


<p>Learning Challenges</p> <p>Engage We will use pictures of objects, people and places of worship related to different celebrations and play pass the bag around the circle. What celebration is it? Have the children seen it? Experienced it? Have they done something similar with their families?</p> <p>Develop We will watch video clips of firework displays. We will print firework pictures with paint using a range of different tools and colours. We will make firework noises using voice sounds. We will use rockets for counting - forwards and backwards. We will use torches to explore darkness. We will draw fireworks outside on the floor with chalk. We will retell the story of the Rama and Sita. We will look at traditional Hindu patterns and create our own for a Rangoli. We</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Foundation Stage</p> <p style="text-align: center;">What makes a festival?</p>  <p>The illustration shows a group of diverse children holding hands in a circle around a large, glowing blue globe. The children are wearing colorful clothing and are smiling, representing a global community celebrating together.</p>	<p>Learning Challenges will make mehndi patterns on hand shapes. We will use salt dough to make own Diya lamps and decorate them with colour and pattern. Read 'The First Christmas.' Find out about how people prepare for and celebrate Christmas. Learn Christmas rhymes and songs. Decorate Christmas tree in classroom. We will find out about other festivals and celebrations. What happens? How are they celebrated?</p> <p>Innovate Thinking about what we have learnt about different celebrations, we will plan a party.</p> <p>Express We will make refreshments, decorations and prepare entertainment for the party. Have a party as a class. Take photos and videos to share on the website. Take diyas and decorations home to share learning with families.</p>
BUILDING LEARNING POWERS - how to make our brains grow!		
<p>Noticing We will be using our Noticing skills to look closely at colour and pattern.</p>	<p>Persevering The Persevering Pirates will be helping us to learn how to 'try, try and try again', particularly when putting on our coats as the weather gets colder.</p>	
CHRISTIAN VALUES		
<p>Friendship - we will learn about the Value of Friendship through the stories that Jesus told and reflecting on how we might be able to show this in our actions.</p>	<p>Thankfulness - we will be saying prayers of thankfulness for the world around us.</p>	



ST GEORGE'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Nursery Reminders

Home time - At the end of the day please be patient with us as we call your child to go home. I hope you appreciate we try not to rush this to make sure each child leaves the classroom and goes safely to the adult picking them up.

Clothing - Please can you make sure all clothing is labelled with your child's name. We often play in water outside and change into wellington boots, so please also name your child's shoes.

Independence - Encourage your child to be independent e.g. going to the toilet on their own at home, getting dressed, putting on their own coat and taking jumpers on and off.

Thank you for your support

The Foundation Stage Team