

Cathedral Virtual Tour

Activity Sheet – KS3

Watch the Cathedral Virtual Tour and then have a go at answering these questions

Roughly how long has Worcester Cathedral been here?

What word is "Nave" similar to and what is the connection?

How can we see the impact of an earlier pandemic on the Cathedral?

There are a few theories about the colour of the giraffe in the West Window - Why do you think the giraffe is pink? Is it a mistake? Or a joke? Or do you have another idea?

What is the oldest part of the Cathedral called?

What animal is on the floor of the Quire? What did early Christians use the image of the fish for?

How old is the Worcester Antiphoner? What is it?

What is the proper name for the Bishops throne?

What special meal is remembered with the daily service of Holy Communion? Can you find out what the different elements in Holy Communion are and what they represent?

One of the most popular types of service at the Cathedral is Evensong. Can you find out what Evensong is and roughly when it happens?

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Who should have been King instead of Henry VIII, and is buried at Worcester?

Whose tombs used to be either side of King John's?

What originally went in the divots in King John's hands and around the sleeves and neck?

King John signed the Magna Carta. But what is it? Find out more by watching this video from the British Library and answer the next two questions

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7xo4tUMdAMw

In its most famous clause, what right does the Magna Carta give all free men?

Why wasn't this as good as it sounds?

And finally, back to Worcester Cathedral...

In normal times how many days a year is Worcester Cathedral open?