Adam of the Road

Introduction

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Setting

Time

 Medieval 1294

Place

 Southern England

Real places

Characters

Real people

 King

 Roger Bacon

History

 Real stories told

Culture

Research topics for oral reports

Food

 basic foods

 eating with fingers

Travel

Medicine

Feudalism

 classes

 power

 peasants/slavery

Church power

Laws

 who made them

 who enforced them

Clothing

 peasants

 nobility

 church people

Money/business

Houses/buildings

Sanitation

 Sewer

 Drinking water

Sickness

Fear/superstition

News

Education

Entertainment

 minstrels

 Who where they

 What did they do

 Different kinds

 Rules of being a minstrel

Key Concepts or Ideas

 The importance of the road

 travel

 connection

 news

 friends

 enemies

 life

 Helping one another

 Personal growth and maturity