



History Y7-The Normans Build Castles! Write a book all about them!



The Peri-ometer suggests the challenge the Home learning may offer. How **hot** are you willing to go?!



	Chapter 1 What were the earliest Norman castles like?	Chapter 2 Why can't we go and look round a Motte and Bailey castle today?	Chapter 3 What were Square Keep Castles like?	Chapter 4 Dragon's Den- which castle would you try and persuade the Dragons to buy?	Finishing touches!	Make a model and bring it in! (Date to be confirmed by your teacher) A photo/video will do!
L6	Evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of Motte and Bailey castles and how far they helped William keep Control	Research some Motte and bailey castle sights and explain why none remain today. Plot some on a map of Britain - Can you find some quotes to describe what they were like from people at the time?	Design an Estate Agents leaflet for a Square Stone Keep. Don't forget to include the exterior defences as well as the internal rooms etc. Look on line for examples of Estate Agent leaflets	Create a Dragon's Den sales pitch to present to the class (and perhaps some mystery dragons) on either the Motte and Bailey castle or the Square Keep. Push the strengths of one over the weaknesses of the other Design supporting material too – flyers, posters, rosettes etc	Complete your book with a front and back page, contents, glossary, blurb, quiz etc	Make a model of either a Motte and Bailey castle or a Stone Keep castle out of cake, lego, building bricks cardboard, etc. Include instructions on how you made it for other people to follow
L5	Explain what Motte and Bailey Castles were like and assess their strengths and weaknesses	Find pictures of the remains of Motte and Bailey castles and explain why no complete ones still exist today. What parts might still exist?	Design an Estate Agents leaflet for a Square Keep Castle. Look on line for examples of Estate Agent leaflets	Create a Dragon's Den sales pitch to present to the class (and perhaps some mystery dragons) on either the Motte and Bailey castle or the Square Keep. Push the strengths of one over the weaknesses of the other	Make a front cover for your book. Pick two extra items to include from a glossary, blurb, a quiz, quotes from those who've read it etc	Make a model of either a Motte and Bailey castle or a Stone Keep castle out of cake, lego, cardboard, etc. Include instructions on how you made it for other people to follow
L4	Describe what a Motte and Bailey castle was like with the aid of pictures/diagrams	Explain why it is not possible to go and look around a Motte and Bailey castle today	Find out about a Square Keep Castle. Take people on a short tour around it.	Prepare a 'Dragon's Den' sales pitch for either the Motte and Bailey castle or the Square Keep castle. Why should we buy it? Remember to criticise your competitor (the one you are not doing) as well as advertising the one you are	Make a front cover for your book. Pick one extra item to include from glossary, blurb, a quiz, quotes from those who've read it etc	Make a model of either a Motte and Bailey castle or a Stone Keep castle out of cake, lego, cardboard, etc
L3	Research, Draw and label a Motte and Bailey Castle	Write one or two sentences to explain why there are no complete Motte and Bailey castles today	Research a Square Keep castle	Prepare a 'Dragon's Den' sales pitch for either the Motte and Bailey castle or the Square Keep castle. Why should we buy it?	Make a front cover for your book	Make a model of either a Motte and Bailey castle or a Stone Keep castle out of cake, lego, cardboard, etc