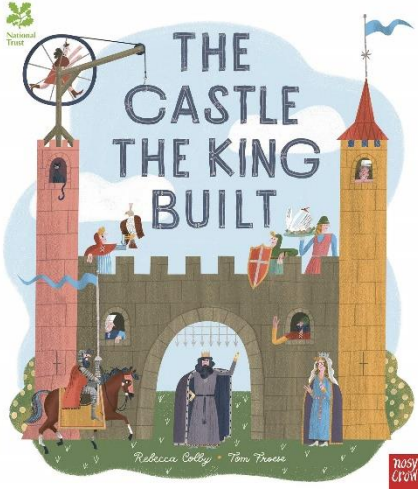
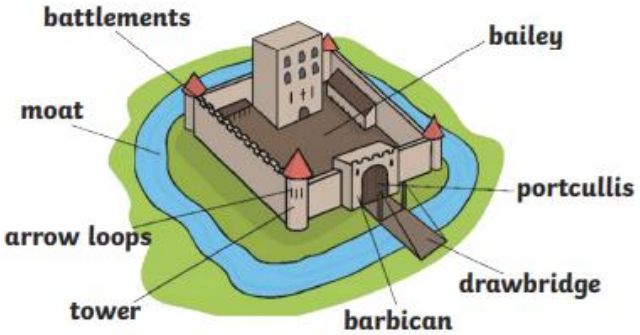
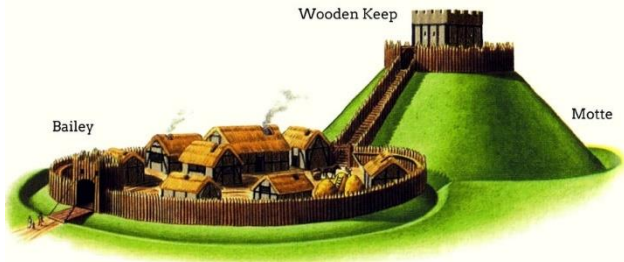




CLASS 3 | 4 | 5 – Inside the Castle Walls!

Glossary		Overview (and class book)		Castles and jobs
arrow slip	A narrow vertical slit in a castle wall from which arrows could be fired.	<p>This half term we will be learning about castles! We will be learning about how and where they were built, the different parts of a castle and who lived and worked in castles.</p> 		
battlements	Found at the top of a castle's walls, with openings to shoot through and raised sections for protection.			
castle	A large strong building, or group of buildings, designed to protect the people inside from attack.			
drawbridge	A bridge, which can be raised and lowered, often found over a castle's moat.			
keep	Fortified tower built within castles for defence.			
moat	A deep, wide ditch surrounding a castle, often filled with water.	Places	People	
portcullis	A strong, heavy spiked barrier that can be lowered to block an entrance.	<p>We will be learning about the 4 countries that make up the UK, their capital cities and famous castles across the UK.</p>	<p>We will be learning about different monarchs including Queen Elizabeth II and King Charles III who's second birthday is on 17th June.</p>	

Curriculum Links	KS1 Geography – Locational Knowledge and Geographical skills <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • name, locate and identify characteristics of the four countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom and its surrounding seas • use simple compass directions (North, South, East and West) and locational and directional language [for example, near and far; left and right], to describe the location of features and routes on a map Geography – key stages 1 and 2 3 • use aerial photographs and plan perspectives to recognise landmarks and basic human and physical features; devise a simple map; and use and construct basic symbols in a key 	You should already know Children should already know that castles are large structures and that a lot of castles are made out of stone. You should know that we live in England and that the capital of England is London.
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Inside the Castle Walls! - What do you already know What can you find out?		
Week 1: What are the key features of a castle?	Week 2: What does it mean to be Royal?	Week 3: How were castles defended?
Week 4: How were castles attacked?	Week 5: Why does York have city walls?	Week 6: What sort of jobs did people do in a medieval castle?