

Year Group: 2

Topic Title: Summer Topic - Castles - Knights and Princesses

	English						
	Reading	Writing/Phonics (inc spag)	Maths	Science	R.E	Art	P.E

<p>Learning task</p>	<p>Read for pleasure! <i>Discuss the text they are reading. Why did they choose it? What might happen next? Would you recommend it to a friend? Why?</i></p> <p>Read stories which include castles, such as 'The Princess and the Pea' to learn more about them.</p> <p>Other selections include:</p> <p>The Paperbag Princess by Robert Munsch</p> <p>Knight in Training series by Vivien French</p>	<p>Follow the story below: Not Your Typical Dragon by Dan Bar-el <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3j1KS7rXyjU">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3j1KS7rXyjU</a></p> <p>Change the story so that different things come out of his mouth. What could he eat instead?</p>	<p>Access My Maths and choose Y2 Geometry to find lessons and homework on 2D &amp; 3D and Symmetry.</p> <p>Watch this video about 3D shapes: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zPZegz690Mg">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zPZegz690Mg</a></p> <p>Throw two dice and add the numbers as quickly as you can. How many can you get correct in 1 minute? Can you beat your brothers and sisters/parents?</p> <p>For 2x table practise keep one dice as a 'two' then roll the other one. Try the same using a pack of playing cards.</p> <p>Lots of other ideas for card games and dice games on the links below: <a href="https://www.sau39.org/cms/lib/NH01912488/Centricity/Domain/244/Making%20Math%20More%20Fun%20Card%20Games.pdf">https://www.sau39.org/cms/lib/NH01912488/Centricity/Domain/244/Making%20Math%20More%20Fun%20Card%20Games.pdf</a></p> <p><a href="https://icebreakerideas.com/dice-games/">https://icebreakerideas.com/dice-games/</a> If you haven't got any dice, make some using the net of a cube.</p>	<p>Look at the activities on the KS1 BBC bitesize website for the Topic 'Plants'.</p> <p><i>Revise the topics you have completed so far: Animals Including Humans, Living Things and Their Habitats and Uses of Everyday Materials</i></p> <p><a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z6svr82">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/z6svr82</a></p> <p>Have a look at this home learning pack on plants, too! <a href="https://yppte.org.uk/topics/home-learning-packs?hide_donation_prompt=1">https://yppte.org.uk/topics/home-learning-packs?hide_donation_prompt=1</a></p>	<p>Learn about the religion of Judaism. <i>Research the what people believe in and what they do to follow the religion.</i> Find out about the Shabbat in particular. <a href="http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/religion/jewish.htm">http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/religion/jewish.htm</a></p>	<p>Look at the work of Paul Klee. He was an abstract artist.</p> <p><i>Find out what this word means.</i></p>	<p>Find out about the Olympics or Paralympics</p> <p><i>Ask adults at home about the events, their memories of the Olympics, or research online.</i></p>
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<p>Write tasks</p>	<p><a href="https://www.literacyshedplus.com/en-gb/browse/free-resources/key-stage-1-activity-packs">https://www.literacyshedplus.com/en-gb/browse/free-resources/key-stage-1-activity-packs</a></p> <p><i>Look at some of the short films. Write words to one or more of them.</i></p> <p>Create a book review of a book found online or that you have at home. Write it out in full sentences.</p>	<p>Work on an explanation text to give information about why castles have certain features and how they were used. Choose a favourite castle from a story and describe it using powerful adjectives. Use senses to describe what it would be like to visit.</p> <p><u>Learning linked to phonics</u> Castle has 'le' at the end. Here are some more words that end in 'le'</p> <p>candle, cradle, circle, beetle, rattle, topple, rumble.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>You could write a sentence for each one.</li> <li>Write a mini story using as many as you can</li> </ul> <p>Find other words that end in 'le'</p> <p>Knight has the 'igh' sound in it. Here are some more words that use the same spelling - high, flight, fright, might, sight Use these words to try some of the activities on your 'spelling activities' sheet.</p> <p>Compare two 'castle' traditional stories you have read. What is the same/different about them?</p>	<p>Find some examples of 3D shapes around your home. Describe them - how many flat faces/curved faces? how many edges? How many vertices?</p> <p>Compare two different shapes. Draw them, label their properties, their similarities and differences.</p>	<p>Research and write about what a plant needs to grow and explain what conditions plants need to grow well. You could also include information on the life cycle of a plant!</p> <p><i>It can be a paragraph of writing or you could design it to look like a page out of a non-fiction book, including drawings and diagrams. You can explain how seeds and bulbs grow into mature plants, and how to care for them. Write in full sentences.</i></p>	<p>Create a fact file about Judaism. It can be written or produced on a computer.</p>	<p>Choose ones of Paul Klee's paintings . Describe what you can see.</p>	<p>Write a workout to do at home, think of different exercises</p> <p>Use Joe Wicks for inspiration !</p>
