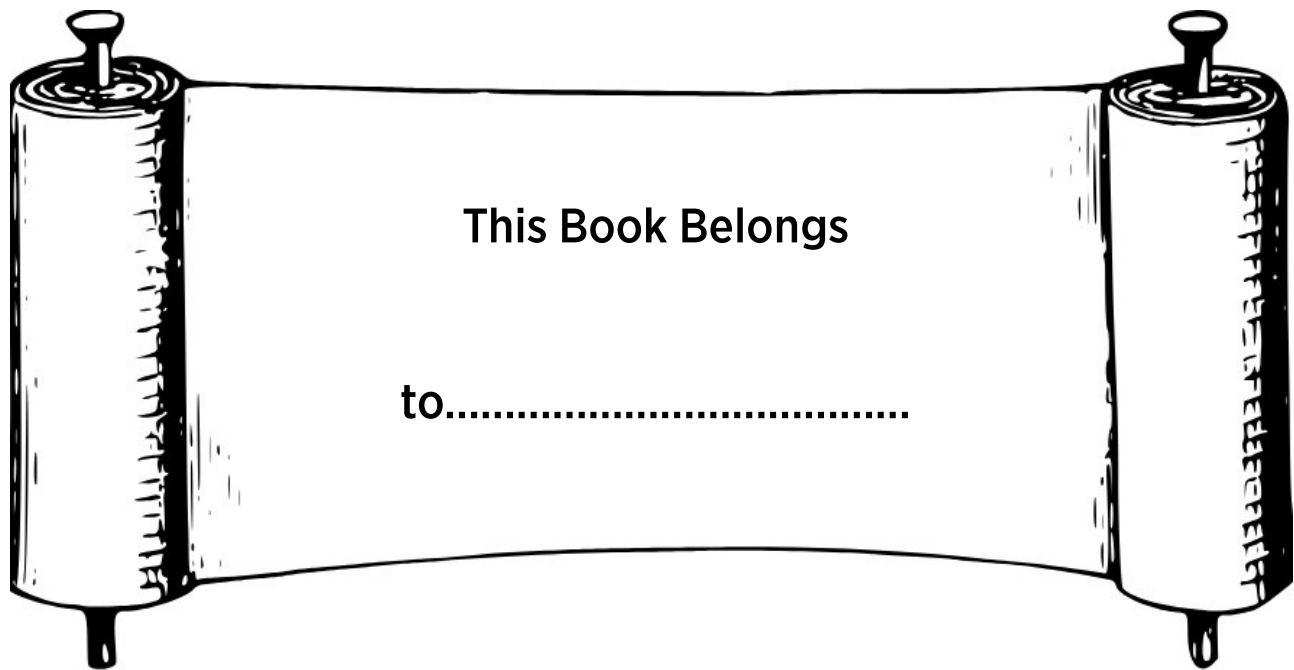
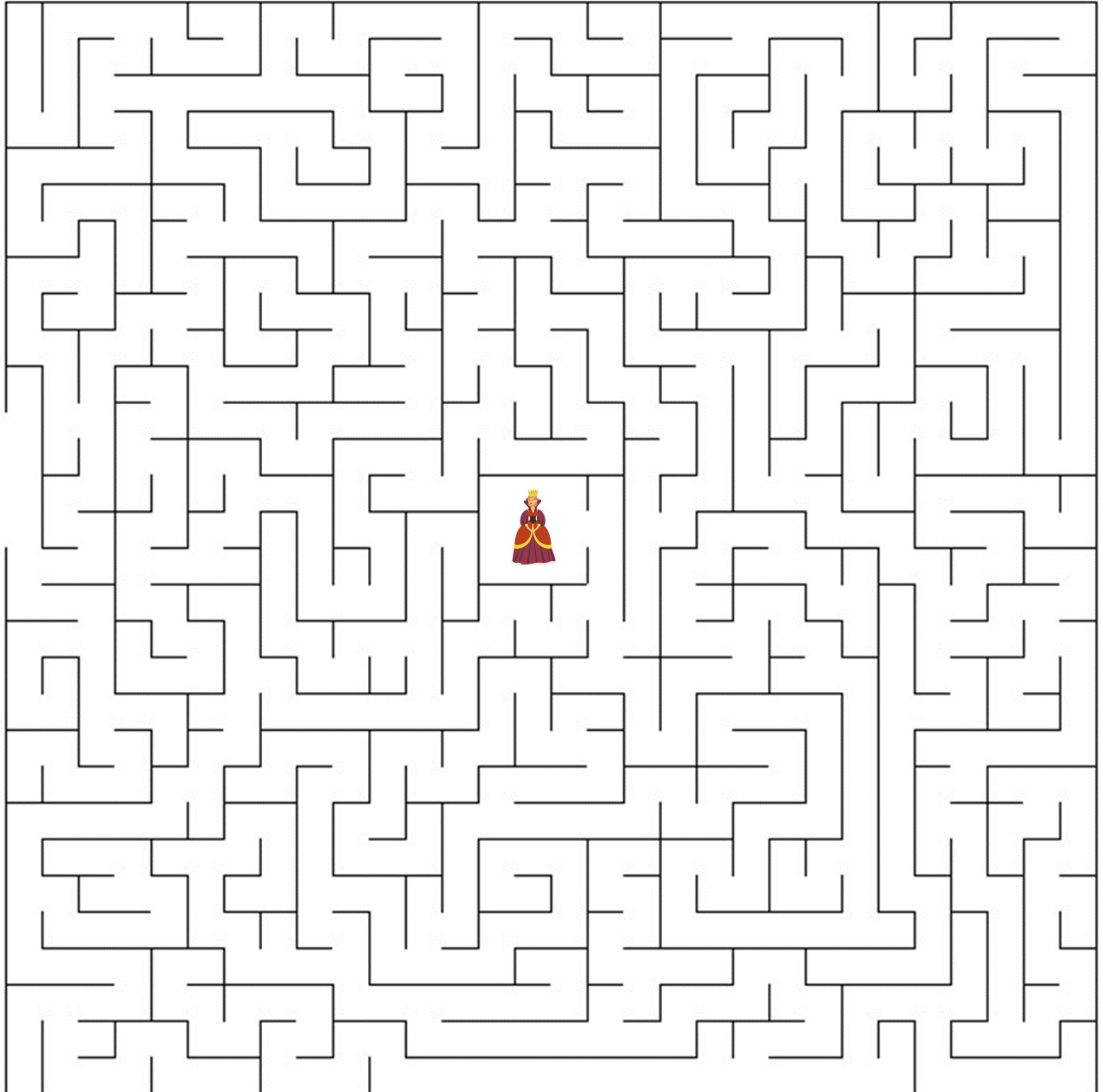


