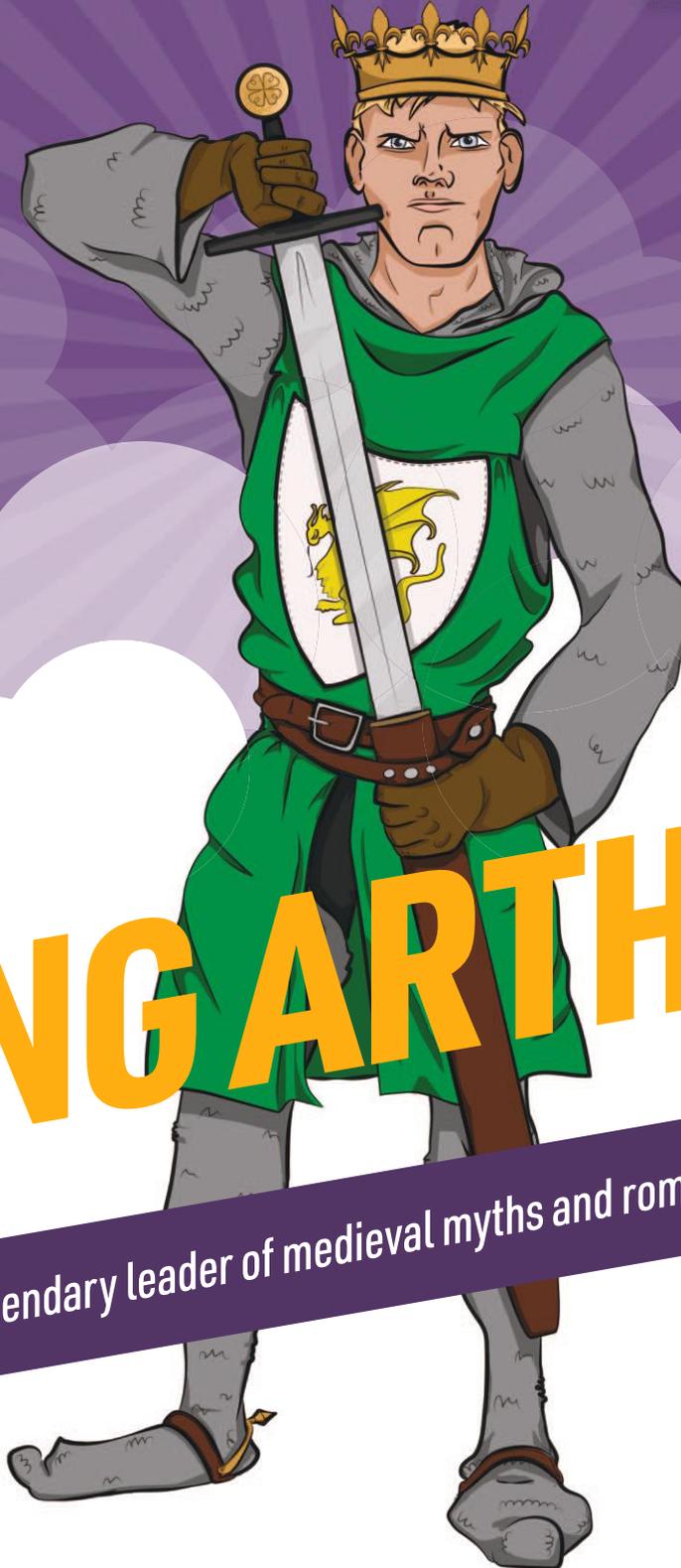


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# HEROES LEGENDS



# KING ARTHUR

Legendary leader of medieval myths and romances

# Make a crown like King Arthur's

## You will need...

A tape measure or a piece of string  
A cereal box, or some cardboard  
Sticky tape  
Scissors  
A pencil  
A ruler

## How to make it...

1

Measure the size of your head with a tape measure or a piece of string.

