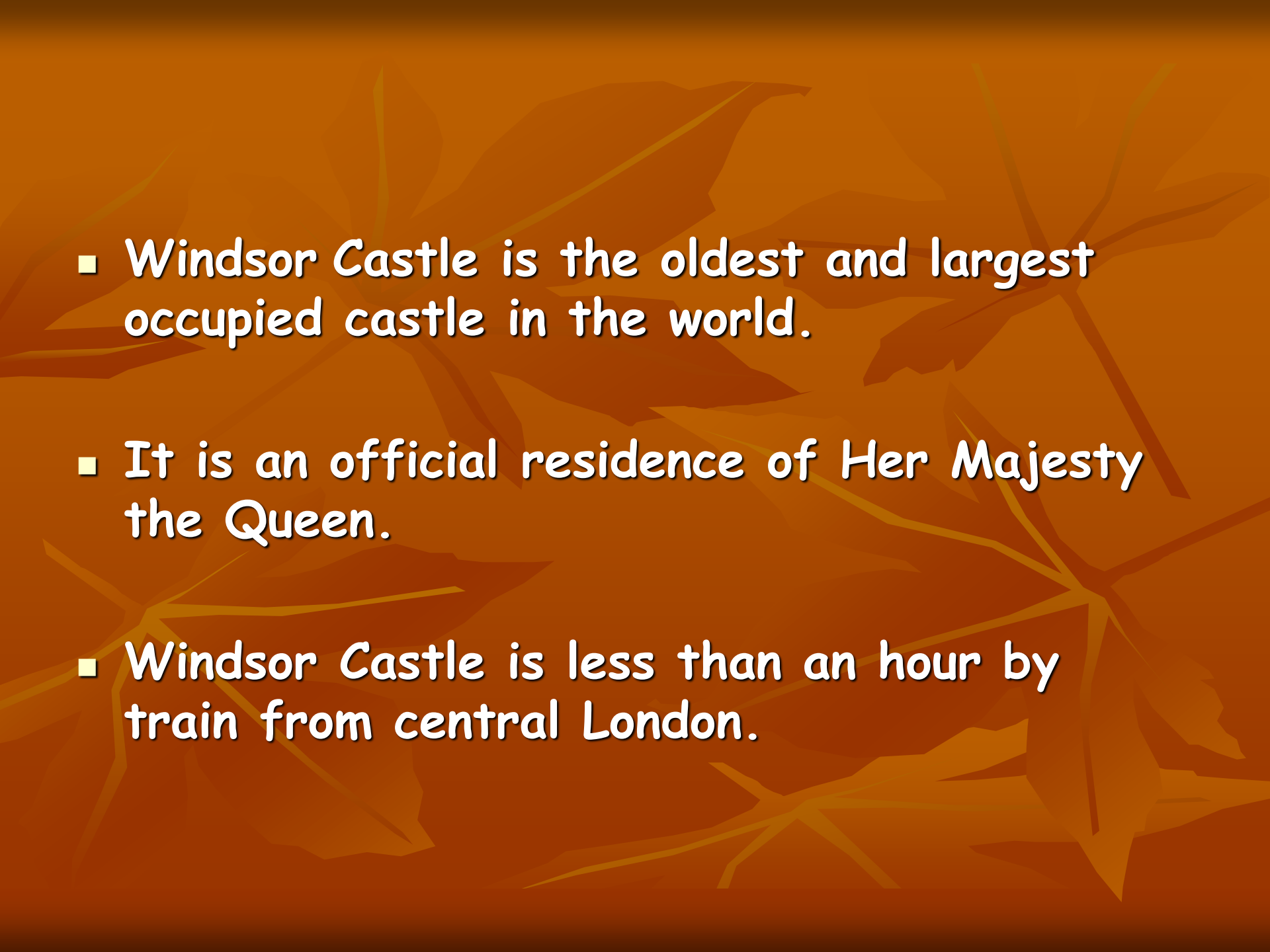


Windsor Castle



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- Windsor Castle is the oldest and largest occupied castle in the world.
 - It is an official residence of Her Majesty the Queen.
 - Windsor Castle is less than an hour by train from central London.

- Windsor Castle was first built by William the Conqueror, following his invasion of England in 1006.
- The original structure was built from timber with earth fortifications.
- The Castle held a strategic position on a steep hill overlooking the River Thames.
- It was part of a ring of castles around London, with the Tower of London, one day's march away, at its heart.



- The Castle was later rebuilt in stone
- The Fire of Windsor Castle took place on 20. November 1992. The Castle was renovated, and was re - opened in 1997 after five years of work. The cost of renovation was £37 million.





- St George's Chapel,
within the Castle



Windsor Castle is near to London

