

The Causes of the English Civil War

Task 1: Colour code each cause Long Term Short Term Trigger Irrelevant

Task 2: When you've completed task 1, draw an * at YOUR point of no return

1215: The Signing of the Magna Carta

1536: The English Reformation

1603: The death of Elizabeth I

1603: James Stuart become King James I of England

1625: Charles I becomes king

1625: Charles I marries Henrietta Maria

1629-1640: Eleven years of tyranny and personal rule

1633: Charles appoints William Laud as Archbishop of Canterbury

1635: Charles orders everybody to pay ship money

1637: Charles orders Scottish people to use the new Catholic style prayer book

1639: The Scots invade England

1641: The Grand Remonstrance

1642: Charles tries to arrest 5 MPs who spoke against him

1642: Charles left London and goes to Oxford to raise an army

Autumn 1643: The Battle of Edgehill

Why have you chosen your point of no return where Civil War was inevitable?