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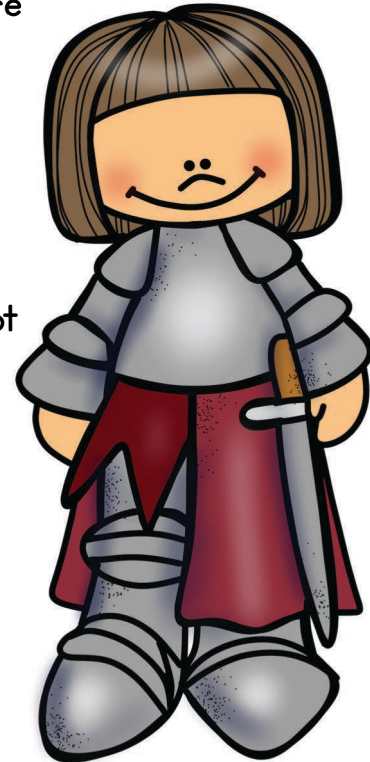
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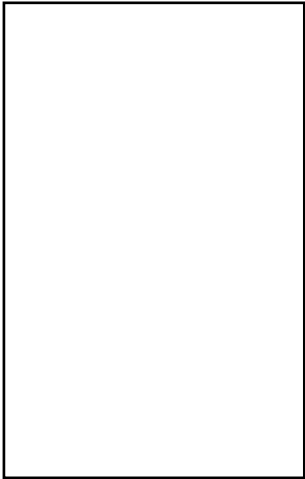
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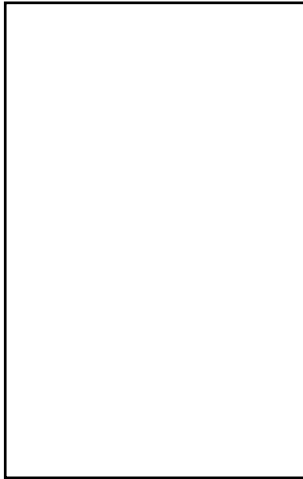


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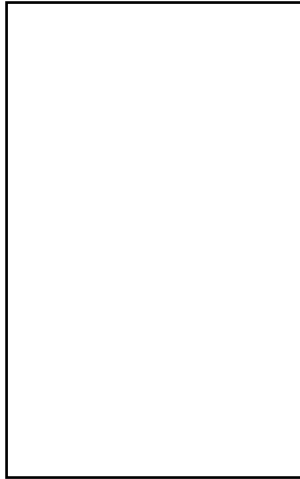
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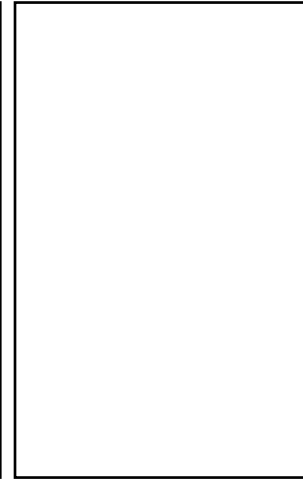
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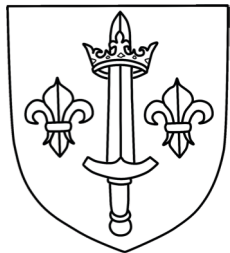


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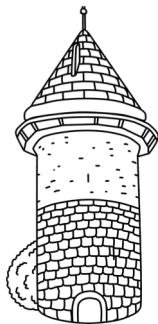


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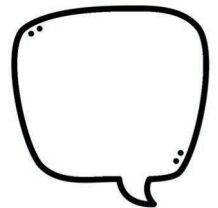
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ARMY

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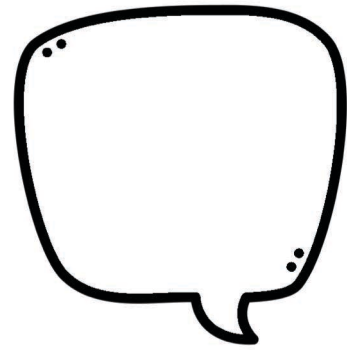


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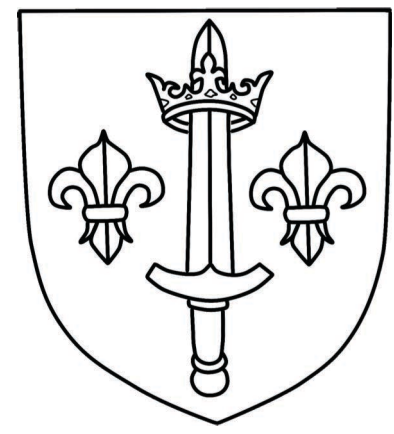


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Joan was very brave and worked hard to complete God's mission. She led many people into battle and won.

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France

voices

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8.) mission: _____

Name _____



Directions: Write all the words you can make using the letters in Joan of Arc.

Saint Joan of Arc

Example: RAIN

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
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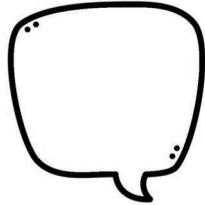
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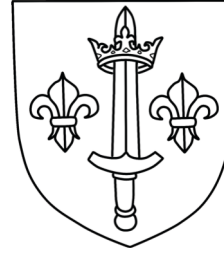
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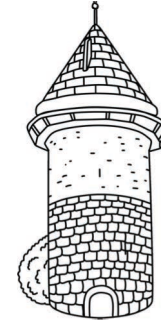
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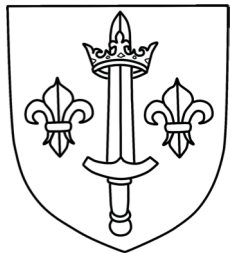
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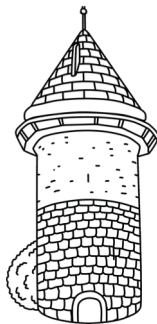
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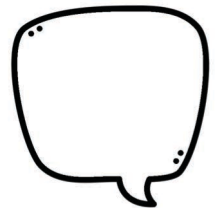
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