



History Skills

- Use common words or phrases relating to the passing of time.
- Talk, draw or write about aspects of the past.
- Identify similarities and differences between ways of life in different periods.
- Describe the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national achievements.
- Describe significant historical places in their own locality.

Year 1 objectives.

Year 2 objectives.

Computing Skills

- Recognise common used of information technology beyond school.
- Use technology purposefully to create, organise, store, manipulate

Theme: Castles

Science Skills

- Identify parts of the human body and link them to senses.
- Talk about what they can see, touch, smell, hear and taste.
- Explain the basic needs humans have in order to survive.
- Describe why exercise, a balanced diet and hygiene is important for humans.

Art Skills

- Pinch and roll coils using clay.
- Make simple joins.
- Construct a final piece using clay.
- Use decorative techniques.
- Replicate patterns from textures in 3D form.

RE Skills

- Talk about meaning of religious stories, celebrations and symbols.
- Understand why religion is important to people.

Key Vocabulary

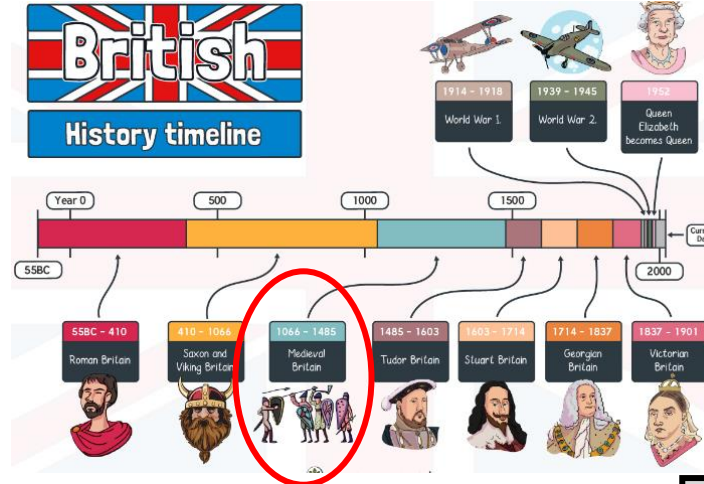
Castle, Norman, Medieval, Middle Ages, battle, catapult, battlements, drawbridge, moat, turret, knight, tapestry

Battle	A fight between enemy armies.
Battlements	Spaces on the roof of a castle for archers to shoot arrows through.
Castle	A medieval building built to protect anyone inside from enemy armies. Usually for a King or Queen or Lord.
Catapult	A weapon used to fire heavy items at far away enemies.
Drawbridge	A bridge over the moat which can be lowered or raised.
Knight	Someone who served their King or Lord by fighting in battles.
Medieval	Anything that happened during the Middle Ages is described as Medieval.
Middle Ages	400 year period between the year 1000 to about 1453.
Moat	A big ditch surrounding a castle, usually full of water.
Norman	Invaders who came to Britain and built many of the medieval castles.
Tapestry	A long piece of sewing usually telling a story. The Bayeux Tapestry is a very famous example.
Turret	A narrow tower on the top of a castle.

Castles



History timeline



Part of the Bayeux Tapestry



The Normans lived hundreds of years ago, before the Victorians.

battlements

moat



Bodiam Castle

turret



