

Year 2 Topic Vocabulary – Spring 2, 2026

Towers, Tunnels & Turrets

This term, we will be learning about castles, Royal figures in history and the present. Below is a list of key words and phrases that are related to this topic. We feel it is important for the children to have some understanding of the basic vocabulary before they begin the topic. In order to support your child's learning, we would like you to spend some time talking about the meaning and understanding of these words and phrases. We encourage parents to use their home language to talk about these words and phrases to help children understand these words, especially if another language is spoken at home.

Pupil Challenge:

Are you a Word Wizard? Can you spot any of these key words being used in the correct context outside of school (in newspapers, shops, advertisements, etc)? Earn merit points by photographing or bringing in the articles where the words are being used for us to share in class.

bridge royalty King Queen castle tower tunnel turrets fortress arch	crown jewels portcullis medieval motte bailey moat viaduct drawbridge archer arrow
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Thank you for your support.

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