

Create a map to find the Queen's Jewels. Make a set of directions to guide your grown up to find them! Use words like forwards, backwards, left, right, half turn, quarter turn, three quarter turn, clockwise and anti-clockwise.

Choose a castle from another country to research. Find five interesting facts about the castle and share with an adult. Record this however you wish.

Design and make your own castle. Can you identify the different features? Think carefully about the materials you can use and why you use them. How could you make it strong?

Can you think of different ways to travel? Balance an object on your head like a beanbag or even an apple and pretend it is a crown! Time how long you can balance your object before it drops off!

Practise telling the time on an analogue clock using o'clock, half past, quarter past, quarter to and 5-minute intervals to and from the hour. For a challenge, use 1-minute intervals! Write a timetable for the castle, showing what time events happen and how long they last. If the battle starts at 2pm and lasts 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ hours, when will it finish? Log into Purple Mash and explore 'Fractions' and 'Time' activities.

Super spelling challenge: castle, knight, portcullis, dungeon, ramparts, drawbridge, battlements, ancient, armour, turret, absorbency, comparison, features

Parents - Please feel free to adapt these tasks to suit your child and present them in any way they wish. The homework on this grid is not compulsory although we do encourage the children to complete some of the tasks as this supports their learning in class. Please post any homework activities completed on Tapestry, or bring into school for our Friday home learning sharing time. so that we can share with the class.

Many thanks. The Year Two team.



Summer Homework Challenges

Dragons and Castles
1st half term



Design a 'Wanted' poster for a ferocious dragon! Describe its appearance and what its crime was. Do not forget to put a reward on your poster and who to contact!

Can you make a dragon's egg? You can choose from a variety of materials including a real egg, play doh, chocolate egg and Papier Mache balloon egg. Hide it somewhere. Write instructions and draw a map which shows where the egg is hidden. Can a member of your family follow your map and find the egg?

Pretend you are having a banquet. Follow a recipe to make some food for the banquet. Read the scales carefully when measuring out the ingredients. Use your fraction skills to divide food into equal groups and equal parts – use $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{3}{4}$ and for a challenge, explore thirds.