The Tudor Time-Travel Quiz with Ellie the Elephant

Learning objective: To recall and apply knowledge about Tudor monarchs, daily life, and significant historical events.

Help Ellie the Elephant test her memory! Read each question carefully and write your answer clearly. Some questions are multiple choice, some are true or false, and others need a quick one-word answer.

Answer Key: 1. B (Henry VIII), 2. False (They had six wives in total, Henry VIII had six), 3. Elizabeth I, 4. A (1485), 5. True, 6. The Spanish Armada, 7. Exploration, 8. True, 9. Tudor Rose, 10. False (They were very different).

Word bank: Henry VIII · Elizabeth I · Armada · Tudor Rose · Monarch · Exploration

1. 1. Which king famously had six wives? A) Henry VII, B) Henry VIII*, C) Edward VI, D) Richard III (1 mark)

2. 2. True or False: Queen Elizabeth I was the monarch who had six wives. (1 mark)

3. 3. Who was the daughter of Henry VIII who became a famous queen and led England during the defeat of the Spanish Armada? (1 mark)

4. 4. In which year did the Tudor period begin? A) 1485*, B) 1509, C) 1603, D) 1215 (1 mark)

5. 5. True or False: Tudor houses were often built using 'wattle and daub' with timber frames. (1 mark)

6. 6. What was the name of the fleet of ships sent by Spain to attack England in 1588? (1 mark)

7. 7. The Tudor period was a time of great _____, as people like Sir Francis Drake sailed around the world. (1 mark)

8. 8. True or False: Rich Tudor families ate sugar, which often made their teeth turn black. (1 mark)

9. 9. What is the name of the floral symbol that represents the Tudor dynasty? (1 mark)

10. 10. True or False: All Tudor children went to school every single day. (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a picture of Ellie the Elephant dressed in fancy Tudor clothing, perhaps wearing a large ruff collar and a velvet doublet.

Extension challenge: Imagine you are a Tudor explorer like Sir Francis Drake. Write three items you would pack in your wooden trunk for a long voyage across the ocean.