

Year 2 Learning Grid – Spring 2

Humanities: Castles Science: Plants

Talk, think, read, write	Design and create	Let's perform
<p><u>Science – What plants do you eat?</u></p> <p>In our diets we eat lots of plants. List the plants you have eaten in one week and display your list in an interesting way. This could be a poster, picture diary, sketches – it's up to you! Don't forget to show evidence in your Homework Book.</p>	<p><u>Science – Growing and looking after plants</u></p> <p>Make a cress head. You might want to look these up online as there are many different varieties - all are great! Please keep a log/diary of the growth progress. This can be stuck into your Homework Book. We would love to have the finished products in school before you give them a haircut.</p>	<p><u>Castles – Dance</u></p> <p>You are a castle resident. Tonight you are providing the entertainment for the feast. You will perform a dance for guest. Research different medieval dances and make up one of your own to perform to your family at home.</p>
<p><u>Science – Gardening</u></p> <p>Spend some time looking after your garden. Help someone at home to maintain your garden. This could include lots of different jobs. We would love to see photo evidence of it in your Homework Book. Can you name any of the plants in your garden?</p>	<p><u>Castles – Design a Coat of Arms</u></p> <p>Research different coats of arms in medieval times. Google your surname and see if there is a coat of arms. Design your own coat of arms based on your family and your interests e.g. if you have a pet then this might feature in your coat of arms. Don't forget to show evidence in your Homework Book.</p>	<p><u>Castles – Homemade bread</u></p> <p>Bread was a staple for all meals within the castle. Find a recipe for bread; follow the recipe, bake your bread and enjoy! We would like to see photo evidence in your Homework book or even better, sample the bread.</p>
<p><u>Castles – Knights</u></p> <p>Can you find out 5 or more interesting facts about knights? Display these in an exciting way. Don't forget to show evidence in your Homework Book.</p>	<p><u>Castles – Diet</u></p> <p>We know that banquets in a castle featured many different dishes. Can you find 6 or more dishes? Display your dishes any way you wish e.g. poster, menu, drawings. You might even use a computer to help you present what you have discovered. Don't forget to show evidence in your Homework Book.</p>	<p><u>Castles – Jester Entertainment</u></p> <p>In medieval times, a jester was a form of entertainer much like we have clowns or comedians today. Record yourself entertaining your family. This may be by telling jokes or doing funny things. We would love to see the video. Bring it in using a USB stick.</p>