## Unit Plan: What can I celebrate? (9 weeks)

## Rationale

Pupils start this unit thinking about what they celebrate. We want our pupils to learn about, experience and develop their understanding of their own and other cultures through what we celebrate. In this unit we look at Diwali, birthdays, weddings and Christmas. This links in with our diverse heritage, looked at in Autumn 1.

Core Texts	Everyone welcome texts	Enrichment
Teddy's to a Wedding	Reveal Affree PLAY TRUCKS? Affree Aff	<ul> <li>Birthday Party</li> <li>Making Diva's out of clay</li> <li>Christmas Party</li> </ul>
		Written outcomes
Gingerbread Man	FAMILY and ME!	Name writing; tracing, copying then independently
Physical development	Maths	Links to NC areas
<ul> <li>Can I move in a range of ways?</li> <li>Can I go up steps and stairs or climb up apparatus?</li> <li>Can I use one handed tools and equipment?</li> <li>Can I use a comfortable grip with good control when holding pens and pencils?</li> <li>Can I show a preference for a dominant hand?</li> <li>Can I put on my coat and do up the zip?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Can I extend and create ABAB patterns?</li> <li>Can I notice and correct an error in a repeating pattern?</li> <li>Can I begin to describe a sequence of events, real or fictional, using words such as 'first', 'then'</li> <li>Can I recite numbers past 5?</li> <li>Can I understand that the last number reached when counting tells you how many there are in total?</li> <li>Can I show numbers using my fingers?</li> <li>Can I talk about and explore 2D and 3D shapes? Can I link numerals and amounts?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>PSHE</li> <li>Geography</li> <li>Art</li> <li>Science</li> </ul>

Week	Area of Learning	Learning Challenge	Outcomes	Adaptive Teaching
Neek     Area of Learning       1, Autumn     Communication and Language       Personal, Social and		Can I use a wider range of vocabulary?	Verbal discussions	Sentence stems
	Can I understand a question or instruction that has two parts?			
	Can I use longer sentences of four to six words.		I can see	
		Can I use talk to organise myself and my play	Create an Autumn	I can hear
		Can I begin to understand and follow the school rules?	Collage with Autumn	I can touch
	can't begin to anderstand and follow the school tales?	items found over half	I can taste	
	Can I play with other children and begin to form friendships?	term e.g. conkers, leaves	I can smell	
	Emotional Development	Can I speak to my teacher about: my needs, different feelings,		
		likes and dislikes?	To learn 'Autumn Leaves	
			are falling down'	
Understanding the World	Can I use all my senses to explore?			
		Can I explore different materials?		
		Can I talk about what I see using a wide vocabulary?		
	Expressive Art and Design	Can I sing songs?		
		Can I explore different materials freely?		
	Can I create closed shapes and begin to use these to			
	represent objects?			
		Can I explore colour and colour mixing?		
2) Halloween and	Communication and Language	Can I use a wider range of vocabulary?	Verbal discussions	Sentence stems.
Bonfire night		Can I understand a question or instruction that has two parts?		
		Can I use longer sentences of four to six words.	Make a chocolate	I think the chocolate
		Can I use talk to organise myself and my play?	witches hat	will
		Can I begin to understand and follow the school rules?		
			To learn the song 'Five	The chocolate is
Personal, Social an Emotional Development	Personal, Social an Emotional	Can I play with other children and begin to form friendships?	Little Witches'	
	Development	Can I speak to my teacher about: my needs, different feelings,		
	likes and dislikes?			
	Can I talk about what I see using a wide vocabulary.			
	Understanding the World	Can I talk about the differences between materials?		
Expressive Art and Design		Can I talk about the changes I notice?		
	Can I sing songs?			
	Can I draw a picture to represent movement and noises?			
	Can I explore colour and colour mixing?			
3) Diwali Communication and Language	Can I use a wider range of vocabulary?	Verbal discussion	Sentence stems	
		Can I understand a question or instruction that has two parts?		
		Can I use longer sentences of four to six words.		The clay is
	Can I use talk to organise myself and my play			

		Can I listen and respond to stories?	Children to make a diva	
	Personal, Social and	Can I begin to understand and follow the school rules?	lamp out of clay and	
		Can I play with other children and begin to form friendships?	decorate it.	
	Emotional Development	Can I speak to my teacher about: my needs, different feelings,	decorate II.	
		likes and dislikes?	<b>T</b> 1 1 1 1	
			To learn the song	
	Understanding the World	Can I talk about family?	'Twinkle Twinkle'	
		Can I talk about what I see using a wide vocabulary?		
		Can I understand that there are different countries in the		
	Expressive Art and Design	world?		
		Can I develop a positive attitude about the differences		
		between people?		
		Can I sing songs?		
		Can I play claves as part of a larger group?		
4) Birthdays	Communication and Language	Can I use a wider range of vocabulary?	Verbal discussion	Sentence stems
	5 5	Can I understand a question or instruction that has two parts?		
		Can I use longer sentences of four to six words.	Make and decorate	I would like
		Can I use talk to organise myself and my play?	cakes	
		Can I listen and respond to stories?		
	cur i listen una respond to stories?	Attend a birthday party		
		Con The single understand and follow the school unless	, then a bir maay party	
		Can I begin to understand and follow the school rules?	To learn the song 'Happy	
	Personal, Social and	Can I play with other children and begin to form friendships?	Birthday'	
		Can I speak to my teacher about: my needs, different feelings,	ыннаау	
	Emotional Development	likes and dislikes?		
	Understanding the World	Can I talk about what I can see using a wide vocabulary?		
	Understanding the World	Can I talk about the differences in materials and how they		
	change?			
	Can I begin to understand my life story?			
Expressive Art and Design	Can I sing songs?			
		Can I play claves as part of a larger group?		
5) Weddings	Communication and Language	Can I use a wider range of vocabulary?	Verbal discussion	Sentences Stems
		Can I understand a question or instruction that has two parts?		
		Can I use longer sentences of four to six words.		I can see
	Can I use talk to organise myself and my play?			
	Personal, Social and	Can I begin to understand and follow the school rules?		
		Can I play with other children and begin to form friendships?		
Emotional Development	Emotional Development	Can I speak to my teacher about: my needs, different feelings,		
		likes and dislikes?		
	Understanding the World	Can I talk about what I can see using a wide vocabulary?		
			1	1]

		Can I continue to develop a positive attitude about the differences between people		
	Expressive Art and Design	Can I sing songs? Can I play claves as part of a larger group?		
6& 7)The Gingerbread ManCommunication and LanguagePersonal, Social and Emotional DevelopmentUnderstanding the WorldExpressive Art and Design	Communication and Language	Can I use a wider range of vocabulary? Can I understand a question or instruction that has two parts? