Ellie’s Tudor Time-Travel Flashcards

Learning objective: To recall and understand key facts about the Tudor period, including monarchs, social structures, and significant historical events.

Read the front of the card to test your historical knowledge. Flip the card mentally (or check the answer provided) to see if you are correct. Use these to quiz a partner!

Which royal family ruled England from 1485 to 1603?	**Who was the first Tudor monarch to win the throne at the Battle of Bosworth Field?**
The Tudor dynasty.	Henry VII.
Which monarch is famous for having six wives and breaking away from the Roman Catholic Church?	**What was the name of the period when Henry VIII closed down religious houses across England?**
Henry VIII.	The Dissolution of the Monasteries.
Which daughter of Henry VIII reigned for 45 years during a time known as a 'Golden Age'?	**What was the name of the large, fast sailing ships used by the English navy during the Tudor period?**
Elizabeth I.	A galleon.
Who was the famous explorer who circumnavigated the globe during the reign of Elizabeth I?	**What was the main difference between the lives of the rich and the poor in Tudor times?**
Sir Francis Drake.	The social hierarchy (the rich lived in manor houses with plenty of food, while the poor often struggled with poverty and simple diets).
What did the Tudor people call the religious movement that changed the church in England?	**What was a common Tudor punishment for criminals?**
The Reformation.	Public punishments such as the stocks or the pillory.
What was the primary material used to build the walls of many Tudor houses?	
Timber (often with wattle and daub).	