

Art

- Make an A4 or A3 collage, painting or sketch of a famous castle.
- Research Anglo Saxon artwork, especially the Bayeux tapestry and stone carvings. Present your research as a mood board, have a go at copying it or evaluate the artwork.
- Research Henry Matisse as an artist. Present your research in a creative way or have a go at copying an example of his artwork.

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- Design and make your own model castle using a material of your choice, this could even be a cake, Lego or cardboard castle, and label the key features of the castle.
- Research medieval food and recipes. This could include following a recipe, or making your own medieval food that you think would be suitable for a banquet.
- Research weapons used by knights and create your own junk model catapult. Safely test your catapult outside, with your family, to see if it works.
- Practise stitching techniques and make your own medieval inspired pouch.

History

- Research Tintagel or Berkeley castle using their website, creating your own detailed timeline of the key events, information booklet or video documentary.
- Write a story or diary entry imagining you are an Anglo Saxon explaining what it was like to live during this time.
- Find out what an Anglo Saxon village was like. Create and label your own model village with the key features.

King Arthur and The Knights of the Round Table

Year 3

Autumn Term Homework

Science

- Investigate what materials at home create shadows. Record in a table or through pictures which materials create shadows and those materials that do not.
- Make your own kaleidoscope and explain what you can see.
- Create your own shadow puppet show and share it with your family.
- Research James Clerk Maxwell or Thomas Edison and present what you have found out about them.

Geography

- Create a map of the UK, find and record the location of at least 10 famous castles, as well as key rivers and seas nearby.
- Identify the best location for King Arthur to build a new castle. Write a letter, create a poster or take photos of a location you think would be most suitable for a new castle and explain why.
- Go on a walk around Berkeley with your family. Take photos of your journey or draw it from memory when you get home.

PE

- Create your own fitness routine for a knight before battle.
- Create your own outdoor tic-tac toe game and compete in a family tournament competition.

Music

- Create your own musical instrument to play at a medieval banquet.
- Find out about the different musical instruments used during the Middle Ages and famous musicians at the time.

For homework this term, you need to select 10 pieces that you would like to do to help you discover more about our theme and record each one using the table below. You need to select at least one activity from each subject box. Each piece of work that you produce must be of high quality, as they will be shared with your class. Be as creative as you can and have fun completing each activity, you might even like to do an activity as a whole family. Your class teacher will regularly check-in with you to find out how you are getting on with each project. Once you have completed a piece of work, remember to bring it into school or take a photo, so that your class teacher and class can see the fantastic work that you have produced. All 10 pieces must be completed and handed in by Thursday 16th December.

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