

English

In English KS1 will focus on the book 'Send for a Superhero' by Michael Rosen'. The book will be taught over the period of three weeks in which children create their own superhero and use them to defeat baddies set to destroy their school. Children will write letters and emails asking for help, create posters, generate character description for their invented superheroes and then create their own versions of the Send for Superhero story. During this topic, children will develop a pleasure in reading, motivation to read and enhance their vocabulary and understanding by becoming familiar with key stories. Children will be able to apply their own phonetic knowledge and skills as the route to decode words containing GPCs and -s, -es, -ing.

Islamic Link- Superheroes in Islam, those who brought Islam around the world. Islam started in a tiny land and went all around the world through dawah. They went from country to country bringing the religion of Islam with them.

PE

For PE, KS1 will be participating in circuit training to improve their overall fitness of the children through eight activities based on a different skill. Fun practices are used each week before the children are introduced to two of the circuit activities. During the final two lessons, children will complete the whole circuit and use a score board to enable them to see progress that they have made.

Islamic Link- Learning about how in Islam it is important to stay fit and healthy. How having healthy food is essential in Islam.

Autumn Term 2 Curriculum Overview

KS1 - YEAR 1-2 2022-2023

Islamic knowledge is incorporated into the curriculum

Maths

Year 1- This term Year 1 will look at shapes - 2D and 3D. They will explore the properties they have such as sides, faces, corners, and edges. Then they will move onto patterns that you can make with different shapes.

They will explore 2D shapes before moving on to 3D shapes.
Year 2 - This term Year 2 will also be looking at shapes. They will look at the properties of 2D and 3D shapes before moving onto lines of symmetry of shapes.

After this they will look at repeating patterns with shapes.
Islamic link - How the geometric designs in Islamic art are often built on combinations of repeated squares and circles.

Art

In Art, KS1 will look at what qualities a superhero needs and what they look like. They will move onto making their own comic book artwork about their own superhero. Finally, they will create a statue of a person who can convey some of the superhero qualities they have looked at. They will be using recycling materials to make this.

Islamic link - Women as well as men can be superheroes. Miss Marvel is the first Muslim superhero shown in comic books and on TV.

PSHE

The topic for this term in KS1 is my world, myself, and my powers. Here children will be about to reflect on the created nature of the world around us and realise how actions are created yet Allah SWT created choice for us.

Science

In Science KS1 will focus on Super Scientist where children will investigate different elements of science. They will investigate the effect of every gravity has on everyday objects and what happens to light when it passes through different transparent objects. Children will also understand the importance of germs and how they are transferred and investigate their own senses and reflexes.

Islamic Link- The Qur'an describes the above-mentioned gravitational force as 'invisible pillars'. In conveying this scientific truth, the Qur'an has used an expression that it is comprehensible for the men of all ages. Are these 'unseen pillars', which prevent the planets from colliding with each other or falling, anything other than the mysterious and invisible force of universal gravity, a law to which the creator of the universe has subjected all of the heavenly bodies.

Geography

In Geography KS1 will start by looking at the oceans and where they can find them. Then they will move on to learn about Roald Amundsen's expedition to the South Pole. Finally, they will learn to use maps and their importance to our lives. **Islamic Link** - Arab Muslims were the first to invent the magnetic compass, and it is considered one of the great inventions in the history of Islamic and Arab civilization.