

Remote Learning Plan



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Picture News will be added to Tapestry this week, it's another great resource to supplement learning.

Don't forget about Storytime on Tapestry. There will also be additional activities on there.

Mathematics Focus

Here are two Numberblock episodes for you to watch this week. Make sure you watch it with a grown up so you can chat about what is happening and pause or rewatch the best bits. The first episode develops our knowledge of 6.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b08q4g7y/numberblocks-series-2-counting-sheep>

A bit tricky? Use some of your toys to replay what happened (they don't have to be sheep!) More of a challenge? Create a picture or diagram to explain what happened in the episode.

The next episode is about counting backwards and number bonds to 10.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b08q3zx7/numberblocks-series-2-blast-off>

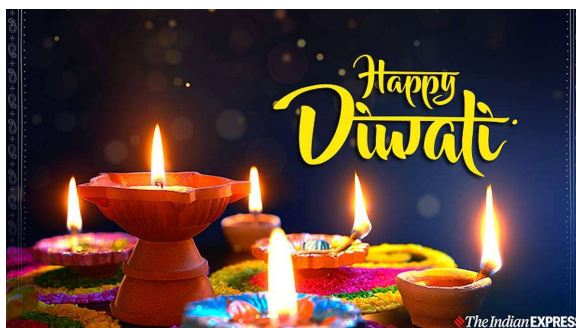
A bit tricky? Try counting backwards from a lower number. More of a challenge? Try counting backwards from a higher number.

Don't forget to log into **Mathseeds**, how many golden acorns can you earn today?

Festival of Light

One of the messages in the story of Rama and Sita is to look for the light in the darkness. Without darkness, we couldn't see the twinkling stars. Why not investigate the dark using a torch on a phone? Go out into your garden in the dark, can you find your way round? Have a go at making a shadow puppet like they do on the retelling of Rama and Sita in 'Let's Celebrate'

Kusha Diwali!



Lots of people celebrate Diwali every Autumn including Hindus and Sikhs. For those that follow Hinduism, Diwali is one of their biggest festivals, also known as the festival of light and one of the main stories about Diwali is the story of Rama and Sita.

You can listen to the story here:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uRpNNF4fB4g>

And here:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/lets-celebrate-diwali>

How well can you get to know this story? Can you act it out using your toys? Can you draw a picture of your favourite part of the story or your favourite character? Can you explain what each of the characters do in the story? Can you retell the whole story by memory?

Phonics Focus

The government have funded a YouTube Letters and Sounds channel. Letters and Sounds is the programme we follow at school and the lessons are taught in a similar manner to our daily phonic sessions. We are all at different stages in our phonics journey so if you start with the most recent lesson and see how you get on, you can adjust which lesson you watch.

Introduction

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=neUPn26gXf>

Most recent lesson-

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hcPHae8DHM8>

Physical Development

As with many celebrations, Diwali is a time to dance! Watch this video of children learning a dance to a type of music called Bhangra. Can you copy any of their moves? If you practice it every day, you'll get better and you can show us your dance moves next week. Maybe you could make up some of your own moves.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W7cuUUZdPWY>

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Log into your Reading Eggspress account and take a look at the fish based books I've assigned for you to read. There are a variety of levels and each book has a quiz and review section to complete. And don't forget to turn on or off the 'read to me' button. Then have a look at the library yourself and see if you can find any other books you like the look of.

Read these books together on Oxford Owl. You will need to register (free to do so) and talk about the stories and facts you discover. There are a variety of reading levels.

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/api/interactives/13007.html>
<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/api/interactives/12986.html>
<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/api/interactives/12943.html>
https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/api/digital_books/1257.html

Last week, we thought about people who we'd not seen for a long time or remembered someone who was no longer with us. This week, have a go at making a colourful Diwali card for someone special. Let them know you are thinking of them and wish them 'Kusha Diwali'

Expressive Arts and Design

Mehndi

One of the ways to celebrate Diwali is to have a Mehndi on your hand. Can you design a mehndi pattern? Research what they look like on line then draw round your hand on a piece of paper and then create your own pattern on the outline of your hand. When we return to school, we will do a patch test and then each have a real mehndi.

Rangoli

Rangoli is a pattern, usually made from chalk or paint and it is used outside to welcome guest and bring good luck. You could have a go at decorating outdoors using things you find outside such as different coloured leaves, sticks, grass or soil.

Divas

Rama and Sita used the lights of hundreds of Divas to find their way home. Next week we will use your glass jars to create our own divas but maybe you could find another way to make one. You could do an experiment to see if you can make a flame using cotton wool and melted butter like Jessica does on 'Let's Celebrate'.

Diwali Sweets

It's traditional to share food and sweets with family and friends at Diwali. I have all the ingredients we need to make tasty Diwali sweets to share with our buddies next week but maybe this week you could help make something tasty at home? Maybe you could make a fruit salad, or some cakes or some sandwiches. If you make enough, perhaps someone in your family could leave a treat on your neighbours' doorstep.

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Listen to the song:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/lets-go-club-diwali-song>

It teaches you about Diwali. What facts can you remember after listening to it? There's also a variety of Diwali songs to learn on Tapestry, which are all to the tune of familiar Nursery Rhymes.

Understanding of the World

Many Hindus live in India. Go Jetters have an episode about India, what new facts can you learn by watching it?

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b075pnny/go-jetters-series-1-15-the-taj-mahal-india>

Go Jetters also have an episode about Holi, which is another Hindu festival which takes place in Spring.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/m000g8nm/go-jetters-series-3-26-holi-festival-of-colour-india>

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

We are learning about meditation, breathing and self-control and watching this episode of Cosmic Kids called 'Be the Pond' will add another strategy to your repertoire.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wf5K3pP2IUQ>

Cosmic Kids has a wealth of yoga activities available a great many of which are based on familiar stories from The Gruffalo to Harry Potter. Take a look and choose a yoga story you'd like to follow.

Communication and Language

Have a look at the PowerPoint slide shows on Tapestry. One gives you information about Diwali and one is a quiz about what you can see. Have a chat with your grown up as you look at them and think about the new words you hear and their meaning.