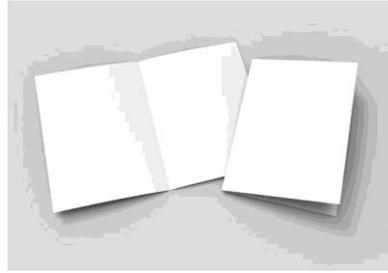


## Timetable 8<sup>th</sup> April 2020

<p><b>Reading Mission:</b> 30 minutes</p>	<p><b>Children to read through and rewrite this text, correcting the punctuation and grammar. Get as far as you can in 30 minutes! They can use the lined paper from General Resources to do this.</b></p> <p>castles were first builded in around 1066 when the normans invadered england they brung over some of their fascinating ideas and one of these were the motte and bailey castle the main house was called the keep and it standed on top of a big hill called a motte it was protectered by a large wooden wall called a palisade</p> <p>after a while building technology improved and people would of builded castles with stone instead the nobles that lived there would of feeled much safer because the walls were reliable and strong when arrows and weapons striked against them they would of just bounced off when the defenders threwed boiling oil off the battlements the attackers usually runned away they also would of maked a moat around the castle and putted all sorts of nasty bits in it no-one swimmmed in that attackers choosed to attack the portcullis and risk getting burned or risk goed through the rancid waters of the moat</p> <p>people would of thinked that castles were unbeatable that is until gunpowder was first maked and bringed to england the invincible castle walls could now be teared down by anyone who have gunpowder they were easily beated after this castles were builded less frequently as people choosed to build luxurious comfortable homes instead</p>
<p><b>Writing Mission:</b> 30 minutes</p>	<p>Today you choose your mission: Are you going to create a book about the features of a castle? Or write instructions for how to attack one?</p> <p>Here are guidelines for both.</p> <p><b>Creating a book:</b> Your book can have as many pages as you like, depending on how many sections you would like and how much you would like to write. In this suggestion I will describe a book with 4 sections. Take 2 sheets of A4 paper. Lay them exactly over each other and fold in the middle so that you have 4 A5 sheets that look like this:</p>



When one is inside the other you have your book template! First you should number the pages so that you know which way is up and which order they go in. Remember books have writing on both sides of the page!

You are then free to design your title and front cover, your contents page (on the other side of the front cover) and your four sections. These could be Moat, Walls, Gatehouse and Drawbridge, Keep and Bailey. But they could be whatever you decide! You will have one blank page at the end before your back cover if you wanted to split e.g. the Keep and Bailey into two sections.

Once you have decided your sections, you should write your title at the top and decide where you would like to write. You might want to fill the page, or only part of it to leave space for pictures.

Your writing for the book should include:

Expanded noun phrases

Conjunctions

Paragraphs

Headings and sub-headings

**Instructions for attacking a castle:** You now know what defenses you will have to overcome to take that castle away from the evil enemy lord who owns it, and you know what weapons you have available. You are going to explain to all of your generals exactly how to capture that castle for you!

Think about the order in which you are going to have to overcome obstacles (*moat, walls/gatehouse, bailey, second moat?, motte, keep*) and what it is that might help you get past them, e.g. to get past walls and gatehouse you might use a siege tower, but you would have to find the wood. You might use a battering ram on the gate, but there could be a drawbridge, etc.

Use fronted adverbials that are also adverbs of time (First, you must..., Once you have..., After you have...,) to help start your sentences and organise the order of events.

	<p>Challenge: Include backup plans if something goes wrong, e.g. the walls are too strong to be knocked down by your mangonel.</p> <p>These instructions should include:          Fronted adverbials          Adverbs of time and cause          Present perfect tense          Expanded noun phrases          Conjunctions to write sentences with more than one clause</p>
<b>Maths Mission:</b> 30 minutes	Play through the Mystery at Eagleton Castle maths game. The answers are at the end of the document.
<b>Topic Mission:</b> <b>Day 3</b>	<p>In the General Resources folder there is a set of nets that will allow you to create your own castle! This activity is designed to take you the rest of the week to decorate, cut out and add to. You could stick the constructed nets onto a large piece of cardboard if you have had deliveries, or several cereal boxes stuck together with glue or sellotape.</p> <p>Optional extras:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create your own nets! Can you create circular towers? A church for the bailey? An extension that fits on the keep? Make sure to measure carefully!</li> <li>• Decorate your base – do you have a moat? Paths in the bailey?</li> <li>• Create people to live in your castle – draw them and leave a tab at the bottom to stick them to your base.</li> <li>• Create a motte from play-doh, a plastic bowl or some other items.</li> <li>• Create your own castle from any other materials – cardboard, LEGO, Meccano, wood, anything!</li> </ul>

These Missions have been designed to be accessible, using little resources and most importantly fun for your children to complete. Please use what you can, any resources you do not have could be substituted for something else and suggestions have been made for this where possible.

