

Turrets and Tiaras

What is a knight?
How do you become a knight?
Do all princesses need saving?
When were castles built?

Year 1/2 Spring Term 2020



Our Learning Journey is... "Turrets and Tiaras"

The Paper Bag Princess/ Cinnamon

Do all princesses need saving?
How would a princess feel trapped in a castle without her friends?
How can a princess stay fit and healthy?
How does the princess communicate?
Why is it important to talk?

Knight in Training

What is a knight?
How do you become one?
What jobs did a knight have to do?
Do we still have them now?
What was it like in medieval times?

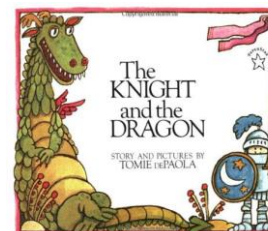
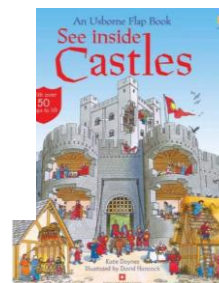


See Inside Castles

What are castles?
Why were they built?
What are they made from?
What events happened at the Tower of London?
Who was a prisoner at the Tower of London?
Who Lived at the Tower of London?
What food did they eat in a medieval castle?

The Knight and the Dragon

What can dragons do to stories?
Do all knights have to be brave?
What do knights and dragons need to stay alive?



HELP!?

Do you have any experience or information that will enrich our learning journey? Please let us know if you do.

You might like to join in with our learning at home by...



Doing

- ✓ Make a fact sheet about how to look after a knight's horse
- ✓ Write a letter to a castle asking them questions that you'd like to find out.
- ✓ Design a knight's helmet.

Watching

Dungeons and dragons
Sleeping beauty (1959)
Elliott, pete's dragon (1977)
Mulan (1998)
The sword and the stone

Some of the questions we hope to answer this term are...

- ◆ Can dragons be trained to be good?
- ◆ What was it like in medieval times?
- ◆ What is a knight?
- ◆ How do you become a knight?
- ◆ Who are our knights in shining armour?
- ◆ What does a knight need to survive?
- ◆ Do all princesses need saving?
- ◆ How can we ensure our princess stays healthy?
- ◆ How would a princess feel being trapped in a castle?
- ◆ What instruments did they have in medieval times?
- ◆ Why were castles built?
- ◆ What events have taken place at the Tower of London?
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- ◆ What events have taken place at the Tower of London?

Visiting

- ✓ Colchester Castle. <https://colchester.cimuseums.org.uk/visit/colchester-castle/>
- ✓ Windsor Castle. <https://www.rct.uk/visit/windsor-castle>
- ✓ Jousting family days at Hedingham Castle.
- ✓ Leeds castle <https://www.leeds-castle.com/>
- ✓ Hever castle and gardens <https://www.hevercastle.co.uk/>