

**Willow Class Term 1 Home Learning**

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| Start a weather diary. Can you see any patterns after a week, month, season? Keep it going for as long as you can. What do you notice as we head into Autumn?  Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Signed | What are Castles? Do some research to find out what castles are and why they were built. Locate the different parts e.g. wall, keep, gatehouse.  Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Signed | Visit a Castle e.g. Sudeley Castle, take photographs and write facts about it. Research facts on the internet if it is not possible to visit. There are lots of facts available on their websites!  Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Signed | Find out about food from the medieval era. List the different types of food they would have eaten.  Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Signed |
| Make a drawbridge that is strong enough to hold a 1kg weight. Look at pictures of real bridges to find out what shapes and structures are important.  Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Signed | Objects are made out of different materials because their properties are most suited for the job the object does. Look around your house and find different objects. Decide what material it is made from. Why has that material been used?  Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Signed | Create a timeline showing when different Castles were built. Highlight how Castles have changed over time.  Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Signed | Find out what’s in your garden soil. Put a layer of soil in an empty jar with a lid. Fill the jar about 3/4 full of water, put the lid on tight and give it a shake. Leave the jar to settle. You should see different layers of materials. Can you work out what they are?  Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Signed |
| Order numbers to 100. Can you see a special pattern when you count in 5s and 10s?  Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Signed | Make a 3D model of a Castle. You could use cereal boxes, toilet roll tubes etc.  Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Signed | If you think of another piece of home learning you would really like to do, write it here and share it with us:  Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Signed | If you think of another piece of home learning you would really like to do, write it here and share it with us:  Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Signed |

Please remember, it is also expected that all children read to an adult for five to ten minutes every day. Please record this in reading records as this will be checked daily. Happy reading ☺

Teacher comment: