

# Our Amazing Trip to Oystermouth Castle



**This term, our class went on an exciting trip to Oystermouth Castle.** I had never been to a real castle before, so I was really looking forward to the day. **I felt curious, excited and a little bit nervous.**

**First, we met a guide who told us all about the castle's history.** She explained that it was built a long time ago and that knights once lived there. **She even showed us a hidden passage, it was dark and narrow, and I imagined sneaking through it at night!**

**Next, we climbed the spiral staircase up to the tower.** It felt like it would never end, but when we reached the top, **the view was incredible.** I could see rooftops, trees, and even the sea. I felt like a guard protecting the castle.

**After that, we explored the great hall.** We stood where important people would have eaten and made decisions. **My friends and I pretended to be royalty,** giving speeches and pretending we had knights to protect us.

**Then, we had lunch outside in the sunshine.** I shared some snacks with my friends and enjoyed watching the birds fly over the tall towers. **It felt peaceful and magical.**

**Finally, we visited the museum room.** There were real swords, shields, and armour! **I couldn't believe how heavy the helmet looked – how did knights even walk in all that?**

**This trip was one of the best I've ever been on.** I learned so much about history and had fun with my classmates. **I would love to go back again with my family and show them what I discovered.**

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**Last term, we went** on a trip to Oystermouth Castle. **I was very excited** because I had never been to a castle before.

**First, we met the guide. She told us** all about the castle. **It was very old!** We walked through a dark tunnel. **It was a bit scary.**

**Next, we climbed the stairs in the tower. They were very steep.** When we got to the top, **we could see everything!**

**After that, we went into the big hall. It was echoey and fun.** We played kings and queens. **We gave speeches and bowed.** I laughed a lot.

**Then, we had lunch outside. I ate my sandwich** and talked with my friends. **We saw birds flying** near the castle.

**Finally, we looked at swords and helmets in the museum room. The helmet looked heavy!**

**I loved going to the castle.** It was a fun trip. **I want to go again one day!**

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**Last term, we went on** an exciting school trip to Oystermouth Castle. **I had been looking forward to it for weeks** because I had never visited a real castle before. **As soon as we got off the bus,** I could see the tall stone towers and the old castle walls. **It looked like something from a fairy tale!**

**First, we met** our guide who told us all about the history of the castle. **She explained that...** it was built hundreds of years ago and that knights used to live there. **I found that really interesting!** She even showed us a secret passage that led under the castle, **it was dark and spooky!**

**Next, we climbed up** the spiral staircase to the top of the tower. **The steps were steep and narrow,** but when we got to the top, **the view was amazing!** We could see the sea and the town below. **I imagined what it must have been like for a knight to stand there on guard.**

**After that, we explored** the great hall. **It was huge and echoey!** We stood where the lord of the castle might have sat, and **we pretended to be kings and queens.** My friends and I took turns giving royal speeches and bowing to each other, **we couldn't stop laughing!**

**Then, we had lunch** in the castle courtyard. **We sat on the grass and enjoyed our sandwiches and juice.** While we ate, we spotted some birds flying around the towers. **One even landed nearby!**

**Finally, we visited** the small museum room. **It had armour, swords, and old tools on display.** I liked looking at the shiny helmet and imagining wearing it into battle, although **it looked really heavy!**

**I had such a fantastic time** at Oystermouth Castle. **I learned so many new things** and had lots of fun with my friends. **It was one of the best school trips ever,** and I hope I can visit the castle again with my family one day!