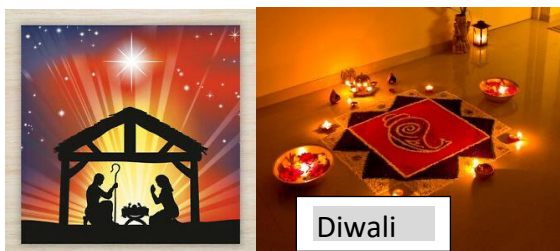


Class 2 Autumn 2, 2021 Topic: The Gunpowder Plot and Religious Festivals and Celebrations Key Learning



Diwali

Gunpowder Plot key vocabulary

Traditions historic explosive plot Catholic Protestant Puritans Houses of Parliament Tudors religion conflict tension gun powder conspirators

Key date 5th November 1605

Key people Guy Fawkes King James 1 Thomas Percy Robert Catesby

Religious Festivals and Celebrations

Key Vocabulary

Christian calendar worship wise men incarnation gold, frankincense and myrrh symbols faith the Bible extracts hymns prayers sermons Diwali Hindi new year gifts lights diva lamp festival fireworks diva Festival of Lights

Key date 4th November 2021

Key people/characters Jesus Sita Rama Lakshmi

In **ENGLISH** we will read non-fiction texts about the Gunpowder Plot and the events of November 5, 1605 - and we will learn the famous poem *Remember, Remember*, we will also look at stories involving fantasy (*Oi Get Off My Train* and *The Magic Bed*) and learn about labels, lists and posters.

In **MATHS** we will look at addition and subtraction, 2D and 3D shapes and place value to 20 (yr 1). Year 2s will look at adding and subtracting two-digit numbers from two-digit numbers, making number bonds to 100, counting money in pence and pounds and making equal and unequal groups.

In **SCIENCE** we will learn to identify and name a variety of everyday materials including wood, plastic, glass and metal and how to describe their physical properties. We will also look at the story of the Three Little Pigs with a focus on their building choices.

In **HISTORY** our topic will help us learn about historical events beyond living memory. We will use our new knowledge of the Great Fire of London to place the Gunpowder Plot on a timeline.

PHONICS

Year 1s focus on Phases 4 and 5a. Year 2s recap Phases 5b and 5c.

ART

We will make firework pictures using wax colours and paper plate Catherine wheels and we will draw, paint and sew different pieces of art with a Christmas theme.

GEOGRAPHY

We will learn more about the UK and its four countries and begin to understand which capital cities belong to which country.

PE - We will learn a fireworks dance, practise gymnastics and play invasion games with Carlisle United staff in one of our two sessions.

RE

We will focus on Christianity and The Nativity, as well as learn about the Hindu festival of Diwali.

PHSE

Our focus this half term is relationships - how to be a good friend, playing fair and listening to others.

