

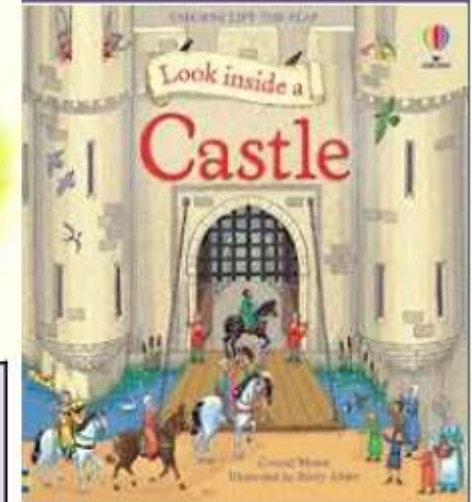
Castles KS1 Knowledge Mat

Subject Specific Vocabulary

Medieval	During the middle ages (500AD -1450AD).
Keep	Fortified tower built within the castle for defence.
Bailey	The outer wall of a castle.
Battlements	The top of the castle wall with raised and lowered sections to allow archers to fire arrows during battle.
Turrets	A small tower built on a castle, usually at the corner or built on top of larger tower.
Portcullis	A strong wooden or iron gate that can be raised to allow the drawbridge to be lowered.
moat	A deep ditch that surrounds a castle. It is sometimes filled with water.
Drawbridge	A bridge that can be lowered or raised over the moat.



Exciting Books



Sticky knowledge about castles

- King Charles lives in London.
- Bolsover Castle is close to Blackwell.
- Castles have thick walls to stop enemies from getting in.

Features of a castle:

Thick walls, portcullis, moat, drawbridge, keep, turrets, battlements, bailey

Did you know?

Old castles were made from wood.

What is history?

History is the study of the past