

Online Junior Tour Guide Quiz



Hi, my name is Johne.

I'm one of the stonemasons who helped to build Rosslyn Chapel nearly 600 years ago.

In the tour you'll meet many characters (and some of my friends) that help to make the chapel's unique history and story.

Can you follow the quiz around the chapel, answering the questions as you go?

What will you learn?
Who will be your favourite character?

Enjoy and good luck!

The Victorian Ladies

1. What are the Victorian Ladies shocked to see?
2. What three steps help you transform into Victorians?
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3. Why are the Victorian ladies visiting Rosslyn Chapel?
4. Which famous painter took inspiration from the chapel?
5. Which two famous poets visited?
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6. What is the name of the part of the chapel that the Victorian ladies are standing in?
7. Whose army came to Rosslyn?
8. What did they use the chapel for?

Lord and Lady St Clair

1. Who built the chapel?
2. When was it built?
3. What is a quill?
4. What kind of stories do the carvings tell?
5. What example was given?
6. What 2 reasons does William St Clair give for building the chapel?
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7. What 2 types of carvings can you find on the ceiling?
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8. What 3 types of flowers are carved into the ceiling?
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The Stonemasons

1. What is the name for the part of the chapel that the stonemasons are standing in?
2. What was the master mason ordered to carve in this space by William St Clair?
3. Where did the master mason decide to travel to, to get inspiration?
4. Who ended up carving the 3rd pillar?
5. Why did the Apprentice decide he should carve the pillar?
6. How long did the stonemasons take to carve what we see of the chapel?
7. What do the stonemasons carve to prove what work they did?
8. What two tools, used to carve the chapel, do the stonemasons show us?
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9. What instrument is the very Scottish angel playing?
10. What story is shown in the pendant carving?

The Tourists

1. What three carvings of animals can you find in the chapel that are a bit of a mystery as they did not live in Scotland?
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2. There are carvings in the chapel of maize and corn, where do these plants come from?
3. Why are these carvings surrounded by mystery?
4. How many people came to visit the chapel last year?
5. What two suggestions are given that might get Sandy interested in visiting the chapel?
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6. What two things does the mum want to learn more about?
7. Which Hollywood Star came to film at the chapel?

The Green Men

1. How many green men are carved into Rosslyn Chapel?
2. What is a green man?
3. Where do you often find green men carved?
4. What did the stonemasons think green men brought them?
5. When are green men first recorded in history?
6. What season did green men make medieval people think of?
7. What does the colour green make you think of?
8. What can you find if you were to explore the glen?
9. What carvings from nature can you find carved into the chapel?
10. What are the rectangle walls called?
11. What do these walls do?