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Leeds Castle's ~ Monarchy Activity Booklet



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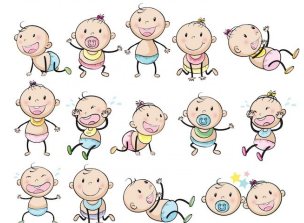


Help the queen find her way out of the maze

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FRIGHTFUL FACTS

- **Henry III** was given a white bear (thought to be a polar bear) by King Haakon IV of Norway in 1252. He kept it in the Tower of London, and had it taken down to the River Thames each morning to swim and catch fish.
- **Edward I's** nickname was "The Hammer of the Scots." During the Siege of Stirling Castle in 1304, Edward commissioned the construction of a gigantic trebuchet that became known as the Warwolf. The sight of the enormous catapult being built outside the castle walls was enough to make those inside to offer an unconditional surrender—but Edward had none of it, and did not accept the surrender until after he had tried the Warwolf out.
- **Charles VI of France** became king at the age of 21 and things went so well at first that he was called "Charles the Beloved." But then, at the age of 32, mental illness took hold. He believed he was made of glass and would shatter if touched. Quickly, he went from being known as "Charles the Beloved" to "Charles the Mad."
- **King Charles III** does not even squeeze his own toothpaste!
- **William I-** When he died, his body was swollen from an accident that punctured his intestines, so much so that it would not fit into the tomb. Due to the build-up of pressure, his body exploded at his funeral, filling the church with putrid intestinal gas.
- **Edward 1** and his wife Eleanor had 16 babies!
- **Richard III** The king's body was lost until 2012 when it was discovered below a car park in Leicestershire.
- **CHARLES I-** King Charles I was beheaded outside the Palace of Whitehall in London on January 30, 1649. On the morning of his execution he wore two shirts so that he did not shiver in the cold and be mistaken as shaking in fear.



