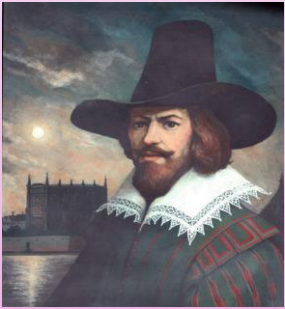




# Guy Fawkes

Why are fireworks lit on November 5th?

Guy Fawkes was born in York, April 13, 1570. He was born into a prominent family, and converted to Catholicism quite young. He plotted to blow up parliament.



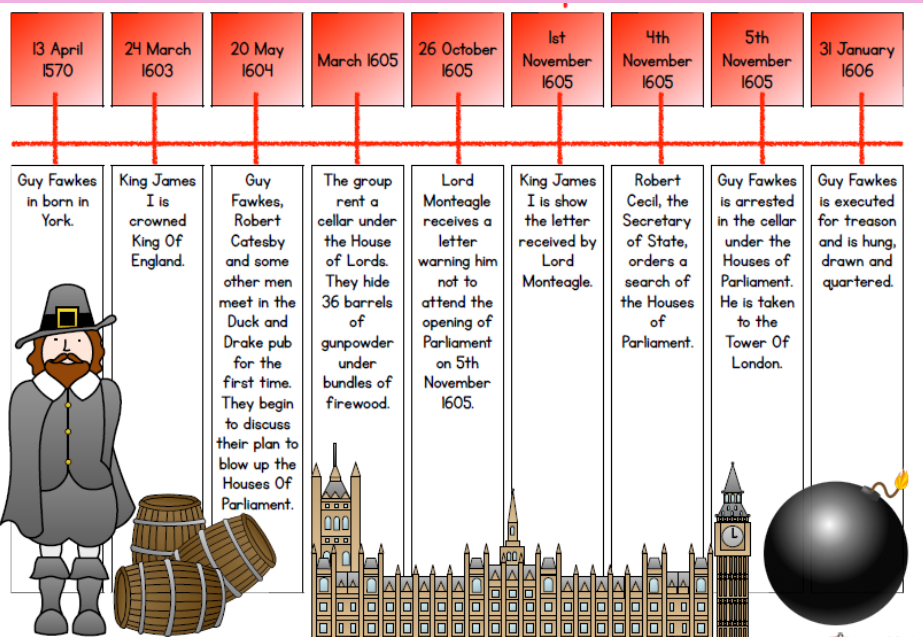
### What I should already know:

- What fireworks are
- Significant events in history.
- Understand historical concepts such as continuity and change, cause and consequence, similarity, difference and significance, and use them to make connections, draw contrasts.

### What I will learn:

- I am learning to make links to historical events through personal experiences.
- I am learning to find out about King James I of England.
- I am learning to use hot seating to consider Guy Fawkes' feelings.
- I am learning to order and describe the events of the Gunpowder Plot story.
- I am learning to find out what happened next in the Gunpowder Plot story.
- I am learning to think about why fireworks are lit on November 5th.

### Timeline



### Key Facts:

- Guy Fawkes was a Catholic who didn't agree with King James' Protestant views.
- Guy Fawkes' role in the plot was to look after the gunpowder.
- Guy Fawkes was arrested in the basement.
- King James I created bonfire night as a celebration of the plot failing.
- Now, people set off fireworks and light bonfires on bonfire night.

### Key Vocabulary



A Catholic conspirator who tried to blow up Parliament.



Firework

An object filled with gunpowder which illuminates the sky when lit.



Bonfire Night

An annual event on 5 November, involving bonfires and fireworks displays.



Plot

A plan made in secret.



Catholic

Someone who follows the Christian Catholic Church.



Gunpowder

An explosive consisting of a powdered mixture used in fireworks.