

# CRICHTON CASTLE

## EXPLORER QUIZ

Explore our castle with this fun fact-finding mission.

Remember to ask the steward if you need any help.



How many arches can you count in the courtyard?



John de Crichton built the castle here around 1390. How long ago is that?



Find this carving. Can you see four letters in the design?



This was the first straight staircase in Scotland. How many steps does it have?



Flickering fires once warmed the castle rooms. How many can you find?



In the old kitchen, where was waste poured away?

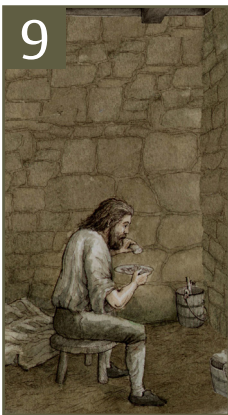




7 Which queen visited the castle for a wedding in 1562?



8 Which room was bread made in?



9 The pit prison had a toilet. True or false?

10 Can you draw your favourite bit of the castle? It could just be a small detail.



11 What animal was once kept in the building next to the castle?

Need a clue? Look here...

1. Courtyard; 2. You'll have to do the maths! 3. The facade was built by Francis Stewart and his wife Margaret Douglas; 4. That would be telling! 5. Make sure you look up - there would have been fires on different floors; 6. Look under the window; 7. M... of S...; 8. Keep looking on the ground floor; 9. In the Tower House; 10. You'd have needed one if you wanted to travel... 11. That's up to you!

