen Elizabeth II



King John

sealed the Magna Carta in 1216



Henry III

was captured by Simon de Montfort who setup a parliament



Charles I

was executed in 1649



Oliver Cromwell

was the Lord Protector



Charles II

returned from hiding in France to be King of England in 1660