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As you read Michael Wood’s article, pay attention to the various time periods and key people discussed. Record information from the article that describes the importance of the legend of King Arthur at this time, as well as ways the story has changed over time.

**1129**

Who writes the life story of King Arthur: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

During this time, what was happening in English history?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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How was the story of King Arthur used as a political weapon?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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What parts were added to the myth of King Arthur by this author?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**12th Century**

French writer, Chretien de Troyes, adds more details to Arthur’s life. What parts were added to the myth of King Arthur by this author?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**1516**

King \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ repaints the round table. Instead of depicting Arthur

on the table, the place of King \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is painted on instead.

This is historically significant because:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**1800’s**

Queen \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is in power, and the country is in the midst of the

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her robing room painted with scenes depicting the story of King Arthur.

Why was this socially and politically significant at the time?\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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