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Activity Trail
at the Tower Museum
Look at the family tree panel in the '17th Century Derry' section of the museum and put the following rulers in the right order:

- Charles II
- Oliver Cromwell
- James I
- William and Mary
- James II
- Charles I

Who was on the throne at the time of the siege?

When the Earl of Tyrconnell ordered the city's garrison to leave there was a great sense of fear within the city. Why? Give 2 reasons for your answer.

1.

2.

How many people were inside the city walls at this time?

On the 7th December 1688, the city's gates were shut. Who shut the gates and why?

What happened to the Catholic people of the city?

There was terrible suffering inside the city walls during the siege. Why do you think this was the case? Give 2 reasons for your answer.

1.

2.
Watch the video on the Siege and fill in the missing Information:

The E____ Of T________ was carrying out King James II duties in Ireland.

Derry was the I____ remaining Protestant g___________.

The Garrison was told to l______ the city. It would be replaced by a C________ force.

A group of A_________ boys decided to c______ the gates.

A new Protestant garrison under the command of R_______ L_______ was developed.

There was suspicion over R_______ L_______. Was he still loyal to the J________ cause?

On 24th April, the f_______ cannon shots were fired into the city.

The siege had begun in earnest.

The Jacobites built a f_______ b______ across the river to p________ fleets from reaching Derry.

On the 28th July, t____ s_______ broke the boom. The siege was o_______ and had lasted _____ days. The scene was now set for the B_______ of the B_______.

Look at the siege menu. What other foods do you think people would have eaten?

How was food stored during the siege?
Look at the books displayed and complete the table below.

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Look at the Effigy of Lundy. List two reasons why some people call him a traitor.
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King William and Queen Mary gave the city the Silver Coronation mace in the 17th Century. Choose one side of the mace and draw the inscription.

Can you work out what the symbols on the mace are?

Match up the following statements about the Siege.

The siege caused 
laid in 1692
The foundation stone for the new town hall was contributed £1500 to its rebuilding
King William & Queen Mary Londonderry was a most imposing town
By the end of the century huge destruction to the city