

Types of Dwellings at Bunratty Castle

Castle	Nobleman & servants
Bunratty House	Minor gentry, multi storied
Golden Vale	Rich farmer, multiple rooms;
Farmhouse	Outbuildings - Stables, Corn barn, tea room
Loop Head House	Small, roped down thatch roof to protect against the sea winds, typically small fisher and farming folk
Fisherman's House	Two bedrooms, timber salvaged from the sea, floor of rammed clay
Mountain Farmhouse	Poor farmer, sleeping in loft
Bothan Scoir	One room, poor laborers
Terraced Housing	In town, dwellings for town workers
Artisan House	small thatched home with potter's wheel
Shops	Many shop owners lived above their shops
Byre Dwelling	Occupied by both dairy cows and humans