



<p><b>Quest Title: Castles, Kings and Queens.</b></p> <div data-bbox="219 280 1171 464"> <p><b>We Care, We Aspire, We Belong</b></p> <p>These words underpin the ethos of our school and the teaching and learning that takes place. We strive to ensure all children care for their community on every level, aspire to be the best they can be and most importantly, develop a strong sense of belonging here at Milverton Community Primary and Pre-School.</p> </div> <div data-bbox="219 491 645 683"> <p><b>We care by:</b> looking after each other, our resources and our classroom. Making sure everyone has someone to play with, being kind and sharing.</p> </div> <div data-bbox="219 699 645 826"> <p><b>We aspire by:</b> trying new things, practicing, taking on challenges and always trying our best.</p> </div> <div data-bbox="219 842 645 1018"> <p><b>We belong by:</b> working together and helping each other. Making our whole class a happy place to be. Earning house points for our houses.</p> </div> <div data-bbox="645 475 1207 1090">   </div>	<p><b>As historians:</b> We will study Kings and Queens with a focus on more recent monarchs. We will learn about the coronation of Queen Elizabeth II and compare it with the coronation of Charles III.</p> <p><b>As geographers:</b> We will study castles through history. We will study their features which we will look out for during our trip to Dunster Castle. We will learn about some of the many castles in the UK, considering their strategic locations and directions from the capital cities.</p> <p><b>As mathematicians:</b> We will be learning about multiplication and division, fractions, position and direction, place value to 100, time and money. We will continue to build our mental math skills including counting forwards and backwards from any number to 100. Counting in twos, fives and tens.</p> <p><b>As design and technologists:</b> We will design, build and review castles built using junk modelling materials.</p> <p><b>As scientists:</b> We will take part in some outside investigations in our lovely school grounds. We will study materials and linked to our DT castles we will consider the strength and properties of various material, and why some materials are more suitable than others.</p> <p><b>As linguists:</b> We will continue to learn our phonics which help us in both reading and writing. We will have lots of opportunities for discussions, role-play and questions to build our understanding and increase our vocabulary. We will continue to practise our lead-in handwriting. We will write our own version of both fiction and non-fiction texts.</p>
<p><b>Our learning adventures</b></p> <p>We have a very exciting term ahead. Our Quest will reach across the curriculum to enhance our understanding. We have two exciting trips planned: Year 1 Sports Festival at Kingsmead where we will join other schools for a morning of sports activities. Also, a day trip to Dunster Castle with Class 2. We will also have a recycling themed assembly and workshop delivered at school from Carymoor.</p>	<p><b>As artists:</b> We will learn about the artist Paul Klee and produce art in his style in dry media and paint. We will learn to mix secondary colours, and light and dark shades to decorate our castles.</p> <p><b>As musicians:</b> We will listen and draw to Anna Meredith's <i>Nautilus!</i>, listen to and create patterns to rhyming songs, and join in call and response songs and instruments.</p>

Class: 1  
Term: Summer 2025