**The Gunpowder Plot**

1. In what year was Macbeth probably written?
2. What year did the Gunpowder plot happen in?
3. What were the aims of the men who carried out the plot?
4. Give a very brief outline of what the Gunpowder plot was. What happened, and who was involved?
5. What happened to the plotters?
6. Who was Henry Garnet and how was he involved?
7. How might the narrow escape of James I be linked to events in Macbeth?
8. How might the words of the Porter in ***Macbeth*** be linked to the Gunpowder plot?
9. What other links are there between the play and the Gunpowder plot?
10. Find three quotations from the play that link to the Gunpowder plot and explain the connections.