



Summer 2

Lostwithiel Primary School

Year 2



Restormel Castle - remarkable or ruin?

History Knowledge Organiser

Oak Tree Class

1200s the castle, bridge and Duchy Palace were built.

1280 Lostwithiel became the Capital of Cornwall

1337 The First Duke of Cornwall was appointed

1348 The Plague

1354 The Black Prince stayed at Restormel Castle

1362/3 The Black Prince stayed at Restormel castle for Christmas

1376 The Black Prince Died

1451 Christopher Columbus was born.

Lostwithiel Chronology/Timeline

Prior Learning:

- That the Great Fire of London was in 1666
- Florence Nightingale (also born in Italy) was born in 1820
- Lostwithiel Medieval Bridge was built in the 13th Century by Edmund Earl of Cornwall

Key Historical Vocabulary - history, timeline, sequence, time periods, old, earliest, latest, past, present, future, after, monarch, **duke**, **duchy**, **hunting**, **lodge**, stannary, castle, tin, **silt**, **plague**

General terms and Cross Curricular Vocabulary

ruin	A structure which has broken down and decayed.	key	A thing that gives a way of understanding something.
monarch	A king, queen or Emporer.	symbol	A picture or letter that stands for something else.
duke	The most important title in Britain below monarch.	tour	A journey where several things are seen.
duchy	The land owned by the duke or duchess.	map	A picture showing where places are in relation to each other.
castle	A large stone building, normally medieval, built against attack.	aerial	Something happening in the air.

Key Historical Concepts - Top 5 Facts

1. Restormel Castle was originally built by Edmund Earl of Cornwall who also built the bridge, great hall (Duchy Palace) and the square tower on St. Bartholomew's in the same century.
2. The Duchy of Cornwall is a title awarded to the Monarch's first born.
3. The Black Prince (son of Edward III) was the first Duke of Cornwall.
4. The Black Prince stayed in the castle during the summer of 1354 and the winter of 1362/3.
5. The plague and the silting up of the river because of tin streaming on the moors meant Lostwithiel began to decline.

Cross Curricular Links

Geography

- Use maps, atlases and globes to identify the UK and selected other countries.
- Construct basic maps using symbols in a key.

Art

- To use a range of materials creatively to design and make products.
- To develop a wide range of art and design techniques in using colour, pattern, texture, line, shape, form and space.

Linked documents: Class Overview, History Whole School Progression document and Class Medium Term Planning.