### **Literacy/Communication:**

In English, the children will be developing their grammar, punctuation and spelling- including relative clauses, semi-colons and prepositional phrases - through quality year 6 texts. Their writing will include both fiction and non-fiction writing. The children will be developing their reading skills through the use of reading journals. They will have the opportunity to do a range of activities to support and show their comprehension of texts.

### **Stanstead Nursery** and Primary School

**Theme Title** 

## Islamic Civilization

**History:** We will be exploring the Islamic Civilisation, by finding out about the Prophet Muhammad. We will be finding out about The House of Wisdom and the impact it had. We will be using our knowledge organiser to lead our learning.

Art and design: In art, we will be using a range of techniques to create Islamic patterns. During the term, the children will be overprinting, using clay techniques and printing on tiles with an Islamic repeating pattern.

### **Numeracy:**

In Maths, we will be focusing on securing our knowledge of place value, using accurate written methods for the four operations and working on decimals, percentages and their equivalence to fractions. These will be explored in a variety of ways and by exploring a variety of problems to enhance our skills of application. We develop our reasoning skills in writing as well as orally.

**Science:** We will be comparing and classifying different types of animals and exploring their habitats. We will also be looking closely at how animals adapt to their environments.

**Computing**: We will be focusing on effective research. We will look at how search engines work and how we can ensure our searches bring about good results.

# Lead Question

Why was
the Islamic
civilization
around
AD900
known as the
golden age?

**PSHE:** We will be focusing on relationships. Within this, we will be exploring ways to maintain healthy relationships, recognising and managing our emotions within relationships and recognising negative relationships.

**RE:** As a class we will look at how different faiths worship and pray.

MFL: We will be learning key words and linking words and working towards holding short oral conversations, in Spanish, by the end of the term

#### PE:

Every Friday, we will be swimming at Ken Martin Leisure Centre and working on competency, confidence and proficiency. On Wednesday, we be working on team work.