

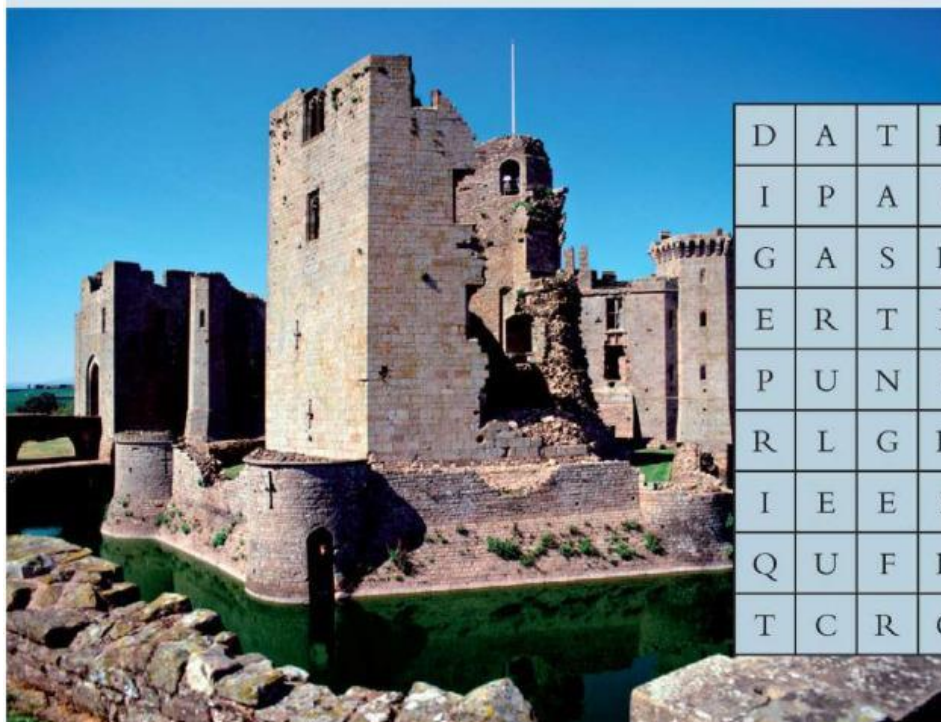
READING CHECK

Correct the mistakes in these sentences.

- a Lucretia ^{isn't} ~~is~~ in love with Tarquin.
- b Tarquin takes Lucretia to a castle far away from Camelot.
- c King Arthur feels sorry for Tarquin.
- d Queen Guinevere asks Tarquin a question about men.
- e Twenty-four young women tell him the answer to the question.
- f Tarquin comes back to Camelot after a week with the answer to the question.
- g Tarquin marries the old woman because he is in love with her.
- h The old woman is happy because she loves her husband.
- i When Tarquin marries her, she becomes young and beautiful.

WORD WORK

1 Find seven more words from *The Wife of Bath's Tale* in the wordsquare.



D	A	T	R	E	A	T	I	N	P
I	P	A	I	K	N	B	T	O	F
G	A	S	D	I	H	E	R	T	A
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ACTIVITIES

2 Use the correct form of the words from Activity 1 to complete the sentences.

- a Guinevere is a loving and faithful wife to King Arthur.
- b King Arthur was a good king and England for many years.
- c When Tarquin his wife, he doesn't become ugly.
- d Guinevere's for Tarquin is to answer a question.
- e King Arthur wants to kill Tarquin because he Lucretia badly earlier.
- f The old woman in the forest is very
- g The Wife of Bath to tell a story about a knight perhaps because the Knight's story is about two knights.
- h Tarquin his horse from village to village and asks women everywhere his question.

GUESS WHAT

The Clerk of Oxford tells the next story about a husband and wife. Tick the boxes.



- a The husband ...
- | | Yes | No |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 isn't faithful to his wife. | ☐ | ☐ |
| 2 is an Italian king. | ☐ | ☐ |
| 3 does some very bad things to his wife. | ☐ | ☐ |



- b The wife ...
- | | Yes | No |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 always wants to please her husband. | ☐ | ☐ |
| 2 is from a rich family. | ☐ | ☐ |
| 3 doesn't see her children for many years. | ☐ | ☐ |