

# Timeline of Queen Elizabeth II

**21 April 1926**  
Elizabeth Alexandra  
Mary Windsor born  
in London



**December 1936**  
King Edward VIII  
abdicates; King  
George VI is crowned



**2 June 1953**  
Coronation of Queen  
Elizabeth II



**1977**  
The Queen's silver  
jubilee



**2002**  
The Queen's golden  
jubilee



**2012**  
The Queen's  
diamond jubilee



**2017**  
The Queen's  
sapphire jubilee



1920 1930 1940 1950 1960 1970 1980 1990 2000 2010 2020

**January 1936**  
Death of King  
George V



**November 1947**  
Elizabeth marries  
Philip Mountbatten



**November 1948**  
Prince Charles is born



**August 1950**  
Princess Anne is  
born



**1997**  
The Queen  
celebrates her  
golden wedding  
anniversary



**March 2002**  
Death of the Queen  
Mother



**9 September 2015**  
The Queen  
becomes the  
longest reigning  
monarch

