# WHO WON THE ENGLISH CIVIL WAR?

Focus Question: Can 1 battle seal a Kings fate?

#### Starter: Say what you see!

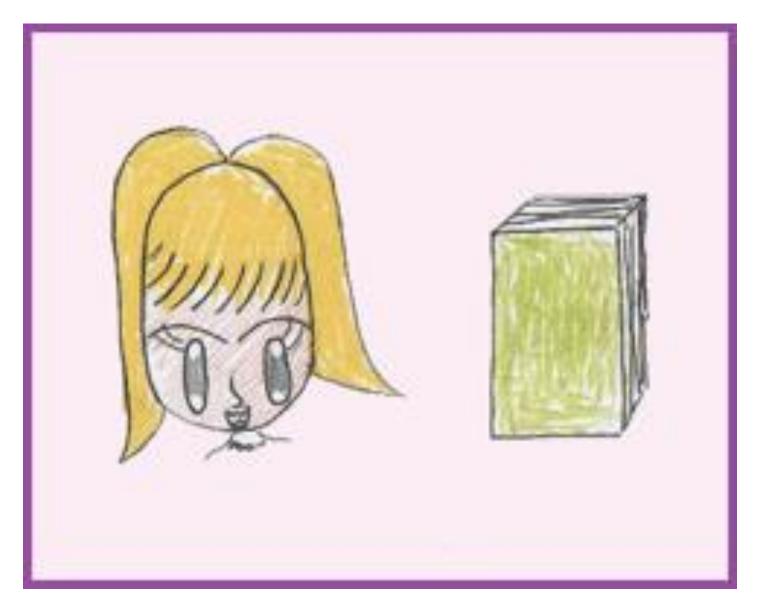
## On the next few slides, just say what you see!



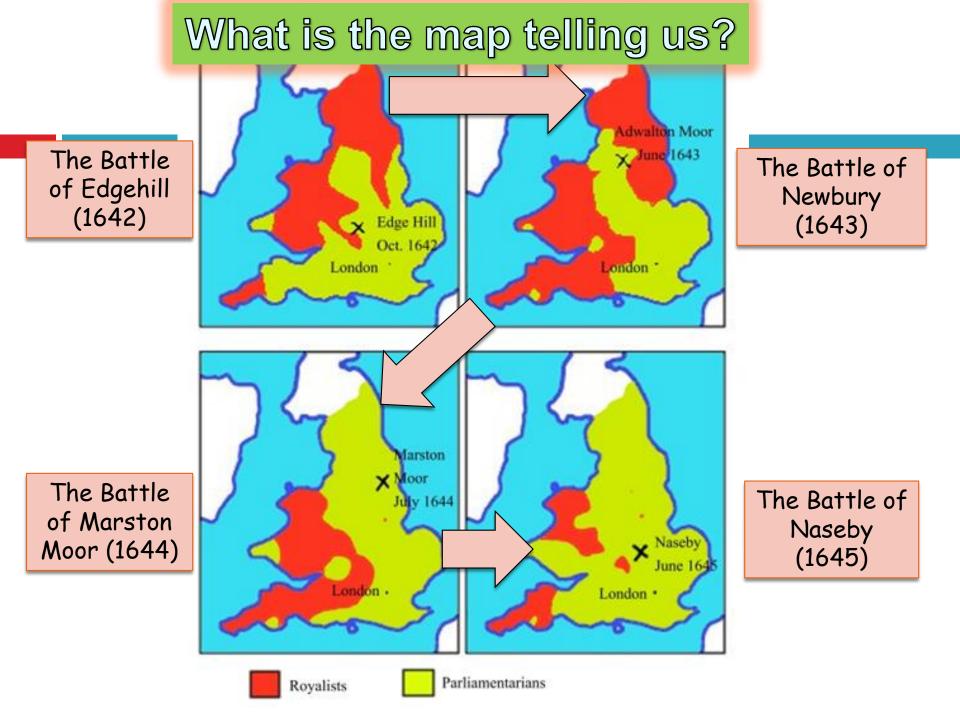
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#### Lesson Objectives

- □ To investigate 4 key battles of the English Civil War
- To work in groups and teach each other about the key battles of the Civil War

