

Celebrations



English

We started this term by learning about the importance of November 5th and Guy Fawkes. After that we will be moving onto the Great Fire of London. Poetry and innovating fictional stories that will conclude the term.

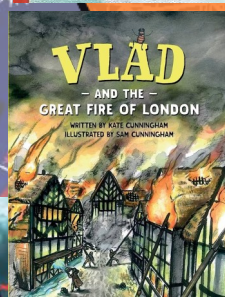
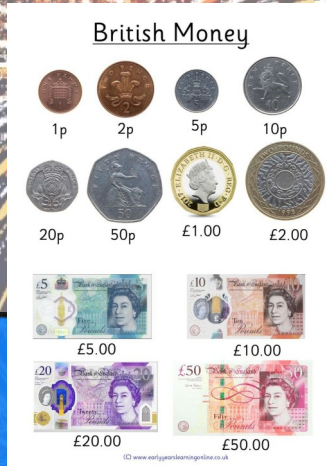
Art

Art and RE will be our main focus subjects for this topic. We will be exploring different celebrations from all over the world. In Art, we will be exploring sculpture and in particular the work by Marc Quinn. We will be producing our hand sculptures, using rangoli and mehndi patterns.

Maths

We will be continuing to look at calculations with addition and subtraction and consolidating our strategies.

In money, we will be learning about the British coins and notes and using this to solve problems.



This topic will focus on how as humans we love to celebrate!

You can help your child by:

Sharing with your child details of any childhood special occasions you have experienced. Eg birthdays, weddings, Christenings, Diwali, Eid etc.

Discuss the variety of foods that were shared and eaten at the celebration.

Encourage your child to listen to different sorts of music which are used during different celebrations.

Computing

In computing this term we will be using 'Diasy the Dinosaur' to help us learn how to write code.



PSHRE

This term we will be studying Health and Wellbeing. We will learn how to look after ourselves in a healthy way and learn strategies to support us when we need help. Seasonally, we will learn about the safety with fireworks.



PE

This term, we will be building on ball skills and using these skills whilst playing target games. We will be throwing more accurately at targets. Dance is our other lesson, we will start by learning and performing a dance for 'The Great Fire London'.



RE

We will be studying how and why celebrations are important in various religions. We will consider the special times of the year when these festivals happen, for example Festival of Light-Diwali, Eid, as well as appreciating the true meaning of Christmas.



Geography

We will be learning the origins of some festivals that are celebrated all over the world. We will be using maps and atlases to locate these countries.



As part of our STEAM days this year, we will be looking at technology and the role it plays in our world.