



Nursery: Autumn 2 – Celebrations

Big Bang Day – Tuesday 4th November

On Tuesday 4th November the children can come into school ready for a party! We will have a fun day of party games, activities and stories related to celebrations the children may experience and will invite the children to share how they celebrate events with their own families. Please upload some photos of your children taking part in celebrations on their Showbie account.

Trip/ Visit

We will be inviting you in for a regular reading session on a Monday for you to enjoy books with your child, more details will follow soon.
Rock Kidz will be visiting us on Thursday 6th November.
World Nursery Rhyme week is coming up soon on the week beginning 10th November.
Little City will be visiting us on 12th November, look out for the letter.
We are also looking to have the police visit, more details will follow soon.
The children will participate in a performance of the Nativity on 16th December.

Literacy	In literacy, we will explore a range of key stories in different ways. The children will have the opportunity to listen to, watch and role play their favourites, and discuss what they enjoyed about each one. We will use Little Wandle Foundations for Phonics to begin discussing initial sounds, as well as continuing to explore nursery rhymes looking at different elements such as alliteration, rhyme and exploring sounds.
Mathematics	This term in maths we will be looking at 1:1 correspondence, digit recognition and subitising. This will consolidate our learning from term 1, focusing on numbers 1-5, and extending to 10 as the children become more confident. We will also look at positional language, shapes and the concept of more and fewer.
Understanding the World	We will begin to explore the world around us by using observational and investigative language. We will wonder about the world around us and explore different items linking them by their commonalities. We will also look at the similarities and differences between families and explore traditions from different cultures and religions.
Expressive Art and Design	This term in art and design, we will be exploring colour through our use of paint. We will practice mixing primary colours to create new colours and then using these secondary and tertiary colours to create beautiful artwork for everyone to enjoy. We will also be creating artwork to look at different celebrations throughout the term, these include Bonfire Night, Diwali, Hannukah and Christmas.
Physical Development	As a part of our physical development, we will look at how children can run, jump, dance and balance both inside and out. We will continue to develop our hand eye coordination and bodily awareness through a range of games and activities. We will also be improving our fine motor skills by using tweezers, scissors and pencils to strengthen our grip.
Core Texts	