**Edward VI Reading Questions**

Using the information provided in the assigned reading, create a timeline of the key events:

[Edward VI: The boy king who paved the way for Protestant England - History Skills](https://www.historyskills.com/classroom/year-8/edward-vi-reading/)

1. When and where was Edward VI born?
2. Who were Edward VI's parents?
3. What happened to Jane Seymour after Edward's birth?
4. What kind of education did Edward receive?
5. At what age did Edward ascend to the throne and after whose death?
6. What was the purpose of the Council of Regency?
7. Who initially acted as Lord Protector for Edward?
8. Who became the dominant figure in the council after Edward Seymour's downfall?
9. What was the Book of Common Prayer's purpose?
10. How did the 1552 version of the Book of Common Prayer differ from the 1549 version?
11. What was the Act of Uniformity's main directive in 1549?
12. What was the primary cause of the Prayer Book Rebellion in 1549?
13. What was the goal of the "Rough Wooing" strategy towards Scotland?
14. Which significant battle during the "Rough Wooing" was a decisive English victory?
15. Why did Edward's health in 1553 lead to a succession crisis?
16. Who did Edward name as his successor to prevent his Catholic half-sister Mary from ascending to the throne?
17. What happened to Lady Jane Grey after Edward VI's death?
18. What did Edward VI's religious reforms lay the groundwork for?
19. How did the Council of Regency's operations often get overshadowed?

**Paragraph Writing**

Based upon what you have learnt in the reading, answer the question below in paragraph format (Topic Sentence, Explanation, Evidence, Concluding Sentence):

*What changes were introduced during Edward's reign* ***and*** *what difficulties did he face in achieving them?*