



Tyndale Primary School Curriculum – History Knowledge Organiser



Topic: Fairy tales and Superheroes

Year:1

Strand: Timelines and Changes over time

What I know already.

Nurses and doctors are people who help you when you are really hurt or feeling poorly.
 Understand words and phrases such as: old, new and a long time ago.
 Who lives in a castle.
 Know the plots of traditional fairy tales, for example Jack and the Beanstalk, and the Ginger Bread man.

What I will know by the end of the unit.



Layout and History behind Caerphilly Castle. Different features of a castle (as seen in Key Vocabulary).

Explore the timeline of my life from a baby to 5 years old, including learning to crawl, walk, talk, swim, and starting nursery and school.



Historian Skills

- Order life events chronologically.
- Explain how I have changed since I was born.
- Talk about the area I live in and important local buildings.
- Recognise old and new objects.

Famous person – Queen Elizabeth II

Who is the Queen?

Queen Elizabeth II

How long has she been the Queen?

She has reigned for 67 years.

Where does she live?

She lives in Windsor Castle, however spends time in Buckingham Palace (London).

Who are her family?

The Queen is married and has 4 children. These 4 children are Princes and Princesses.

What is her job?

Queen Elizabeth II rules over the UK. She helps to make important decisions in our country.

What other roles would you find in a castle? (Past and present)

Kings, Queens, Lords, Ladies, Princes, Princesses, Knights, Cooks, Craftsman, Servants.



Key Vocabulary

Moat	A deep, wide ditch surrounding a castle.
Motte	A mound forming the site of a castle.
Bailey	The outer wall of a castle.
Arrow slits	A narrow vertical slit in a wall for shooting.
Turrets	A small tower on top of a larger tower.
Drawbridge	A bridge over a castle's moat, which may be raised to prevent people crossing.
Portcullis	A strong, heavy grate that can be lowered down to block a gateway.
Dungeon	A dark, underground prison.
Shield	A piece of metal providing protection.
Sword	A weapon with a long metal blade.
Chainmail	A flexible armour consisting of small metal rings linked together.
Armour	A metal suit to protect the body in battle.
Princess	The daughter of a king or queen.
Prince	The son of a king or queen.
Queen	A female ruler.
King	A male ruler.
Knight	A Soldier in armour who serves the King or Queen.
Reign	The amount of time a King or Queen has ruled the country for.
Monarchy	A King or Queen ruling a country.

Global Issue Link

Animal rights

Previous Topic Links

Fairy tales

Opportunities to Promote Equality and Diversity

The role of a woman - how it was different years ago to now. What has changed and why.