**Middle Ages Madness**

**Web Quest**

Use website  <http://www.newark.k12.ny.us/74420827121345357/blank/browse.asp?A=383&BMDRN=2000&BCOB=0&C=55886>

Then click on the links to find the answers.

Welcome all ye lords and ladies of the manor!  You are about to embark on an exciting adventure which will lead to a wealth of knowledge of the time in history we call the "Middle Ages."  Your quest is to visit the websites below and complete the [question sheet](http://www.palos118.org/South/curriculum/team6c/midages/mdages2.html).

Just like any society, the Middle Age’s culture was impacted by its surroundings. Reflect upon CHARLES, the Culture Dude, as you learn about Medieval Times.

**C – Customs & Clothing**

1. What is [***chivalry***](http://medievaleurope.mrdonn.org/knights.html), and what part did it play during the Middle Ages?

2. What did the people in the various social classes [***wear***](http://www.learner.org/interactives/middleages/clothing.html)? (Kings & Queens, Nobility, Knights,

 Merchants & Craftsmen, Serfs/Peasants)

        [Tunic](http://www.cartage.org.lb/en/themes/GeogHist/histories/middleages/lifemiddle/pix/SAXONGAR.GIF)

        Kings, Queens, [Noble & Knights](http://1.bp.blogspot.com/_l2RbI9d7inA/SZYlSDb08bI/AAAAAAAAAA8/zNyGa2WrQCc/s400/Gender%2BDifferentiation-%2BHigh%2BMiddle%2BAges%2BCostume.jpg)

        [Serf](http://www.maskworld.com/pix/costumes/large/4280-bauer-peasant.jpg)

        [Merchants & Craftworkers](http://www.dorlingkindersley-uk.co.uk/static/clipart/uk/dk/medieval/image_medieval001.jpg)

**H – History**

3. How did the [***plague***](http://medievaleurope.mrdonn.org/plague.html)affect Europe during the 1300s?

4. What does the popular children’s rhyme, [***Ring Around the Rosy***](http://www.rhymes.org.uk/ring_around_the_rosy.htm) symbolize?

5. What was the purpose of the [***Magna Carta***](http://medievaleurope.mrdonn.org/magnacarta.html)?

6. What were some of the war [***weapon***](http://www.middle-ages.org.uk/middle-ages-weapons.htm)used during the Middle Ages?

7. List five (5) [***achievements***](http://medievaleurope.mrdonn.org/achievements.html)from the Middle Ages.

**A – Art & Architecture**

8. Take a virtual tour of a [***castle***](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eMMDn05eeVc)and click on the various architectural [***features***](http://www.kidsonthenet.com/castle/view.html)of a castle.

 Name three (3) protective feature that a Middle Ages castle offered.

9. What type of home would you live in if you were a:

a.       [***King/Queen/Noble/Knight***?](http://www.middle-ages.org.uk/manor-house.htm)

b.      [***Merchant/Crafts people***](http://www.britainexpress.com/History/Townlife.htm)(townspeople)? Take a look at a [***home***](http://www.mainlesson.com/books/tappan/middle/zpage155.gif)…

c.       [***Serf/Peasant***](http://www.middle-ages.org.uk/serfs.htm)? (commoners) Take a look at a [***manor***](http://www.wolfhavenproductions.net/FeudalEurope/manormap2.jpg)…

10. Name an [***art***](http://medievaleurope.mrdonn.org/stainedglass.html)contribution from the Middle Ages that can still be seen in churches today.

**R – Religion**

11. What were the three (3) major religious groups fighting over during the [***Crusades***](http://medievaleurope.mrdonn.org/crusades.html)(Holy

 Wars)?

**L - Language**

12. Read stanza (verse) one, two, and three of the poem, [***The Pied Piper***](http://www.lancsngfl.ac.uk/curriculum/literacy/lit_site/html/fiction/Pied_Piper/pages/master_frame_verse.htm). Translate, into

 Modern English, stanza two.

13. Who could [***read and write***](http://wiki.answers.com/Q/Could_women_read_and_write_back_in_the_middle_ages) during the Middle Ages?

**E - Eats (food)**

14. List seven (7) different foods that might have appeared on the table at a Medieval [***feast***](http://www.mce.k12tn.net/middleages/medievalfeast.htm).

15. What would have been the difference between the experience of a nobleman and a serf at a

 Medieval [***meal***](http://www.middle-ages.org.uk/middle-ages-daily-meals.htm)?

**S – Song & Dance (entertainment)**

16. What did the Medieval people do for [***fun***](http://www.middle-ages.org.uk/entertainment-middle-ages.htm)***?*** More[***fun***](http://www.middle-ages.org.uk/entertainment-middle-ages.htm)?

**You will enjoy this…**

Watch this You Tube video of a real-life [***joust***](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z64AzHIdgKw).