

Sparkly Celebrations

Autumn 2 Reception

This overview may change as we plan with the children's interests



Key vocabulary

Celebration

Festival

Tradition

Diversity

Fireworks

Christmas

Advent

Nativity

Diwali

We will learn...

- * About each other's faiths, cultures and countries
- * The basic history relating to each faith
- * To respect each other's beliefs
- * To use language to describe how ourselves and others celebrate

We will be able to...

- * Enjoy joining with family customs and routines.
- * Know about similarities and differences between themselves and others.
- * Use new vocabulary when talking.
- * Role play alongside others, using language to imagine and recreate roles.
- * Create simple representations of events and people.



Helpful links and texts

The Tiger Who Came to Tea by Judith Kerr

We're Going on an Elf Chase by Martha Mumford

Sparks in the Sky (Twinkl Story)

Kipper's Birthday by Mike Inkpen

Dipal's Diwali (Twinkl Story)

Cbeebies 'My First Festivals' <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/my-first-festivals>



A song about Diwali from Cbeebies
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KZU6M4EisyA>

We will also look at...

Birthdays and parties

Remembrance Day

Bonfire Night

Halloween

Diwali

Christmas and The Nativity

New Year

