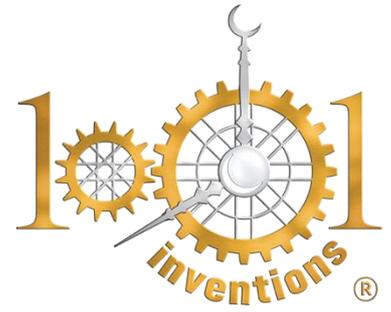


# 1001 INVENTIONS SCHOOLS FAIR

GRANT SCHEME – Spring/Summer Term 2019  
North West England



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# OVERVIEW

From rainbows to robots, maps to medicines, the inventions and discoveries of Muslim civilisation still shape our lives today. From the late seventh century, a golden age of discovery flourished from Spain to China, as men and women from various faiths and cultures worked together to further knowledge and learning.



Now you can apply for a grant to support your students in developing their very own **1001 Inventions Schools Fair**. They will gain vital skills in research, collaboration and presentation as they undertake a project they will never forget.



The award-winning British-based organisation 1001 Inventions is providing grants of up to **£500 to primary schools in North West England**.

By getting involved, your students will be able to explore the incredible advances of this period of history – and then construct their own experiments, exhibits and performances to share these stories with others.

Explorers and engineers, star-gazers and ship-builders – the pioneers of this Golden Age in science knew how to get hands-on. Your students can follow their lead as they develop, write, make and tinker, building their teamwork, communication and presentation skills at the same time.

Previous **1001 Inventions Schools Fairs** have involved colourful costumes, cardboard and LEGO models, experiments, poems and performances, and lots of fun and learning. While we suggest the interactive exhibits are primarily related to science and engineering advancements, the project as a whole also celebrates culture and the arts.

## WHY APPLY FOR THIS GRANT?

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The grant scheme offers up to **£500** to a **limited number of schools in North West England** to run **1001 Inventions Schools Fair**. The grant scheme aims to support schools/teachers to:

1. Use artistic practice; theatre, creative workshops and projects to spark students' interest in science and appreciation for arts and culture.
2. Motivate students to use their creativity and imagination to plan and produce exhibitions and/or performances.
3. Develop curiosity and research skills to learn about science, history and culture.
4. Support students to explore and experiment to make their own models, working machines, demonstrations and live presentations. Also to learn and practice visual and performing arts.
5. Enhance students' teamwork as well as organisational and presentation skills as they share their science and arts creative products with their peers, friends and family.
6. Offer the opportunity to enjoy and appreciate achievements from diverse cultures.

## WHO CAN APPLY?

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- Any state-funded or private primary school that is legally incorporated and regulated in the UK and is based in North West England.
- Applications should include plans for a project with direct involvement of a minimum of 50 students.

## WHAT WILL 1001 INVENTIONS PROVIDE?

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- Up to **£500** to support students create their own **1001 Inventions Schools Fair**. Grant money can be used for materials to build exhibits, prepare costumes for live performances or to cover costs of organising the one-day School Fair.
- **Free downloadable resources** including step-by-step guide to help you plan the project. Also detailed content, fascinating research, images, science activities, videos, performance scripts and other activity ideas to help build students creative skills and develop their project.
- **A free set of A1 sized posters** titled "**1001 Inventions: The Enduring Legacy of Muslim Civilisation**" to help familiarise students with the context. Additional 1001 Inventions resources on: <http://www.1001inventions.com/education>

# WHAT SHOULD YOUR SCHOOL DO?

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Use 1001 Inventions resources, including step-by-step guide and activity ideas, to plan a comprehensive **1001 Inventions Schools Fair** project. The project will include:

- 1- Work with your students to develop exciting exhibits and live presentations that reveal fascinating knowledge about the Golden Age of science in Muslim civilisation. This phase should run over a few weeks (possibly a full term) with progress made by students on a part-time basis. Explore 1001 Inventions relevant educational resources on: <http://www.1001inventions.com/education#guides>
- 2- The work of students culminates with organising a one-day *1001 Inventions Schools Fair* (schools may choose to exhibit the work of students for longer periods of time). For this event you are expected to invite the whole school, and/or your local community, to visit and enjoy students' creative exhibits, experiments, presentations and live performances. Explore how other schools organised 1001 Inventions events previously on: <http://www.1001inventions.com/education#examples>
- 3- Share your experiences with 1001 Inventions by sending brief updates during progress, the Project Final Report as well as photos and videos that can be used to celebrate the project and let others know about it (*Guidelines for Final Report*).

