

Communication and Language (CL)

We will find out why there are lots of Poppies for Remembrance Day

We will retell festival stories e.g. Diwali with puppets

We will explain how to be safe around fireworks

We will chat to a friend on the phone and invite them to a party

Literacy (L)

We will retell familiar stories using props

We will find out about festivals through books

We will create word rockets using firework related words

We will write Christmas lists

We will use FRED talk to hear the individual sounds in words

We will start to develop our pencil grips through Squiggle While you Wiggle, Dough Disco and using a range of different mark making tools

Understanding the World (UW)

We will take a sensory walk around our playground focussing on our natural environment - the colour of the sky, how the trees are changing etc.

We will find out about how festivals are celebrated through stories

We will talk about a festival you have celebrated at home

We will create our own Mendhi patterns.

We will plant some bulbs in the outdoor play area planters and watch them change.

Personal Social Emotional Development (PSED)

We will practice playing with others in the home corner

We will talk about why we wear special clothes

We will talk about why people wear poppies

We will find out how we celebrate special events at home

We will find out if everybody celebrates in the same way

As part of our work on celebrations we will talk about special party food

We will explore what happens for a special event

Why do we light candles for celebrations?

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Physical Development (PD)

We will find out what tools can we use to change the shape of paper

We will explore how we can move at different speeds and in different ways

We will explore special music for different festivals

We will explore different ways of fastening material together when we make a firework model

We will learn how to dress ourselves

Mathematics (M)

We will explore different shapes and shape print wrapping paper presents

We will have a go at designing Rangoli patterns

We will make paper chain decorations in a pattern

We will learn to order numbers to 10

We will practise counting place settings, spoons, menus etc.

We will problem solve e.g. how many plates for 4 people

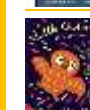
We will fill bags, socks, containers with sand and use language such as full/empty

We will use language adding and subtraction in play

We will be sorting different coloured objects into sets

We will act out different numbers e.g. 4 claps, 8 jumps

Key Texts



Expressive Art and Design (EAD)

We will explore Autumnal colours using natural materials alongside paint.

We will use different printing techniques to create Remembrance Poppies

We will explore different emotions through music- particularly the Music of Saint-Saens

We will make celebration cards

We will role play personal experiences in the home corner.