

Year 1 History - Kings and Castles

What was it like to live 1000 years ago?

Sticky Knowledge

- William the conqueror was king of England in 1066
- Main features of Motte and Bailey castles are: motte, bailey, keep, moat, drawbridge, palisade
- Our monarch is King Charles III
- William the Conqueror became King of England by winning the Battle of Hastings.
- People lived within the castle Bailey or close to castles for protection.

Vocabulary

king battle conquer crown castle Motte and Bailey Domesday Book monarch rule reign Parliament past present keep moat drawbridge palisade

Significant People

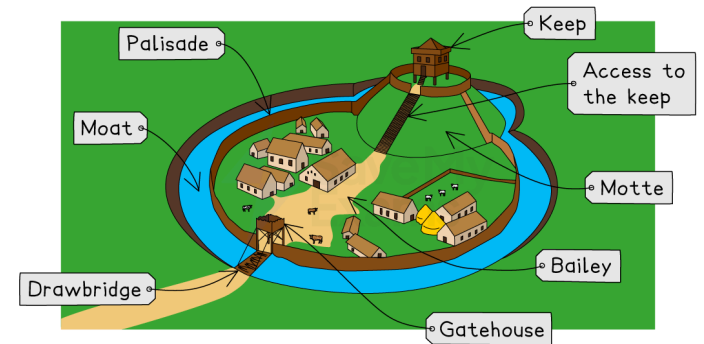
William the Conqueror



King Charles III



Key knowledge



The Normans were people from Normandy in France. They ruled in Britain from 1066 to 1154. They invaded in 1066, nearly one thousand years ago! In 1066, a famous battle took place called the **Battle of Hastings**. They were led by William the Conqueror.



The Bayeux Tapestry shows the Battle of Hastings.

Key skills I will learn

- Knowing where people/events studied fit on a timeline.
- Identifying similarities and differences at different times.
- Identifying simple reasons for changes.
- Asking questions.
- Finding out about people, events and beliefs in society.

