



# MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

## Literacy and Numeracy

In Content Knowledge students have continued to learn about Medieval Europe. We have begun reading the text 'King Arthur and The Round Table'.

In Text Construction students are continuing their work on Narratives. They have been using their knowledge on Medieval Europe to create texts about knights, Kings and Queens.

In Numeracy students have been learning about calculating change. They have also continued their work on multiplication by using the area method to solve more complex problems.



King Arthur  
*and*  
The Round Table

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## Skills in Focus : Word Work



During the literacy block students explore the morphology of words. This helps them to have a better understanding of spelling patterns, meaning and structures of words.

This week students will be focusing on the 'arch' root word. This has the meaning of chief, leader or ruler. Some examples of these words are monarch, archive, hierarchy.

## Upcoming Learning

In Literacy students will continue to explore the Text 'King Arthur and The Round Table'.

In numeracy students will be completing their unit on multiplication and then putting their new knowledge to the test with some engaging grapple tasks.