- Some of you will...
- □ Fill in a Civil War tension graph

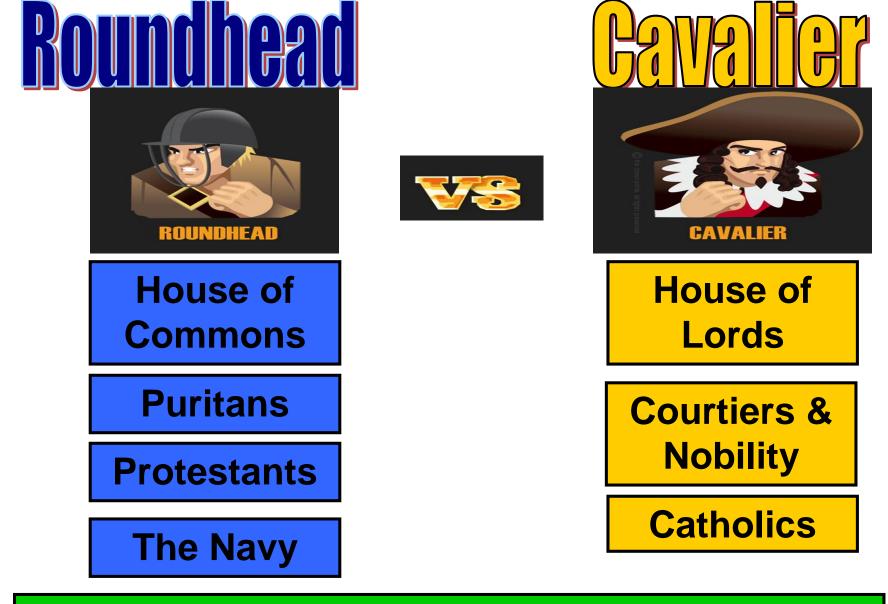
### King Charles I and the Cavalier Army

#### Oliver Cromwell and the Roundhead Army

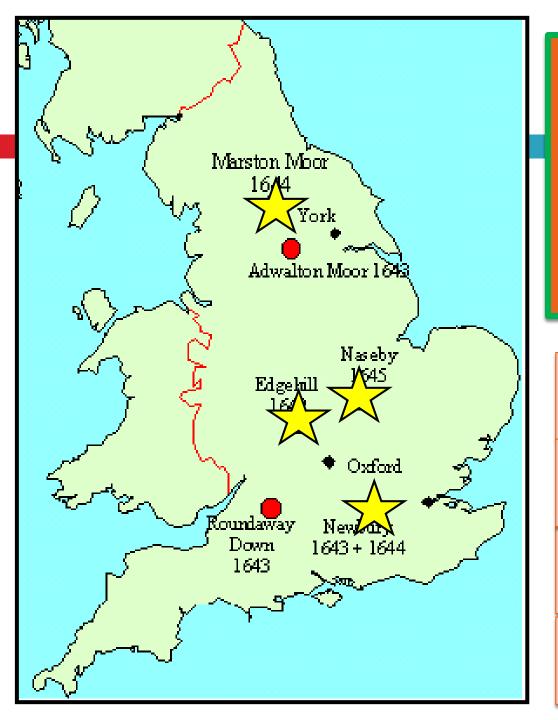


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Most ordinary people fought for the side their local lord of the manor was on



There were many major battles during the English Civil War - some were so important that they changed the course of the war and the course of history.

The Battle of Edgehill (1642)

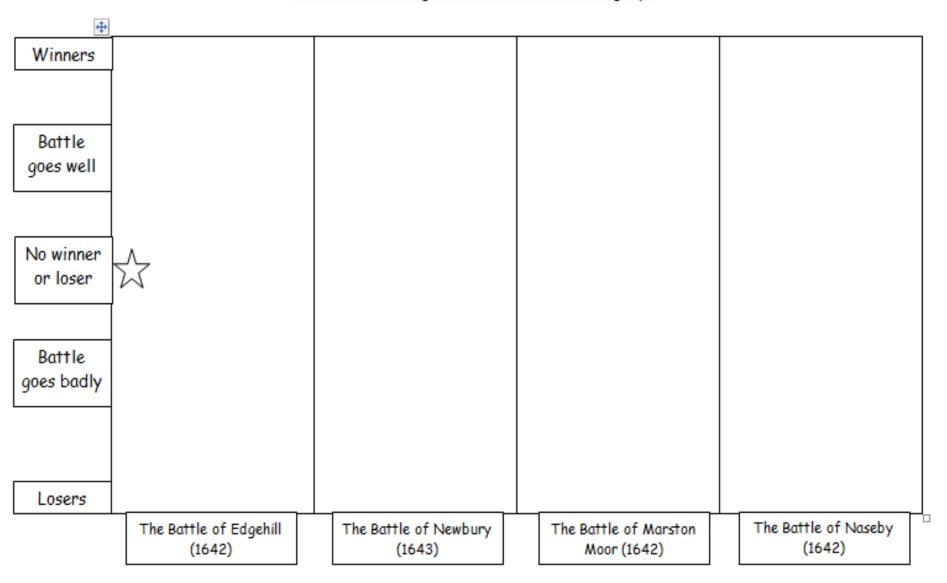
The Battle of Newbury (1643)