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Creative task	<p>Draw and write a caption your own picture from part of one or more of the short films above.</p> <p><i>Make your own paper finger puppets and retell the stories in your own words. Perform to your family!</i></p>	<p>To create castles using junk modelling, considering the key features.</p> <p>Take a photo of your junk model and then label the features you have created.</p> <p>Play with your junk model, act out what life may have been like in the castle you have made. Create a battle scene. You could film this or photograph it!</p>	<p>Go on a shape hunt around the house or outdoors. What 2D and 3D shapes can you find? Search for and identify 2D and 3D shapes and describe their properties. Look carefully for the shapes and patterns hidden within other objects. Design a poster for 2D or 3D shapes. Draw them and label their properties.</p> <p>Make your own symmetrical patterns using items you can find in your house/garden e.g. coins, tins of food, plant pots Find something to use as a mirror line. Create a simple pattern on one side then complete the pattern on the other side. Draw your own on paper.</p> <p>If you have LEGO or other construction toys use it to make a symmetrical pattern.</p> <p>Have a go at making your own 3D shapes from these printable nets:  <a href="https://mathgeekmama.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/03/Geometric-Nets-Printable-Pack.pdf">https://mathgeekmama.com/wp-content/uploads/2015/03/Geometric-Nets-Printable-Pack.pdf</a></p> <p>Money practise: If your parents have a change jar create your own 'Double Your Money' game to play with your family.</p>	<p>Have a go at planting your own bulbs and seeds!</p> <p><a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/gardening/gardening_with_children/">http://www.bbc.co.uk/gardening/gardening_with_children/</a></p> <p>Draw and label the different parts of a flower or tree.</p> <p>Create a poster to show the life cycle of a plant.</p>	<p>Create a Torah Scroll. <i>Instructions taken from the website Twinkl and underneath the grid for guidance if needed!</i></p>	<p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IVfnesiV_cg">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IVfnesiV_cg</a>  Create your own version of his picture called 'Castle and Sun' just using 2D shapes.</p> <p>Watch how someone else has done this in this video.  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uAVhG1JBbxI">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uAVhG1JBbxI</a></p>	<p>Create your own Olympics! Look online at videos of different sports.</p> <p><i>Create an opening ceremony, make your own medals from modelling clay or card.</i></p>
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ICT base tasks	<p>Book suggestions:</p> <p><a href="https://www.booksfortopics.com/castles">https://www.booksfortopics.com/castles</a></p>	<p>Phonics and spelling games</p> <p><a href="https://new.phonicsplay.co.uk/">https://new.phonicsplay.co.uk/</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/5-7-years/words-and-spelling">https://www.topmarks.co.uk/english-games/5-7-years/words-and-spelling</a></p> <p>Castles Weblinks:</p> <p><a href="#">Harry Potter: First look at Hogwarts</a> - YouTube clip</p> <p><a href="#">Exploring castles</a> from castlexplorer.co.uk</p> <p><a href="#">Medieval Castle Timeline</a> from timeref.com</p> <p><a href="#">Early Castle Timeline</a> from primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk</p> <p><a href="#">Features of a medieval castle</a> from timeref.com</p> <p><a href="#">Images of Motte and Bailey Castles</a> from bbc.co.uk</p>	<p>These links will take you to learning about shapes and symmetry.</p> <p><a href="http://www.mathematicshed.com/shape-shed.html#">http://www.mathematicshed.com/shape-shed.html#</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.topmarks.co.uk/symmetry/symmetry-matching">https://www.topmarks.co.uk/symmetry/symmetry-matching</a></p> <p>Take a look at these links to maths websites which cover all areas of maths learning</p> <p><a href="https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/5-7-years/counting">https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/5-7-years/counting</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zwyyv4wx">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zwyyv4wx</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/">https://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/</a></p>	<p>Further websites for learning and ideas:</p> <p><a href="http://www.naturedetectives.org.uk/">http://www.naturedetectives.org.uk/</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.rhs.org.uk/education-learning/gardening-children-schools">https://www.rhs.org.uk/education-learning/gardening-children-schools</a></p>	<p>Look at these online clips BBC bitesize giving you a lot of insight into the religion.</p> <p><a href="https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zqbw2hv/resources/1">https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zqbw2hv/resources/1</a></p>	<p><i>Refer to above box.</i></p>	<p>Research an Olympic or Paralympic sport.</p> <p><i>Create fact file or a power point on your chosen sport.</i></p>
<p><b><u>Computing</u></b></p> <p>Have a look at these sites to access the programming the children have covered this academic year. See if you can remember how to use Turtle Academy or Scratch and do some coding!</p> <p>Scratch programming <a href="https://scratch.mit.edu">https://scratch.mit.edu</a></p> <p>Turtle Academy <a href="https://turtleacademy.com">https://turtleacademy.com</a></p>							

Additional resources are attached below.

## How to Make a Scroll

### You will need:

Tea bag

Water

Tray

Pens/pencils

Piece of paper

Art straws

Sticky tape

Scissors

String



### Instructions

1. (An adult needs to do this part.) Put a teabag in a tray and pour over boiling water. Let it soak for five minutes.
2. Dip the piece of paper in until it is covered.
3. Take it out of the water and let it dry.
4. Place the paper in front of you in landscape position.
5. Cut two art straws down so they are slightly longer than the length of the paper.
6. Attach an art straw on each end of the paper with sticky tape.
7. Write your own message on the scroll.
8. Roll the paper up from each edge.
9. Fasten together with string.

