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# BUILD YOUR OWN CASTLE

**Great for: an extended holiday project for children or the whole family. You can each take responsibility for different sections of the castle.**

If you have a garden you may want to build your castle outside (it can get a bit messy!) or you could build a Norman sand-castle in a sand-pit or on the beach.

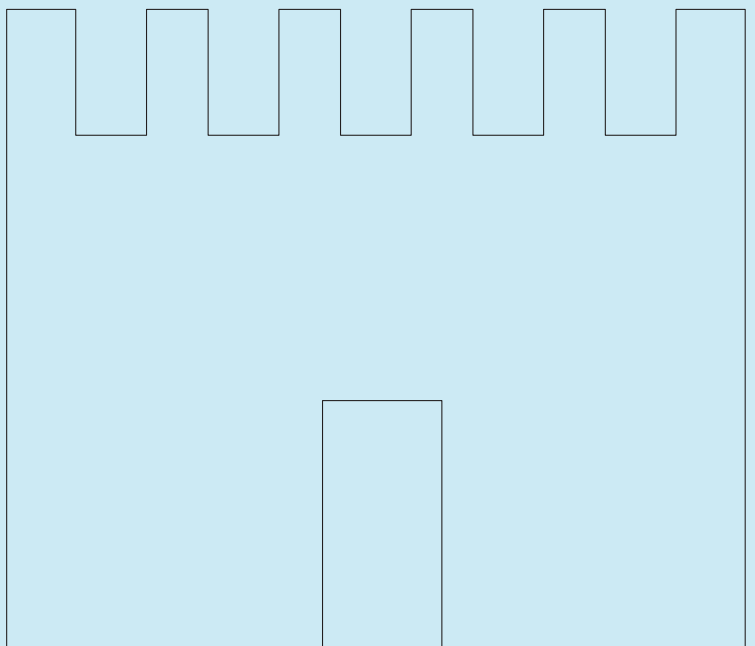
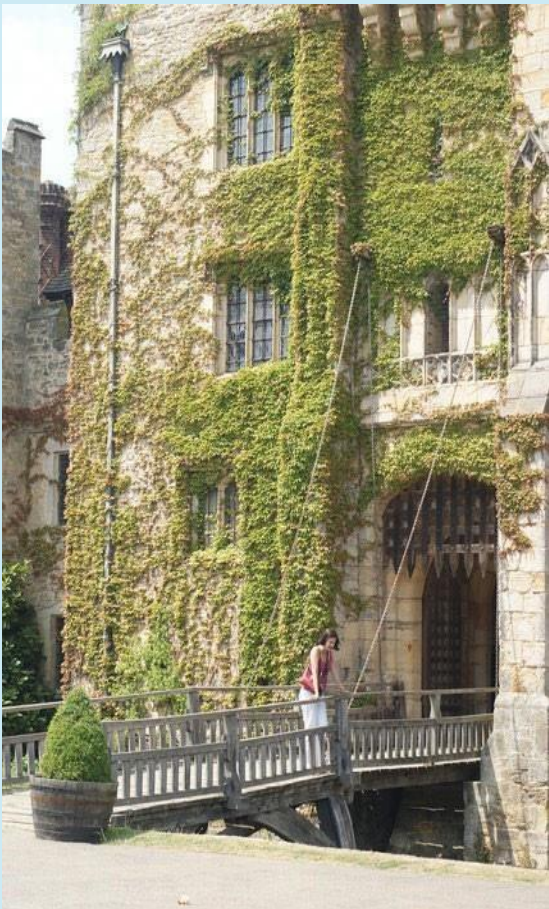
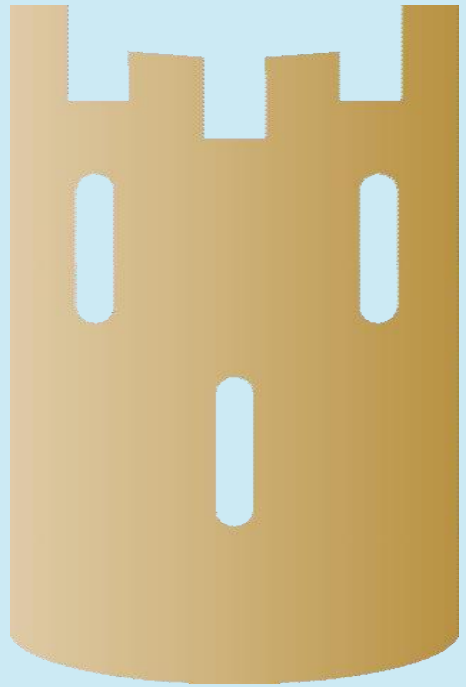
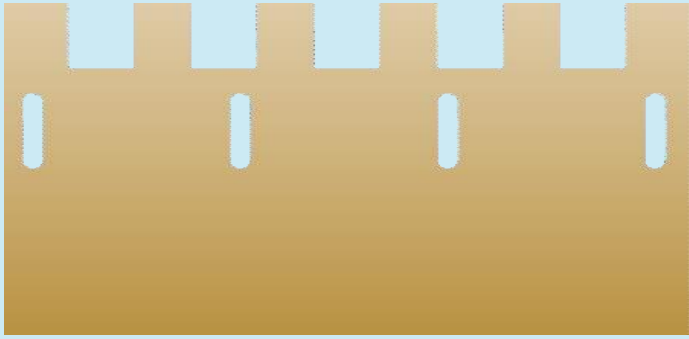
Use the illustrations provided as a guide for building your castle.