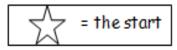
The Battle of Marston Moor (1644)

The Battle of Naseby (1645)

The Battle of Edgehill (1642)	The Battle of Newbury (1643)	Work on your own to read the information and fill in your sheet
The Battle of Marston Moor (1644)	The Battle of Naseby (1645)	<u>for each battle</u> . <u>Complete the tension</u> graph as we go along. <u>Extension</u> : If you completely finish both sides of your sheet, answer this question: Which battle do you feel was the main <u>turning point</u>
		of the Civil War?

#### Battles of the English Civil War - Tension graph





# Edgehill

#### The numbers:

- October 23<sup>rd</sup> 1642.
- The Roundhead army had around 12,000 infantry men (musketeers and pikemen), 2,000 men on horses (cavalry) and about 30 cannons (artillery).
- The Cavalier army had around 10,000 men in total (infantry and cavalry) and 20 cannons.

#### The main players:

King Charles, Prince Rupert, Lord Essex, Sir Faithful Fortesque, Sir James Ramsey,

## Newbury

#### The numbers:

The first battle of Newbury took place September 20<sup>th</sup> 1643.
In total Essex could count on 15,000 men.
Fighting went on possibly until 10.00 at night

#### The main players:

King Charles, Prince Rupert, Lord Essex,

### Marston Moor

#### The numbers:

•The Battle of Marston Moor - July 2nd 1644, •28,000 Roundhead men, •18,000 Cavalier men,

#### The main players:

Prince Rupert, Lord John Byron, Oliver Cromwell, Duke of Newcastle,

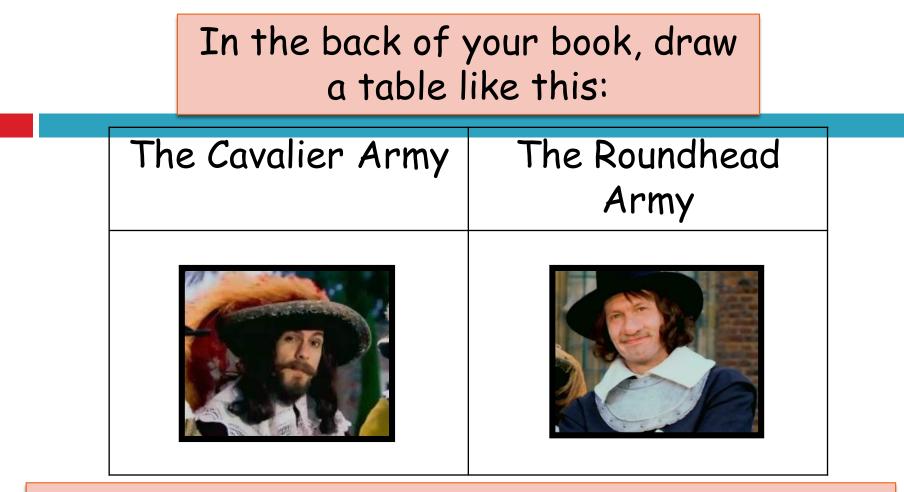
## Naseby

#### The numbers:

The battle was fought on June 14<sup>th</sup>, 1645.
Cavalier army of between 8,000 and 9,000 men.
Roundhead army, commanded by Fairfax, of 13,000 men.
The battle started at 10.00am.

#### The main players:

King Charles, Sir Thomas Fairfax, Oliver Cromwell, Marmaduke Langdale, Henry Ireton Prince Rupert, Prince Maurice,



Think of a few words to describe each of the two armies.

For example: brave, panicked, impatient, organised, foolish, disciplined...

#### Plenary – Magenta Dice

One person will need to roll the dice and everyone will complete that activity

### Plenary-true/false

- 1. The Civil war started in 1715
- 2. A Civil war is a war with another country
- 3. The two sides in the civil war were King Charles and Parliament
- 4. The Battle of Edgehill was a draw
- 5. Muskets were a hard gun to reload and often men had their hands blown off