

# V&A Voyage: Through the Islamic Middle East

Here are some examples of work by schools who have used the Exploring Traditional Tales resource at the museum.

## Exploring Middle Eastern art and culture: Hazlemere Church of England School Year 6, half a term

### Ideas and Inspiration

The visit to the Jameel Gallery at the V&A was a starting point for this class to explore Middle Eastern art and culture. Observational drawings from completed gallery activity sheets and stories from this resource formed the basis for ceramic work in art and understanding Islam culture in R.E. They also used Middle Eastern storytelling to inspire their end of year performance.



### Methods and Materials

Back at school the class created ceramic tiles based on colours, patterns and shapes they sketched in the gallery. They translated the outline shapes onto clay, and incorporated shapes to form patterns, arranging them symmetrically. When dry, the clay was painted and vanished.

### Outcomes

