



Thursday 19th October 2017

This week we have continued to explore where our food comes from by using the story of The Little Red Hen makes Pizza. We made our own delicious pizzas and talked about which toppings were our favourite. Today is the start of the Hindu festival of Divali and so we have learnt a little bit about how the Hindu people celebrate it. We have made Divali lamp collages, rangoli patterns and listened to the story of Rama and Sita. In maths we have been counting carefully and selecting the right numeral to match a set of objects.

Letters and Sounds This week we have been working on learning to recognise and write the sounds h,b,f and the digraph ff. The term 'digraph' means two letters that make one sound.

After half term we will be learning about Fireworks and The Gunpowder Plot and a little bit about Remembrance too. We will raise money for Children in Need and think about people who are less fortunate than us. We will share stories such as The Jolly Postman and think about how we can keep in touch with our friends by either writing letters or sending emails. We will write to Father Christmas, prepare for our Christmas play and of course enjoy the special weeks leading up to this exciting time of year. Please do not forget that Monday 30th October is a non-pupil day.

Show and Tell will continue to be on a Friday. In our first week back our learning will centre around fireworks and The Gunpowder plot so please encourage your children to find or make something relating to this to bring in.

All of the children in Class R have had a brilliant start to their school journey. They have come such a long way in 7 short weeks and deserve a restful half term. Thank you for all of your support as always.

With best wishes,

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