

The Gunpowder Plot Knowledge Organiser Y1

What I should already know?
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • That these events happened in the past a long time ago. • That we celebrate Bonfire night on November 5th.

Key knowledge
Guy Fawkes and his friends had different beliefs to the King James I.
Guy Fawkes believed that the Roman Catholics were treated unfairly. Guy Fawkes put together a plan to blow up the Houses of Parliament.
Guy Fawkes and his friends got caught and were imprisoned on the 5th November 1605.
The King wanted to celebrate and created Bonfire Night (5th November)

Key vocabulary	
Catholics	Members of the Catholic Church Christians People who follow Christianity.
Protestant	Protestant People who do not follow the Catholic Church
Gun powder	Chemical that explodes if set alight.
Houses of Parliament	Buildings in London, where the government meets.
Plot	A secret plan to do something against the law, or harmful to others.

King Charles 1



Guy Fawkes



Houses of Parliament



Timeline						
13 th April 1570	24 th March 1603	May 1604	March 1605	26 th October to 5 th November 1605	5 th November 1605	31st January 1605
Guy Fawkes born.	James I becomes King of England.	The group began to plot against King James I.	The plotters rent a cellar under the Houses of Parliament.	Lord Monteagle (a Catholic) received an unsigned letter that warns him not to go to the opening of Parliament.	Guy Fawkes is found in the cellar with 36 barrels of gunpowder by the king's guards.	Guy Fawkes is executed.