KINGS & QUEENS

1. Which king & queen were the first royal owners of Leeds Castle?

- A) Edward & Eleanor B) Henry & Katherine C) Charles & Camilla

2. Which Queen was accused of being a witch?

- A) Isabella B) Anne C) Joan

3. How many wives did King Henry VIII have?

- A)4 B) 5 C) 6

4. Who was the king who abdicated ?(meaning:- chose to give up being king)

- A) Edward VII B) Edward VIII C) Edward IX

5. Which 2 kings fought at the Battle of Hastings in 1066?

- A) William & Harold B) William & Edward C) William & Henry

6. Who was the last royal owner of Leeds Castle?

- A) Queen Elizabeth B) Edward VI C) Queen Victoria

7. Fill in the blanks!

Queen Elizabeth II reigned foryears. When she died, her son became King.

After King Charles III it will be the turn of his eldest son to be king.

Prince William is married to and their eldest son will one day become king too. He will be King.....

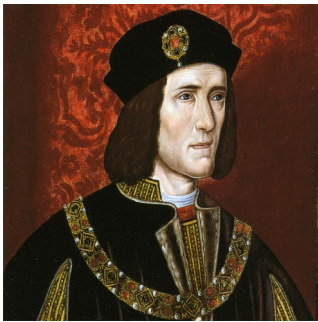
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Identify the kings from their pictures.

Draw an arrow from the list of names to the correct king



CHARLES I



EDWARD VI



WILLIAM I



CHARLES III

HENRY V



GEORGE VI



RICHARD III



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Identify the queens from their pictures. Draw an arrow from the list of names to the correct queen



VICTORIA

ELIZABETH I



KATHERINE OF ARAGON

MARY I



ANNE BOLEYN



ELIZABETH II



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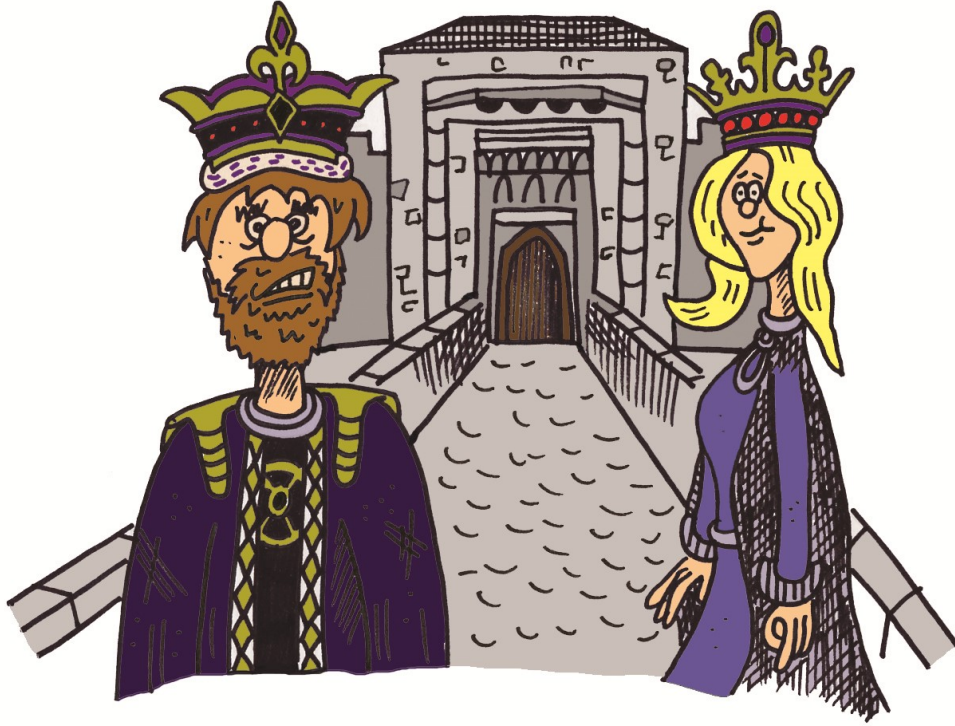
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Answers

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1) A Edward & Eleanor

2) C Joan

3) C 6

4) B Edward VIII

5) A William & Harold

6) B Edward VI

Queen Elizabeth II reigned for 70 years. When she died, her son Charles became king. After King Charles III it will be the turn of his eldest son William to be king.

Prince William is married to Kate and their eldest son will one day become king too. He will be King George VII

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L-R Charles III, Edward VI, Richard III, Henry V, Henry VIII, George VI, Charles I, William I

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