

Tudor Times with Ellie the Elephant

Learning objective: To identify key features and objects from the Tudor period.

Ellie the Elephant has been visiting a museum to learn about the Tudors. She has found some interesting objects, but she needs your help to sort them! Look at the list below. Decide if the object belongs to the 'Tudor Times' or 'Modern Times'. Write the name of the object in the correct column in the table.

Word bank: Quill pen · Mobile phone · Doublet · Laptop · Ruff collar · Television · Wooden ship · Train

1. Draw a line or write the items in the correct box: Tudor Times | Modern Times. (4 marks)

2. Why do you think people in Tudor times used a quill pen instead of a laptop? (2 marks)

3. Name one piece of clothing that a Tudor person might wear. (1 mark)

4. If Ellie the Elephant went to a Tudor palace, what is one thing she would see? (1 mark)

Draw: Draw a picture of a Tudor ruff collar or a wooden ship in the space below.



Extension challenge: Can you find out how much a loaf of bread cost in Tudor times? Hint: It was much less than £1!