

## English

This term, children will be learning the sequence for *The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe* by CS Lewis, in which children explore the idea that a character can change over time. Children will develop the skills of prediction including evidencing from the text. They will write a poem about a sweet that bewitches a main character, an imaginary conversation between 2 characters and write in role.

Next two weeks will be about the evacuation in WW2. They will learn about who was evacuated, from where, to where and why? They will then write a diary entry of an evacuee child, creating the character of the child. This can be a version of themselves living in 1939 or a fictional character.

**Islamic Link:** Just like the children in the book who go to another world, we as Muslims will also go to Jannah (a completely different world Unknown beautiful world in Jannah)

## P.E.

This half-term pupils will learn to play rounders. Skills include:

- Working and coordinating as a team
- Hand and eye coordination in throwing a ball
- Focus on multiple moving persons whilst in game

**Islamic Link:** Keeping fit enables us to function at a higher level in all aspects of our lives. Comradery and mutual respect for their team members and opposition players.

# Spring 2 Term Curriculum Overview

## KS2 - YEAR 3-4 2021 - 2022 SPRING 2

Islamic knowledge is incorporated into the curriculum

## Maths

Fractions & Decimals:

- Fractions and making a whole
- Fractions greater than 1
- Equivalent fractions
- Fractions of an amount
- Calculate fractions of a quantity
- Add and subtract fractions
- Fractions as decimals
- Place value in decimals
- Add and subtract fractions
- Numbers up to two decimal places

**Islamic Link:** Looking at values of objects, time, money and using fractions to split them according to the needs of people, in fairness, equality and according to the laws of Islam.

## DT

Storybooks, with moving parts (pop-ups, flaps, rotating parts, pulls and tags). Creating moving mechanisms using paper, exploring fonts and graphic techniques, planning and designing a storybook with interactive moving parts.

**Islamic Link:** The benefit of making the written word even more appealing to read, going back to the root of IQRA.

## Science

Changing Sound

- How varying materials make distinct sounds
- Vibrations carry sound
- Distance and volume
- Materials and how they affect sound vibrations
- Varying pitches, frequencies, are affected by the materials, distance and volume of the source of sound

**Islamic Link:** Recognising sources, properties and value of sounds when we hear them, alerting us of urgent, important and vital information: Adhan, instructions, emergencies and speech.

## History

This term in History, pupil will be finding out what World War 2 was and where and when it took place. They will find out what the Blitz was, and which areas were most likely affected. learn about the effects of air raids and the causes of evacuation. find out about the experiences and feelings of evacuees and what rationing was, why it was necessary and how it impacted on people's lives.

**Islamic Link:** Islam sets down clear guidelines as to when war is ethically right. Islam is in favour of peace and against violence.

## PSHE

This half-term we will look at: what makes us happy? Explore the idea that everyone has a right to be happy and healthy. Children will think about the things that make them happy and consider some vocabulary to describe happiness and other emotions. Children will compare scenarios and consider which would make them happier, giving reasons for their choices. They will also explore how many of the things that make us happiest are not material things. **Islamic Link:** We must always be thankful to Allah for making us happy and healthy. Surah 31:12 – "Whoever gives thanks benefits his own soul..."