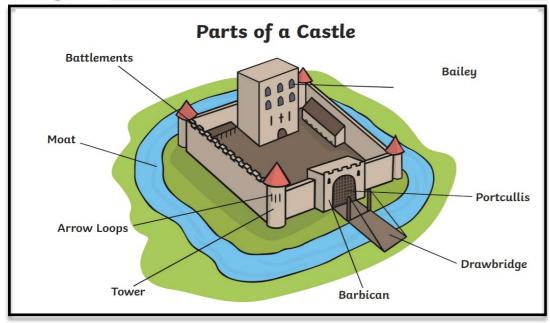
Year 2: Autumn 1 **Towers, Tunnels and Turrets**











Castles

A castle was a type of home that was built to protect the people inside. It usually had very high walls with towers built in to defend an attack. People who owned castles were usually very rich. They included kings, queens, lords, ladies and knights. It took a lot of people to run a castle, so there were usually lots of servants and soldiers that could be found in a castle.

Subject Specific Vocabulary		
Bailey	The courtyard or flat ground, inside the outer wall of a castle.	
Gatehouse	The entrance to a castle.	
Keep	The strong, central tower of a castle.	
Moat	A deep, wide ditch surrounding a castle, fort or town. It is usually filled with water as a defence against attack.	
Motte	A small hill in the middle of a castle on which a fort or keep is built.	
Structure	Something that has been built from parts, like a large building.	

Charles II & Charles III

Charles II was King of England, Ireland and Scotland in the 1600s. He was famously the King during the Great Fire of London in 1666.

Charles III is the current King of the United Kingdom. He became King in 2022 when he was 73 years old.





Science

Burrowing Animals

Animals such as moles, rabbits, worms, ants and badgers are burrowing animals. They use different parts of their body to dig tunnels. Burrowing animals spend all or most of their time in their tunnels.

Badgers

Badgers have very strong legs and powerful claws for digging tunnels. They have a strong sense of smell and a cone-shaped nose to push their way through the soil.

PSHE

Unit 1: Being me in my world



Maths

Number & place value | Addition & Subtraction

https://whiteroseeducation.com/resources? year=year-2-new&subject=maths





English

There's No Dragon in this Story - Nobody wants him in their story. Not Goldilocks, not Hansel and Gretel - no one. But Dragon will not give up! He shall continue on his course of finding someone who wants him in their story.



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Unit 1: Personal skills

PE

Build solid structures, exploring how they can be made stronger, balanced and stable.

Reluctant Pagon

Computing

Use Purple Mash to learn how to code, creating simple algorithms and fixing simple problems.

RE

What does the Torah mean for Jewish people?