

Tier 2

Word	Definition
Monarchy	The King or Queen of a country.
King	The male monarch who rules a country.
Peasant	Someone who always worked for other people and did not own their own land. They tend to be poor.
Town	A built-up area with defined boundaries that is larger than
Power	The ability to influence the behaviour of others or the
Religion	The belief in and worship of a god or gods.
Tax	Money or goods that you have to pay to the government
Village	A group of houses and buildings, smaller than a town, situated in a rural area.
Baron	An important person who looked after an area of land for the king.
Bubonic	A disease with swollen inflamed lymph nodes in the armpit
Pneumonic	A disease which attacks the lungs and make the victim
Revolt	A group of people who fight or protest against the people

Medieval Kings and Ordinary People: monarchy and people and church

Who had more power the monarchy and the people?



Tier 3

Word	Definition
Medieval	A period in time between 476 to 1492.
Black Death	A disease that spread through Europe, killing almost a third of the population.
Public Health	The health of the population as a whole.
Castle	A large building, defended against attack with thick walls,
Crusade	Religious wars between Muslims and Christians for control of
Magna Carta	A set of rules King John was forced to sign, giving people rights.
Feudal system	System/hierarchy used in Middle Ages society based on the transfer of land and services.
Excommunicate	Officially remove someone from participating in the services
Knight	A man who served his sovereign or lord as a mounted soldier
Freeman	A person who is free from his duties to his lord.
Villein	Peasants who are bonded to their lords.

Date	Event
29th Dec 1170	Murder of Thomas Becket
1095-1241	Crusades
1215	Magna Carta is signed by King John
1348	Black Death
1381	Peasants Revolt
1487	Battle of Bosworth. Henry VII (Tudor) defeats Richard III (Yorkist)

