

Living in a Castle

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'This sheet will tell you what it was like to live in a castle.'

1. Copy this into your book:

Stone castles were much stronger than wooden ones. William encouraged his Norman friends to build stone castles as soon as they could. The castles had huge thick walls. Sometimes the walls were 4 metres thick. The Normans felt safe in their castles.

2. Copy this out choosing the right word to write out:

Stone castles were very **strong/quidditch**. Soldiers living in the **castle/tent** could hold out for weeks or months if they had enough **food/broomsticks**. Sometimes an army had to camp all round a castle and just wait until the **soldiers/wizards** inside starved.

3. Copy this diagram into your book:

