

# History Year 1 Knowledge Organiser

## Main Learning: Castles

Key knowledge
Know why we have castles and what they were for
Know what a castle is
Know why castles were needed to protect people
Know there are castles near Edwinstowe
Know about the special features of a castle
Know stories mention castles

Vocabulary	
moat	An area of water surrounding the castle
drawbridge	A special entrance that could be lifted or opened
keep	A central area in the castle where the important people would have slept and ate
hill	A piece of land that is naturally elevated.
coast	Where the land meets the sea.
Nottingham	A city in England that has a castle.



	Prior Knowledge -
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