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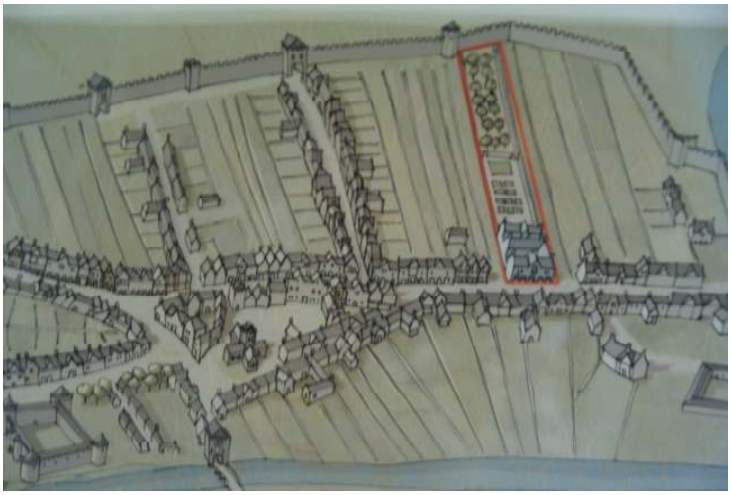
1. Rothe House & Garden was built on a burgage plot. Is a burgage plot…



(a) A bog land: ☐ (b) A narrow piece of land: ☐ (c) A burial ground: ☐

2. Here is a photograph of the **first house** as it is today (top) and a drawing as it may have appeared when the Rothe Family lived here (bottom). **Can you spot two differences**?

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We have some artefacts that can be handled carefully. These are objects from the 16th and 17th centuries. Choose an artefact and **draw it in the box**.

Artefact

1. What do you think the artefact was used for?

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2. What material is it made from?

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3. What does the artefact tell you about its owner?

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Would you like to have lived during this time? **Yes** ☐ **No** ☐

Why?

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Phelan Room

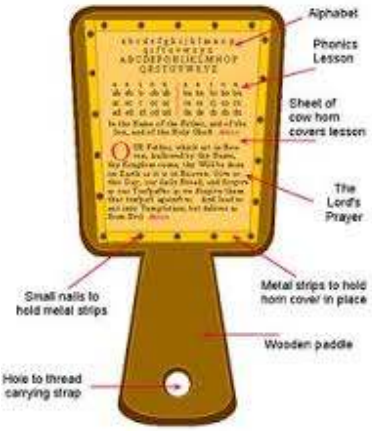
In a wealthy household such as Rothe House, what wood was the furniture made from?

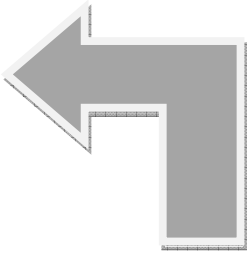
Pine ☐ Mahogany ☐ Oak ☐ Ash ☐

Can you name three types of entertainment people enjoyed at this time?

1. ..... 2. ..... 3. .....

Two large fireplaces can be seen in this room. There used to be a **third**. Can you guess where it might have been? **Mark** it on the plan of the room with an **X**.





This is called a **hornbook**. What was it used for? Was it used to…

Teach children how to read ☐ Download games ☐ Play music on ☐

Look at the archways from the **street** and to the **next courtyard**. Why do you think they are this **shape** and **width?**

Answer:

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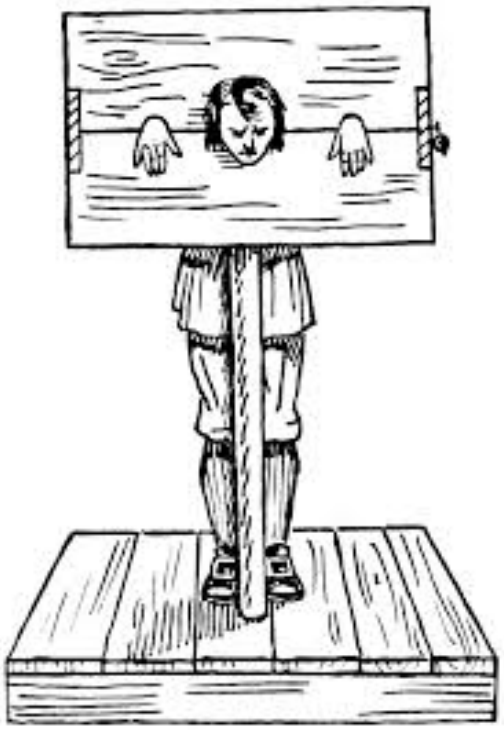
Second Courtyard

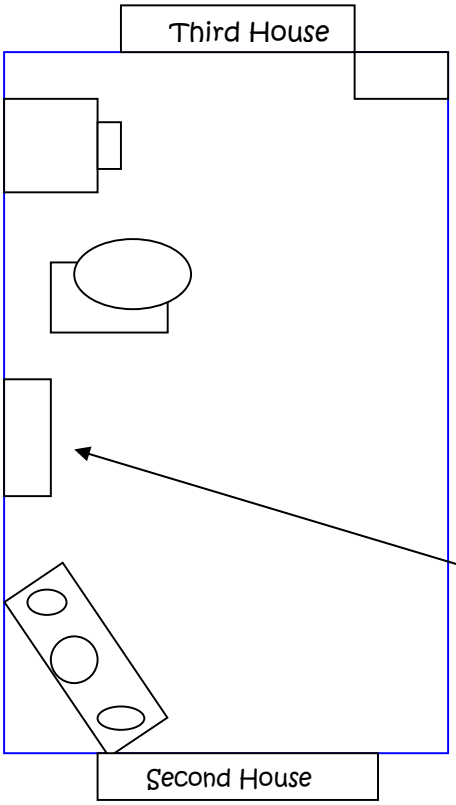
This is a **pillory** just like the one we have in our courtyard. Who would have been put into a pillory?

A doctor ☐

A criminal ☐

A judge ☐





Here is a plan of the second courtyard. Match up the artefacts!

The cist grave

The pillory

The Priests window

The Well

Match what each was used for!

Water source

Ancient Irish grave

Punishment for criminals

For the Priest to bless prisoners

This is the **kitchen** in Rothe House. Name one of the **artefacts** you saw earlier that would have been used here.

Answer .....

What were the **"holes"** on each side of the **fireplace** used as?

Answer .....

Questionnaire:

It would be great if you could tell us what you thought of your visit – what was good and what was not so good!

Did you enjoy your Visit to Rothe House? Yes ☐ No ☐

Please tell us which part you enjoyed most.

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Please tell us if there was any part you didn't enjoy.

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Did you learn anything new today? Tell us about it!

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Would you tell your friends to come and visit us? Yes ☐ No ☐

Well done! Thank you for visiting us at Rothe House.