

English

- ❖ Read the 'Castles' information text and answer the comprehension questions - 1*, 2** or 3***. The answers are provided so you can check your work afterwards. 
- ❖ Create a glossary of at least ten words from your reading on castles. Remember, a glossary is an alphabetical list of words relating to a specific subject or text, with explanations.
- ❖ Write an acrostic poem about castles to show what you have learnt from your reading. 
- ❖ Watch this BBC video to see what it was like to train to be a knight then write a diary entry for your typical day.
<https://youtu.be/GVMvl05hCrI>

Castles

Year 3 and Year 4

Weekly Learning Tasks for week beginning 11.5.20

These tasks cover various skills
English, Maths, Creative and
Investigative.

We recommend completing the **2 purple tasks** plus 6 or more other tasks this week. The activities that are **bold and underlined** may require more adult support. Enjoy! 😊

Maths

- ❖ Complete the 'Castle Maths Challenge' (Choose 1*, 2** and 3*** difficulty rating). Mark it using the answers provided! 
- ❖ Solve "The Mystery at Eagleton Castle" using your maths knowledge (some useful reminders are included to help you). The answers are provided so you can check your work afterwards. 
- ❖ Complete the castle and crown by reflecting the drawings in the line of symmetry. 
- ❖ Warwick Castle was built in 1068. How many ways can you partition this number? What facts do you know about it? What calculations would give you the answer 1068? Write a word problem to which the answer is 1068.

Creative

- ❖ Create your own 3D model of a castle using toilet roll tubes, egg boxes etc... Take a photo and send to your teacher!
- ❖ Use a tutorial like this one to draw a castle and label the parts of it using the resources sheet to help you.
<https://youtu.be/opXUQ7kOkWs> (You might need to pause it and draw step by step).
- ❖ Then create a catapult to attack your castle!
<https://youtu.be/slyTjOjGz9Q>
- ❖ Look at the painting of Castle and Sun by Paul Klee and see how it is made of shapes. Draw and colour a castle picture in the same style. Perhaps you could draw a local castle. 



Investigative

- ❖ Use Google Arts and Culture to take a virtual tour around some different castles. What is the same and what is different about them?
<https://artsandculture.google.com/search?q=castle>.
- ❖ Design and make a shield that a knight could use to protect themselves. Think about the size, shape and colour. Look at the guide for ideas. 
- ❖ **Complete the map of the UK by adding the cities (1*, 2** and 3*** challenge), then research find as many castles as you can in the UK and add their location to the map.** 
- ❖ Find out everything you can about castles and create a poster to share your learning with others. You could start here
<http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/Castles.html> or use another 'source' such as a person in your family or a book.