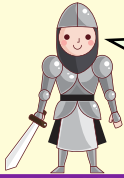


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Can you write a sentence saying which land features each of the UK's capital cities, castles are built on or near? You can use the word bank to help.



The Tower of London

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Cardiff Castle

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Edinburgh Castle

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Belfast Castle

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cliff	forest	beach	sea

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Can you match the statements to each UK capital city castle?



The Tower of London



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Cardiff Castle



Edinburgh Castle



<http://bit.ly/1kDN9kz>

Belfast Castle

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Can you explain which land features each of the UK's capital cities, castles are built on or near and why the location was chosen?



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Can you answer these questions and decide if the castle you have chosen is in the best location?

Which castle have you chosen?

Which land features has your castle been built on or near?

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Why might it be good being close to the land features?

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Why might it be a problem being close to the land features?

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Do you think this castle is in the best location? Why?

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

This castle was built on flat land next to a river.

It used to have a moat. The water in the moat came from the nearby river.

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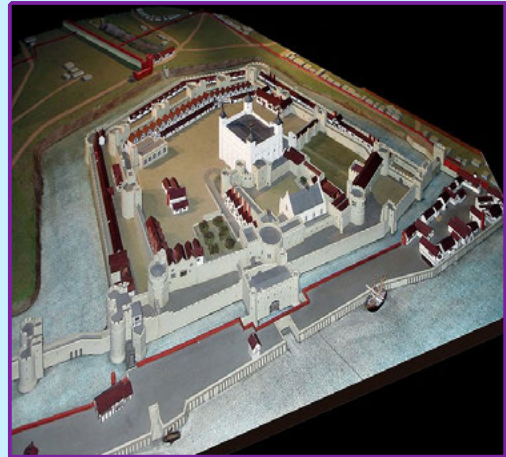
The castle has a good view from the top of the motte. A moat surrounds the base of the motte.

This castle was built on an extinct volcano.

The steep cliffs and elevated location make this castle hard to attack.

This castle was built on the side of a hill, overlooking the coast.

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The Tower of London



Cardiff Castle





Edinburgh  
Castle



Belfast  
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