

5.3 Were the English right to kill their King?

Task One:

Read pages 122-123 of Chapter 5

Task Two:

Write a news report (it could be a newspaper article or a verbal speech that might be on the news) detailing the King's execution. Include the key dates, trial and execution in your report.

Task Three:

Write diary entries of King Charles about these events:

- The Second Civil War
- The Trial of Charles
- His execution (written an hour or so before the actual execution!)

Task Four:

'Parliament was right to sentence the King to death'. How far do you agree with this statement? Explain your answer.