

King Arthur

Legend tells a famous heroic king named Arthur who fought bravely against the invading Anglo-Saxons in the 5th century. He is known as 'The Last Roman'. Historians have not been able to prove the existence of Arthur as we know him, but over time many exciting stories have been told about him.

Read through the events of how King Arthur became king on the story cards, then cut out the cards and stick them down in the correct order.

Next can you find out 5 other interesting things about King Arthur and write them down?

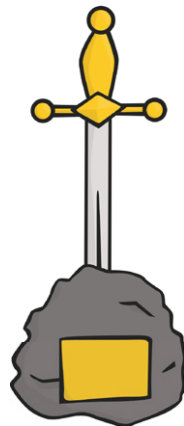
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King Uther was in love with Igraine of Cornwall, but he wasn't allowed to marry her.



Merlin explained that Arthur was Uther's son and was the rightful King of Britain.



Arthur was crowned and became one of the best kings Britain had ever known.



Sir Kay was hoping to compete in the tournament, but he realised he had forgotten his sword.



Long after, King Uther fell ill and died.



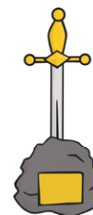
A magician named Merlin came forward and said he would help Igraine, but only if they gave him their first born son.



Sir Ector, Arthur and his step-brother Sir Kay, went along to the competition.



An inscription on the stone said "Whoever pulls this sword from the stone is the true King of Britain!".



Uther and Igraine were married. They had a son and named him Arthur.



Merlin took Arthur, and gave him to Sir Ector and his family.



Arthur went back to find it, but he couldn't see it anywhere!



All the lords in the land fought over who would claim the throne.



The Archbishop and Merlin called all the people to the church. A magical stone with a sword had appeared in it.



Arthur decided to borrow the sword in the stone. He pulled it out with ease.



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Word soon spread that Arthur had pulled the sword from the stone.



People from all over came to try and pull the sword from the stone, but no one was successful.



They decided to hold a competition to find the strongest man.



Sir Kay was shocked at what his brother had done.