## **You will need:**

- A large sheet of cardboard (or a box folded out)
- A range of cardboard packaging boxes and sheets
- Toilet rolls
- PVA glue and/or sticky tape
- Paints and/or pens to decorate
- Straw (available from most pet shops) or yellow paper
- Tissue paper (optional)

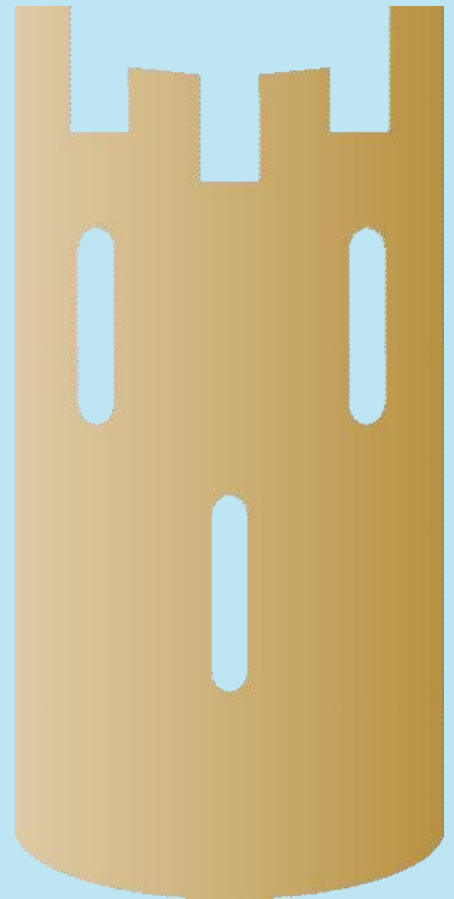
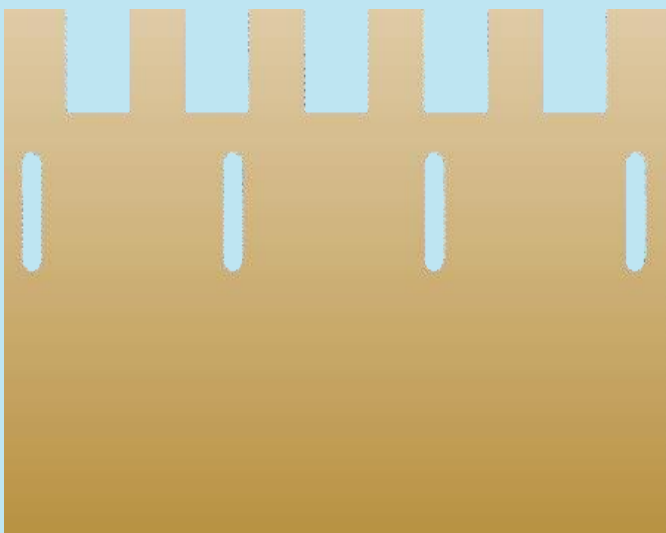
## **Get building!!**

# Make sure your castle has the following Features-

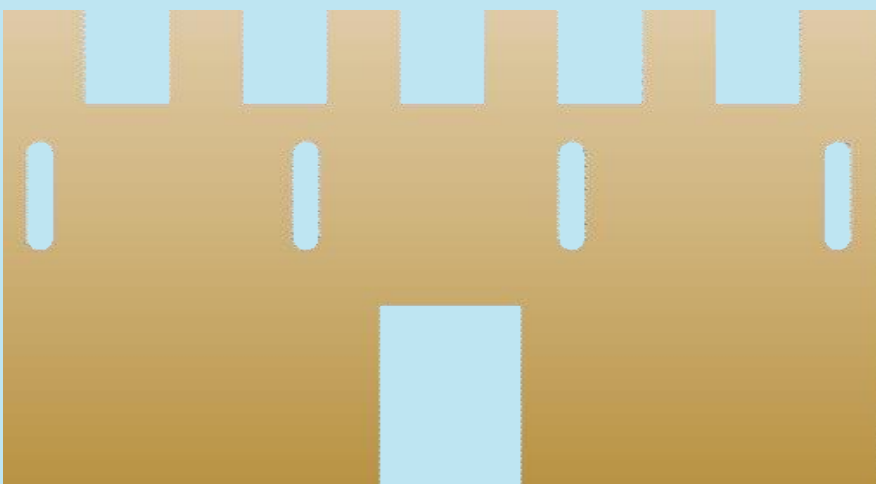


Kilkenny Castle

**Make sure your castle has the following Features- Four walls, battlement and at least one tower**



**Door and  
drawbridge**



# Draw your castle plan here !

