

Maths

- 2D shape castle pictures
- Building castles with 3D shapes: names and properties.
- Patterns: on crowns.
- Counting: Towers of cubes
- Make a castle with Numicon
- Measuring/estimating

Literacy

Stories:

- The little princess
- Rapunzel
- Sleeping beauty
- The paperbag princess
- Instructions for making a sandcastle.
- Would you want to live in a castle and why?
- Labelling parts of a castle.

PSED

- Working together to build a bridge to go over a moat
- Following rules.

Physical Development

- Weaving
- Decorate a crown/shield with "gems" using tweezers.
- Keeping healthy including sleep (sleeping beauty)

Turrets and towers

Understanding the World

- Who works in a castle: jobs
- Building castles, looking at different designs: with construction kits, junk and sugar cubes.
- Sandcastles- investigate wet/dry sand
- Making food for the banquet.
- Who lives in castles today (royal family).

Expressive Arts & Design

- Designing and making shields, headwear.
- Paper weaving pennants.
- Castle role play
- Dress up day.

Communication & Language

- Would you like to be a king/queen? Why
- What would you do if you were a king/queen?
- Planning a banquet.
- Role play.

Weekly Forest School Learning

- Dragon hunting, looking for clues
- Designing and making Dragon traps