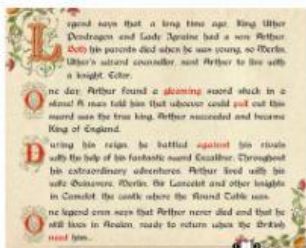


The Legend of King Arthur

THE LEGEND

1) The story

Put the verbs into past



Legend says that, a long time ago, King Uther Pendragon and Lady Igraine (have) _____ a son: Arthur. Both his parents (die) _____ when he (be) _____ young, so Merlin, Uther's wizard counsellor, (send) _____ Arthur to live with a knight, Ector.

One day, Arthur (find) _____ a gleaming sword stuck in a stone! A man (tell) _____ him that whoever could pull out this sword (be) _____ the true king. Arthur (succeed) _____ and (become) _____ King of England.

During his reign, he (battle) _____ against his rivals with the help of his fantastic sword Excalibur. His best friend (be) _____ Sir Lancelot, he (be) _____ the bravest but he (fall) _____ in love with Guinevere and (betray) _____ Arthur....

2) The story in History.

Video: In Search of King Arthur

Write these words at the right place:

collapse

century

chaos

Dark Ages

Civilisation

Roman

In the far corner of the known world, the lights were fading. It is the end of the fifth _____, the beginning of the _____. On the island of the Britons, strife and _____ were growing, _____ is on the verge of _____.

For centuries, the Britons enjoyed peace and prosperity thanks to the _____ Empire but then, the Barbarians flooded into the country.

The main elements of the legend (in the order of appearance), match the two columns

Arthur, King of the Britons

Excalibur

His banner

Merlin

His famous blade / sword

Guinevere

The great legendary castle

A dragon

The great wizard / sorcerer

Camelot

His loving wife

His friends: Sir Gawain, Sir Galahad, Sir Lancelot

The best men of the Land

A Dark Age Superman

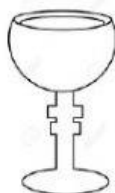
Vocabulary: recap: write the words under the pictures:

The magical sword

The banner

The Round Table

the Holy Grail



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3) THE SWORD IN THE STONE

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KnL0rYFKuL4>



Write these words at the right place:

chivalry

Wizard

King

sword

story

adventures

The Sword in the stone is the _____ of Arthur and

Merlin the _____. It's a tale of _____,

with honour and _____. Arthur becomes

_____ thanks to the magical _____.

4) The greatest legend!

Cette légende est si connue... Et pourtant, certaines erreurs se glissent parfois dans les esprits. Toutes ces affirmations sont fausses, corrige l'erreur en utilisant la forme négative puis rétablis la vérité:

Arthur wanted to be rich. He **didn't** want to be rich, he wanted to find the Holy Grail.

King Arthur lived in the Tower of London.....

Arthur lived in the tenth century.....

Lancelot married Guinevere.....

Arthur had a magical wand.....

