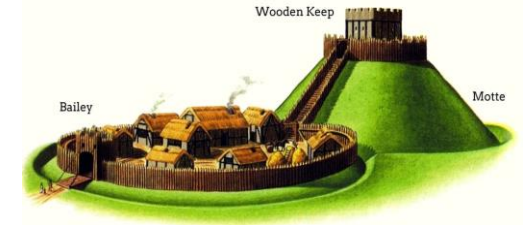


# Year 2 Tales, Towers and Turrets Knowledge Organiser

Knowledge

Skills

Vocabulary



## Curriculum Coverage

### History

To understand events beyond living memory that are significant nationally or globally.

### Geography

To use basic geographical vocabulary to refer to: key physical features, including beach, cliff, coast, forest, hill, mountain, sea, ocean, river, soil, valley, vegetation, season, weather

### Big Questions

Why was 1066 so important to British history?

What are some key physical geographical features around castles?

## Knowledge Progression Learning Questions

What are the countries and capital cities of the United Kingdom?

What are the physical features of a castle?

Who built the first castles in the United Kingdom?

What are the features of Norman and medieval castles?

Why were some castles built on hills?

What was it like to live in a castle?

What are the castles in the United Kingdom's capital cities like?

How can we explore and make maps?

## Mastery Milestones

I can explain the importance of the Battle of Hastings.

I can explain why castles are built in particular locations based on their physical features.



## Key Vocabulary

Monarch, Normans, castle, protect, defend

### Historical vocabulary

King, battle, Hastings, William the Conqueror, King Edwards the Confessor, army, soldier, motte and bailey, stone, Middle Ages, peasant,

### Geographical vocabulary

Hill, fort, mountain, sea, ocean, river, cliff, coast, forest, United Kingdom, England, Scotland, Wales, Ireland

## History Skills Progression

Recognise why people did things, why events happened and what happened as a result. Identify differences between ways of life at different times.

## Geographical Skills Progression

Ask simple geographical questions. Use non-fiction sources to find out information. Begin to understand the need for a key on a map. Use an atlas to locate places. Locate and name major features of the UK.



Early Years	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Understanding the World	Whizzpoppers  Home Sweet Home	Tales, Towers and Turrets  Flight	From Caesteleshamm to Chesham  Yabba-Dabba-Doo!  A Journey Down the Nile	Revolutionary Romans  Raiders, Invaders and Settlers  Adventurers and Explorers	The Golden Age  Bean to Bar  Eureka!	I have a dream...  Blitzed  Crime and Punishment