CASTLES - LEVEL THREE

You are a Medieval Castle Builder living in Wales in the year 1076. You are hired by the Norman Baron William de Clare to build him a fantastic castle in Aberystwyth, Wales. The Baron wants his castle to not only be beautiful, but also the strongest castle of defense ever built. You are confident that you can build the Baron this castle because you have the technology to search out many different castles all over the world and select the best features from each. You will create a blue print of the Baron's castle, including the features below. You will need to include the detailed definitions of each word with your blue print.

- 1. Wicket
- 2. Allure
- 3. Turret
- 4. Arch
- 5. Rampart
- 6. Aumbry
- 7. Postern gate
- 8. Bailey
- 9. Paraphet
- 10. Barbican
- 11. Parados
- 12. Battlement
- 13. Outer ward
- 14. Buttery

- 15. Outer curtain
- 16. Buttress
- 17. Murder holes
- 18. Crosswall
- 19. Moat
- 20. Donjon or keep
- 21. Hall
- 22. Dormer
- 23. Great chamber
- 24. Drawbridge
- 25. Gate house
- 26. Dungeon
- 27. Garderobe
- 28. Gallery

The baron is particular about certain rooms in his castle. Include a paragraph describing what the great hall would be like (furniture, heating, floors, use, capacity, lighting, etc.). Give the details.