



# FI Curriculum Newsletter: Autumn 2

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back! We hope you have had an amazing spooky half term and are well rested to start an extraordinary half term before Christmas!

## Celebrations

This half term's theme 'Celebrations' will see us learning about celebrations and festivals around the world including Diwali, Hanukah and Thanksgiving as well as celebrating King Charles's birthday and Remembrance day, closer to home.

We have a jam packed half term planned with lots of fun and exciting activities including cooking up some exotic foods for our world celebrations, having a party and much much more!

Our special stories this half term are 'You Must Bring a Hat' by Simon Philip and Kate Hindley, and 'The Robin who Stole Christmas' by Rachel Morrisroe and Richard Merritt.

## How can you help?

### Weather

We do a lot of outdoor learning come rain or shine, so please ensure your child has the correct clothing for the weather. Please bring a labelled water bottle in for your child daily so they stay hydrated.

### Clothing

We occasionally have accidents in Nursery, so please ensure your child has a bag with spare clothes in school, which they can leave on their peg for the half term. If you have any pre loved clothes to donate to nursery we would love to have them!

Please label all of your child's belongings including jumpers and cardigans.

## Dates for your diary.

W/B Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> November	Inter-faith week
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Dinner and Jumper day
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	Last day of term 2pm finish

### Attendance Matters

It is important that your child is in school every day! Children can come to school with a cough or cold! They soon forget about their sniffles when they are playing with their friends!

### Screen Time

Please limit screen time at bedtime, no screen time one hour before bed. Reading a bed time story is best!

### Independence

Thank you for supporting us this term with saying goodbye to your little one at the door. It has helped immensely with settling them into nursery life.

Thank you Miss Bibi