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Discover Persia
at the British Museum

Persia family weekend

Saturday 19 & Sunday 20 April 2008
11.00–16.30

The ancient Persian Empire covered over 3 million square miles and stretched into Asia, Europe and Africa. This special weekend of events will bring to life the worlds of ancient and later Persia and Iran. Get involved in a range of free activities, including games, workshops and performances.

Ballet Afsaneh,
Persian classical dance
Photographer: Robertino Regazza.

Highlights include:

Ballet Afsaneh A critically acclaimed performance ensemble from San Francisco presenting dance and live music.

Enchanting Drums The first UK-based daf (Persian drum) ensemble.

Mixed Nutz: A Persian Adventure Animated film.

Admission free, just drop in
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Persia family activities

Wednesday 16 – Friday 18 April 2008, 11.00–16.00
Saturday 19 & Sunday 20 April 2008, 11.00–16.30

Enjoy free activities, beginning with three days of art and craft, music and stories and culminating in a special Persia Family Weekend extravaganza. Help build a royal city, listen to tales of Persian myths and legends and follow a treasure trail through the Ancient Iran Gallery. At the weekend you can also take part in jewellery workshops, enjoy face painting, or simply listen to the Sabah Ensemble.

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Enchanting Drums, Nava Arts UK, City University Middle East Ensemble.

Afghan Folklore Dance: Tara Pandeya of Ballet Afsaneh.
Photographer: Daniel Bahmani.

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