

Autumn 1 Overview

Year 5

Our Big Question

Can the pursuit and sharing of knowledge transform a society?



Civilisation of Baghdad



Black History Month

We will explore Black British icons of music and fashion.

This term, we will be learning..

History: We will explore the Early Islamic Civilisation of Baghdad, discovering why it became a world-leading centre of learning, science and innovation.

Art & Design: We will create collages inspired by Islamic art, exploring geometric patterns, colour, calligraphy and composition.

RSHE: We will focus on Physical Health and Wellbeing, learning how to take responsibility for ourselves.

Finance: Our focus will be managing money by exploring different currencies and financial records.

PE: Gymnastics

RE: We will explore why some people believe in a God.

French: Pupils will learn to describe themselves and others in French and talk about birthdays and dates using numbers to 31.

Junior Jam: will be providing an exciting curriculum of Music, PE and Computing on Fridays.

Other Information



Swimming: Some children will be swimming this term to work towards their 25 metres. Dates are every day between 12th and 23rd October.



Trips/experiences:
To be confirmed.



PE Days: PE days will be Tuesdays and Fridays. Children can wear their PE kits to school.

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Writing

- Write non-chronological reports linked to our Solar System topic.
- Organise ideas into clear, cohesive paragraphs.
- Use formal language and technical vocabulary.
- Edit and improve our writing.
- Explore and write free verse poetry inspired by space.



Maths

- Develop place value knowledge to 1,000,000, including Roman numerals.
- Use mental and written methods for addition and subtraction.
- Begin multiplication and division, including multiples, factors and prime numbers.
- Explain and justify mathematical reasoning.

Reading

Our class book will be The Golden Horsemen of Baghdad.



Science

We will explore Earth and Space, investigating the Solar System, planets and the movement of the Earth and Moon through practical science.



You could join in at home by...

Websites:

TTTRS
MyMaths
Top Marks/ Maths games

Reading/ Watching:

Non fiction books on Space and the Civilisation of Baghdad

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/articles/zjfxpg8>

Experiencing:

Science Museum
British Museum
A new sport

