

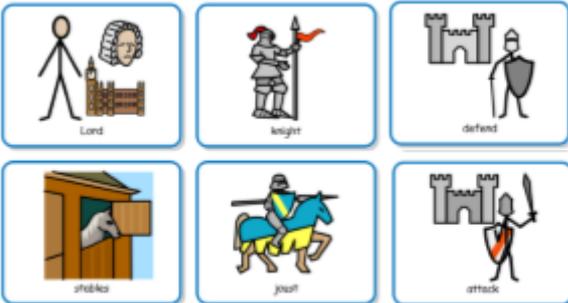


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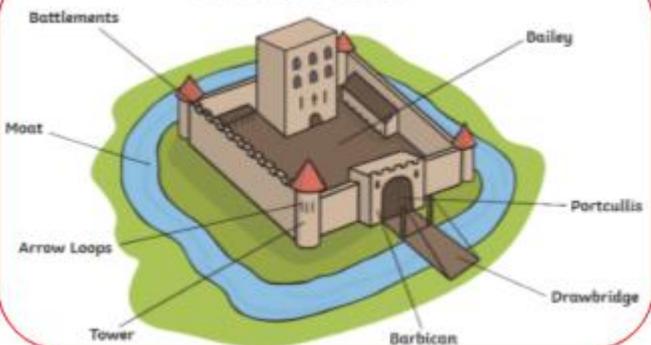
Castles

The children will be learning about castles, and what life was like in a castle in mediaeval times. They will locate and name countries and capital cities in the UK and where some castles are located. They learn about King Richard III and the Battle of Bosworth as a significant local event. They will look at portraits of kings and queens and create dragons and portraits through art.

Key Vocabulary



Parts of a Castle



Key Knowledge

Children will:

- Know that a castle is a defended building that is the home of a Lord or Prince.
- Know that castles have been around for about 900 years.
- Know that castles were first built with wood and later with stone.
- Know that there are different parts to a castle.
- Know that a castle has defences against attack and name some of these.
- Learn about the role of knights and some of their jobs.

Children will have the opportunity to visit Tamworth Castle to see some of the features of a castle.



Tamworth Castle



Windsor Castle



Cardiff Castle



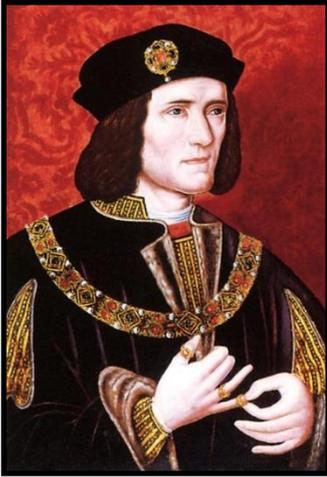
Warwick Castle



Edinburgh Castle



Dover Castle



Richard III

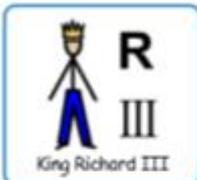
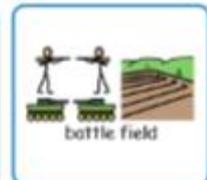
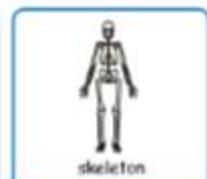
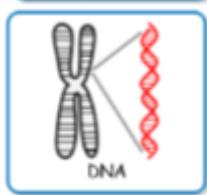
2 Oct 1452 - 22 Aug 1485

You can visit the Bosworth Battlefield and the Richard III visitor centre in Leicester.

<https://www.bosworthbattlefield.org.uk/>

<https://kriii.com/>

Key Vocabulary

 King Richard III	 battle field
 archaeologist	 skeleton
 killed	 DNA

Key Knowledge.

The children will learn about King Richard III. He was King of England from 1483-1485. He took part in the Battle of Bosworth on 22nd August 1485 which was part of the War of the Roses. Richard and Henry were fighting over who should be the King. Richard III was killed in the battle and buried at Greyfriars in Leicester. The location of his burial was forgotten over the years. In 2012 archaeologists excavated a car park in Leicester and found a skeleton. University of Leicester research concluded it was Richard III. He was reburied in Leicester Cathedral.

Richard III skeleton



Facial Reconstruction

