



Year 7 Castles Project.





Every year the History department runs a castles competition with two categories. Students can either enter a **model castle** or a **castles brochure**. There are prizes for each category which will be awarded in the new school year after judging has taken place.

In the past the standard for both categories has been excellent and the number of entries very high. All entrants will gain house points.

The department is inviting ALL year 7s to enter and hopes it is a bumper year!

Category 1: Model Castle Building Project.

Students can choose to build a model of an existing castle or they can choose to build a style of castle such as a Motte and Bailey, a Square/Stone Keep castle or a Concentric castle using whatever materials they have to hand. There is no need to pay for materials and ingenuity/effort is as important as a 'polished' project.







Category 2: Castle Brochure.

Students should produce an information brochure about a castle that could be visited today. The brochure should be informative and educational. It should include information about its history, its defences and how it has been used over time. It may also include why it was abandoned. We can print these off in colour if needed – just email your Year 7 teacher.

All entries will be due in to the History Department in the first week of term.







Useful links: https://www.exploring-castles.com/castle-designs/

https://tinyurl.com/2xsf84v7

http://www.fellowshipofisis.com/olivia7a 2010.html







