

Time-Travel Adventures with Iqbal Hussain

Activity 1

Write down an adjective that describes YOU and starts with the same first letter as your name.

My name:

My adjective:

Activity 2

When Zubair goes back in time, he has to do five things – his time-travel rituals:

He concentrates really hard, he crosses his eyes, he clutches a magic amulet, he walks seven times around a prayer mat, and he steps onto a seven-pointed star.

If you could time-travel, what would YOUR ritual be?

1. Something you must think or imagine

(e.g. concentrate really hard, think happy thoughts, remember your happiest memory...):

2. Something you must do with your face or body

(e.g. cross your eyes, roll your tongue, frown, hop on one foot...):

3. An object to hold or wear:

(e.g. magic amulet, special sunglasses, a medal...):

4. An action + a number + a place:

**(e.g. walk + seven times + around a prayer mat;
jump up and down + three times + in the centre circle of your school football
pitch; spin round + five times + under an ancient tree...):**

5. Something you must stop on, stand on or sit on:

**(e.g. a seven-pointed star, the centre spot, a hollow at the bottom of the
tree):**

Activity 3

How does the main character time-travel in each of these stories?

Back to the Future

Tom's Midnight Garden

- DeLorean (car)
- Grandfather clock
- Tin bathtub
- Time-Turner (hourglass necklace)
- The TARDIS

Time Travelling
with a Hamster

Dr Who

Harry Potter and the
Prisoner of Azkaban

Activity 3

Imagine you had to go away for a whole year, and you could only take what you could fit into your school bag. What would you take with you? List as many things as you can fit in the bag below:



Extension Activity

Write your own time-travel adventure!

Here's a simple way to plan your time-travel story:

- **Step 1: choose your time-travel ritual**
- **Step 2: decide where and when you want to go**
- **Step 3: make one small change**
- **Step 4: show what happens as a result of that change**