## Application Timeline and Dates

- ⇒ You will need to complete the Application Form, which can be downloaded at the bottom of this page and email it to: [educators@1001inventions.com](mailto:educators@1001inventions.com)
- ⇒ Applications must be submitted before **5pm on Thursday 28 February 2019**.
- ⇒ Expert evaluators will assess your application. They will need to fully understand what you are applying to fund, so it is important to include in the application your plans to develop the project and create a fair that is unique to your school.
- ⇒ Successful applications will be notified by email by **March 15, 2019**.
- ⇒ Payment of the grant will be made directly to the school's bank account in **early April 2019**.
- ⇒ Your *1001 Inventions Schools Fair* must be organised before **22 July 2019**.
- ⇒ Your Final Report must be submitted no later than **one month** after organising the *1001 Inventions Schools Fair*.

# TERMS AND CONDITIONS

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By applying for the grant, you are agreeing to the following conditions:

1. Your project must be approved by the School Head.
2. Your *1001 Inventions Schools Fair* must be completed before **22 July 2019**.
3. You must submit the Project Final Report no later than one month after organising the one-day *1001 Inventions Schools Fair* and maximum by **22 August 2019**.
4. Applicant consents to the publication of any photos or video footage sent as part of the Project Final Report. Photographs and videos will be used to showcase the project, and so they might be shared on our website, social media or with supporters.
5. The selection of the schools to receive the grant is subject to the evaluators' judgment. All decisions are final and there is no right of appeal.
6. 1001 Inventions logo **must not** be used on any marketing materials produced, either in print or online unless a written approval is received from 1001 Inventions.
7. If for whatever reason you are not able to run the project before 22 July 2019, the grant money will have to be returned to 1001 Inventions.

## FAQ

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Q: How long should a school run this event?

A: We suggest the programme extend throughout a full term with progress made by students on a part time basis culminating in the opening of a one-day school fair. Schools may choose to exhibit the work of students for longer periods of time.



Q: Can we charge admission to the *1001 Inventions Schools Fair*?

A: The Fair should be a free-entry event. If you provide refreshments it is fine to charge for these.

Q: How will you use the photographs we send in the report?

A: We will use these photographs to showcase the project, and so they might be shared on our website, social media or with supporters. Please only send photographs that you are happy are used in this way.

# GUIDELINES FOR FINAL REPORT

Your final report submitted to 1001 Inventions should include the following information and sent with attachments to: [educators@1001inventions.com](mailto:educators@1001inventions.com)

1. School name
2. Project start date and end date
3. When and where did the *1001 Inventions School Fair* take place?
4. How many students were involved in creating it?
5. What types of activities did you do with your students?
6. How did the students respond to developing the *1001 Inventions Schools Fair*?
7. How did the grant help to fund the project?
8. How did you advertise the *1001 Inventions Schools Fair*?
9. How many people came along?
10. What were the reactions of visitors?
11. Will you continue to use 1001 Inventions resources beyond the School Fair?
12. Will you replicate the *1001 Inventions School Fair* with other classrooms/students?
13. Provide copies of any press coverage and/or school newsletter featuring the fair.
14. What is your projects' legacy?
15. Were there any lessons learnt, not mentioned above, that are worth sharing?
16. Please send photographs cleared for media use, showing students work throughout the project duration and photographs of the *1001 Inventions Schools Fair*.



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