5

If you are using more than one piece tape the pieces together to make one long strip.



2

Using your ruler draw a straight line, the same size as your head at the edge of the cardboard, or lay the string along the card and mark the size of your head.

6

Wrap it round your head to check it fits

If you are using a small box or piece of cardboard you may have to make a crown in two parts.

7

Time to get decorating whilst it is still a flat piece.

What kind of design do you think King Arthur would have wanted?



3

Using the edge of the cardboard as the base of your crown, draw your crown design.

8

When you have finished decorating use sticky tape to stick the two ends together to make one continuous loop of cardboard.



4

Cut out your crown



9

Now you have your crown, pop it on and begin your reign.

Looking fab your Highness!

# Knights of the Round Table

This test of your chivalry will determine which knight of the round table you are.

You are out shopping for some new clothes but the person in front of you has forgotten their money. What do you do?

- A Turn on the charm and use your winning personality to convince the shop assistant to give the person the clothes for free.
- B Confidently offer to pay for the person's clothes and ask if there is anything else you can help them with.
- C Assess the clothes the person wants to buy and give them your coat, explaining that it would suit them better.
- D Tut, elbow your way forward and use your size to intimidate the shop assistant into giving the clothes for free.

Answer

Your neighbour's home has been burgled! What do you do?

- A Calm the neighbour down by telling a few jokes. After chatting with you, they will forget all their woes.
- B Assess the situation, set up a perimeter and check for clues. You are determined to bring the criminal to justice.
- C The house is an absolute wreck. Tidy up whilst listening to some inspiring music so your neighbour doesn't have to face the mess.
- D Hunt down the thief. No one can escape you. They will pay.

Answer

A child is crying in the street. They approach you and say they have lost their parents. What do you do?

- A Make the child feel comfortable and reassure them it will be okay. You cannot stand seeing them cry.
- B Calmly and confidently make sure the child is safe and alert the authorities. They will have the best resources to find the child's parents.
- C Send out your trusty falcon to find the child's parents. They get the best view from the skies.
- D Lift the child onto your shoulders so they can get a better view over the crowds. Maybe then they can find their parents.

Answer

4. You have been challenged to a duel by a rival. What do you do?

- A Convince your rival that they don't want to fight. You can solve any problem by chatting about it.
- B Accept the challenge, but give your rival a chance to back out. You must defend your honour.
- C Take on the challenge, but whilst fighting you insult their style to put them off.
- D Pfft. No problem. You are not afraid of anything.

Answer

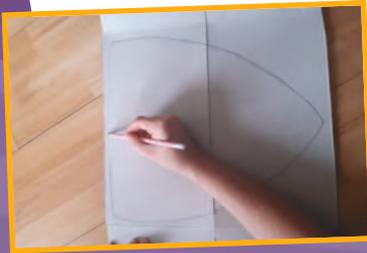


# Make a shield

## How to make it...

1

Using your pencil, draw out your shield design on the cardboard. It can be any shape you want!



2

Cut out your design using your scissors.



3

Using the bits of cardboard you have left over, draw out a long thin rectangle shape. A little way from each end, draw a dotted line across the width. This will help in the next step.



4

Cut out the rectangle. Then place your ruler across the dotted line you just made and fold the end of the rectangle up on each side.



5

It should look something like this. The little folded parts will be used as tabs to attach this handle onto your main shield.



6

Bend your handle into an arch shape, and using sticky tape on the tabs, attach it to the back of your main shield.



7

And you have your shield!



8

Try decorating it with colours and patterns to make it stand out in a crowd!

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- Scissors
- A pencil
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# Get creative

Colour in this drawing of King Arthur



We would love to see photos of your creations so please send them to [educate.leeds@armouries.org.uk](mailto:educate.leeds@armouries.org.uk)

Answers to Anagram Mix up!  
1. Excalbur  
2. Round Table  
3. King Arthur  
4. Sword in the stone  
5. Wizard