



What should I know already?

- Some people celebrate Bonfire Night where they light fireworks

Diagrams

Guy Fawkes and the Gunpowder Plot

Important people



Guy Fawkes



King James I

Important places and objects



Houses of Parliament



gunpowder

Vocabulary

Houses of Parliament – the building in London where the government works.

Gunpowder – a powder that can explode which used to be used in guns a long time ago.

Plotters – a group of people who make a plan.

The Gunpowder Plot – a plot (plan) to blow up the Houses of Parliament to kill King James I and his government.

Things I need to know

- Understand why Guy Fawkes was famous
- Use common words and phrases which belong to that time long ago
- Understand where Guy Fawkes fits in a chronological timeline
- Ask and answer questions using information learnt to show knowledge and understanding of key features and events

The Gunpowder Plot was a plan to kill King James I and his government by blowing up the Houses of Parliament.

People were being treated unfairly and the plotters including Guy Fawkes wanted King James taken away from the throne.

Guy Fawkes and his friends decided to put 36 barrels of gunpowder in the cellar under the king's chair, but he was caught by the king's guards.

King James I wanted people to celebrate that he survived on the 5th November. People light bonfires and fireworks to celebrate.

Timeline

