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INSTRUCTIONS

1. Click on the Grade four door.
2. Click on Social Studies. 
3. Under the heading, Heritage and Citizenship / Medieval Times, click on 
4. Scroll down the page and click on **Life in the Middle Ages**.
5. Click on **Becoming a Knight**. Read this page to answer the questions below!



1. Name three duties of a knight.
 - a)
 - b)
 - c)
2. Knights had to pass long, hard, boring hours of _____. First they had to be a _____. If they did good they became a _____. If _____ were worthy they were dubbed and became a _____.
3. At age _____, a boy became a page. Name four duties expected of a page.
 - a)
 - b)
 - c)
 - d)
4. At age _____, a young man became a squire. Name four things a squire did in preparation right before his dubbing.
 - a)
 - b)
 - c)
 - d)

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5. Click the back button and choose **Weapons** from the menu. Read the page and write down two interesting facts about each of these weapons.

a) Sword:

b) Battle ax:

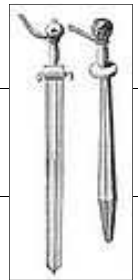
c) Pole ax:

d) Dagger:

e) Lance:

f) Bows and Arrows:

g) Crossbow:



6. Click the back button and choose **Jousts and Tournaments** from the menu. Read this page to fill out the blanks below!

a). Tournaments started in _____ in the _____ century. They were public contests of _____ and _____. Usually they were held to entertain _____. They fought on an enclosed field. Many _____ died.

b) The _____ was a type of medieval sport which consisted of two horses charging at each other from _____ directions with a rider holding a sharp _____. They were only separated by a low wooden _____. Once somebody fell off they were usually _____ or _____. The object of the joust was to _____ your _____ off their _____, which was pretty hard to do. If the knight ever fell, his _____ would make sure they were all right. If the knight splintered 3 lances it was either a _____ or his choice was to fight on the _____. The joust could last for _____ because all knights would compete in it.

c). Tournaments were the _____ of castle life. People made wooden _____ decorated with _____ for the royalty. Small tents were made for the _____. People were hired to keep track of the _____. Anyone was allowed to enter if they had a _____, a _____, and a _____.

