1. Which two royal families are highlighted in this video? Tudor, Stuart

2. Which English King ordered the making of the crown? King Henry VII

3. What was the name of this King’s mother? Margaret Beaufort.

4. Why was she a ‘good catch’ for a husband? Daughter of John of Gaunt Duke of Lancaster, £1000.

5. How old was she when she fell pregnant? 12

6. Which Royal house were mother and son from? Lancaster

7. Who and how many men were their strongest opponents? 18yr old Richard Duke of Gloucestershire, 21 yr old George, Duke of Clarence, Edward IV (3 brothers)

8. Which Royal house were they from? York

9. What was the conflict between the two Royal houses known as? War of the Roses.

10. What indication in Tewksbury is given that Edward IV was a violent man? Killed Lancastrian leaders, Henry VI murdered in the Tower of London.

11. What indication is given that Richard was a dubious character? Only person in the Tower on the night |Henry VI was murdered.


13. What was particular about the title ‘Duke of Clarence’? Second in line to the throne.

14. What is George of Clarence said to have challenged? The legality of his brother’s marriage.

15. According to what you have learnt thus far of the Princes in the Tower - do you find anything conflicting about this presumption?

16. What is the name of Edward IV’s wife? How is she described? Elizabeth Woodville. Beautiful, ambitious, greedy, of modest background.

17. Do you find anything suspicious about their marriage? Secret, took 6 months to make public.

18. How many children did they have? 7; 5 girls & 2 boys

(The first 15 minutes of the video have now been completed.)

19. What was the theory behind Clarence’s contention that Edward and Mary’s marriage was illegal? He had been married before.

(From minutes 17 to 22 there is detail on internal policy which we can ignore.)

21. Who was appointed as Protector, or Regent of Edward IV’s heirs? Richard of Gloucestershire.

22. Where had young Edward and his family been living before moving to London? Ludlow.

23. What evidence is there that Elizabeth Woodville was suspicious of Richard? Took Richard to safety at Westminster Abbey.

24. What description are we given of Richard’s character? Nervous, believing himself to be entitled to the thrown.

25. How did Richard rob his nephews of their right to the thrown? Old rumour of illegal marriage.

26. What was his title when he became King? Richard III.

27. How did Thomas More suggest that the Princes in the Tower were killed? Smothered in their beds.

28. Which two mothers does Starkey suggest made a pact? Elizabeth & Margaret Beaufort.

(30 minutes of the video have now been completed.)

29. What was their plan to unseat Richard from the throne? Henry VII to marry Elizabeth. (Son & daughter)

30. What evidence is there that Elizabeth Woodville thought that Richard had killed her sons? Support for Henry against Richard, plan to unite families against Richard.

You can stop watching the video at 32 minutes.