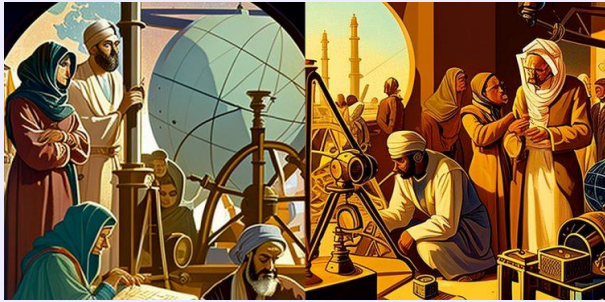


Summer Term Overview



How did the Golden Age of Islam influence the world?

Our Big Question:

Can we shape the future? ???



This term, we will be learning:

History: We will learn about the Golden Age of Islam and how it influenced the world

Geography: We will learn about the geographical features of our local area, Wanstead

Science: We will be learning about electricity

RE: We will learn about how people express their faith through the arts

PE: We will practise our skills in dance and athletics

Music: 4HK and 4H will be listening to BBC Ten Pieces – The Train of the Ciapira by Heitor Vila Lobos and 4J will be practicing their performance skills by playing the cornet

French: We will learn about where we live, countries, transport and holidays

Art: We will be creating our final pieces for the 'Take One Picture' project

D&T: We will practise calligraphy on fabrics

Computing: We will learn about repetition in games through our programming topic

PSHE: We will be exploring economic wellbeing and SRE



Other Information:

- 4H's PE day is on Thursday
- 4HK PE day is on Wednesday
- 4J PE day is on Wednesday which will be Forest School (bring your wellies)
- Please listen to your child read and sign their reading records daily
- Homework will be set on Friday and needs to be returned by Wednesday
- Children in 4J will need to bring their cornet in every Monday for Music

MORE INFO



English



We will read:

- 'Once Upon an Ordinary School Day'
- We will also read 'Fearless Fairy Tales'

We will be writing:

- Narratives, fairy tales, dialogues, setting descriptions, informal letters and poetry

SPAG:

- Using inverted commas to punctuate speech, perfect present tense & expanded noun phrases

Maths



- Read, write and convert time between analogue and digital
- Solve problems involving converting from hours to minutes, minutes to seconds, years to months, weeks to days
- Estimate, compare and calculate different money in pounds and pence
- In addition to this, we will continue to practise our times tables every day. Please remember to practise at home too
- Interpret and present discrete and continuous data using appropriate graphical methods, including bar charts and time graphs

Science



Electricity

- Construct a simple series electrical circuit, identifying and naming its basic parts, including cells, wires, bulbs, switches and buzzers
- Identify whether or not a lamp will light in a simple series circuit, based on whether or Not the lamp is part of a complete loop with a battery

Guided Reading



- 4HK will be reading How to Train your Dragon
- 4H will be reading Lost Magic
- 4J will be reading Krindlekrax



You might like to join in with our learning at home by...

Suggested Reading:

- Nonfiction texts based on electricity
- Nonfiction texts about the Golden Age of Islam
- Different forms of children's poetry

Watching:

[Electrical Circuits - BBC Bitesize](#)

[How electricity works - Spooky Science](#)

[Baghdad in 900 AD - BBC Teach](#)

Websites:

[BBC Bitesize - Golden Age of Islam](#)

[BBC Bitesize - Electricity](#)

Experiencing:

- The Temple/Wanstead House located in Wanstead Park
- Science Museum – Electricity exhibition and workshop
- Bank of England Museum
- Regent's Mosque

