



# Reception News

Our topic is

**Celebrations**

## This week in Reception

This week we have been learning about different celebrations. We made diva lamps out of salt dough which are used in the Hindu celebration Diwali. We also learnt about repeating patterns and made bracelets.



## Phonics

This week we have been learning our sounds in groups.

Click on Fred to play 'Fred Says'.



Click on the sounds to practise set 1 speed sounds.



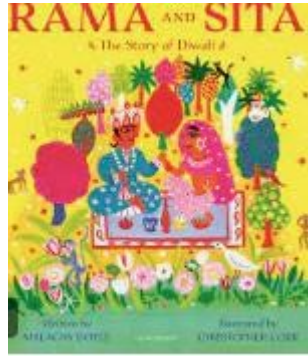


# Next week in Reception

## Literacy

We will learn about different religious celebrations.

This week we will read the Hindu story 'Rama and Sita'.



## Word Aware

Next week we will learn these words:

smooth

fabric

gift

rescue

leapt

## Understanding of the World

Next week we will continue to learn about different people and religions and how they celebrate. We will learn about the Christian celebration of Christmas. We will also think about toys that have magnets in them.



## Maths

We will learn about numbers to 6. We will also learn doubles to 6.



## Songs, Rhymes and Poems

**The Queen of Hearts**

The Queen of Hearts  
She made some tarts,  
All on a summer's day;  
The Knave of Hearts  
He stole those tarts,  
And took them clean away.

The King of Hearts  
Called for the tarts,  
And beat the knave full sore;  
The Knave of Hearts  
Brought back the tarts,  
And vowed he'd steal no more.

## Expressive Arts and Design

Next week we will learn about the artist Mondrian and make our own paintings in this style.



## Messages

Christmas Jumper Day is on Thursday 7th December. Remember to wear a Christmas jumper or red/green jumper to school.



If your child has an accident at school and we send them home in clean clothes please could you wash and return them to school. Thank you.