

Literacy



In the first half term we will be looking at the short film The Tiny Crusader and writing our own story about the adventures of a knight.
After half-term we will be learning about different types of castles and the roles people played within them.

Maths



Year 2 - This term we will continue to learn about 2d and 3d shapes. We will then move onto fractions and time.

Year 3 - We will continue learning about length before moving onto fractions and time. Our work will extend to problem solving and developing reasoning skills.

PE



This term we are going to be developing our athletics skills and preparing for sports day. PE will take place on Mondays and Fridays.

Computing



We shall start the term practising maths skills using online resources and interactive maths programs.
Following that, we shall be creating animations using Pivot software.

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Knights and Castles

Science



Our Science topic is Magnets and Forces. We shall learn about the magnetic poles, and which materials are magnetic. We will learn that a force is a push or a pull, and then we will conduct experiments first with bows and arrows, and then with trebuchets to see how force applied can affect the distance travelled.

DT, Art and Music



In DT we will be designing and making our own castles, catapults and trebuchets.
In Art we will look at 'Castle and Sun' by Paul Klee. We will also create our own Bayeux Tapestry.
In Music we will explore medieval music and dance.

History



This term we are going to look at castles through time. We will learn about the different parts of a castle and their function, the geographical location of castles and castle life. We will also look at the life of a knight and their armour and weapons.
After half-term we will learn about the Battle of Hastings and William the Conqueror.

RE and PSHCE



This term we are going to explore places of worship across different religions. In PSHCE we will prepare for transition into a new year group. We will also learn how our school values of Nurture, Togetherness, Resilience and Creativity can help and inspire us.

French



Poppy class will be taught by Sandrine each week. We will learn about another French speaking country.