

RECEPTION CLASS NEWSLETTER-Monday 17th November 2025

This half term's enquiry question: How do other people celebrate?



This week, the children will be deepening their learning about the composition of 4, representing and recording their learning in different ways. They will also be exploring the whole number 5. The children will be focusing upon the Oliver Jeffers' book: The Way Back Home and in particular the characters and plot, which they will be re-telling. The children will be writing a list of things they might need if they were going to rescue an alien from the moon, just like the boy did. The Shining Stars will be completing their learning about Hinduism and Diwali and will then be listening to the Christian Nativity story, practising their own Nativity; acting, speaking and singing! The children will be starting their design technology project-planning, designing a slider mechanism, to move Nativity characters along a background, in order to tell part of the Nativity story to a Nursery friend. There will be lots of child-initiated learning in and outdoors as usual.

PARENT DROP IN SESSION-TUESDAY 18TH NOVEMBER 2025

DIWALI PARENT WORKSHOP-Thursday 27th November 2025

at 2.35pm Please come to the school office for 2.30pm. Please see the Diwali letter already sent out for more details.

TOMBOLA PRIZES-YELLOW

Please send in a Tombola prize-it needs to be yellow as it is our class colour for the Tombola at the Christmas Fayre this year. We will also be selling the Shining Stars' hand made Christmas Tree Decorations at the Christmas Fayre on Thursday 20th November, after school.

Thank you for your continued support,

Mrs Hartley (Reception Class Teacher / EYFS Co-ordinator) and the EYFS Team.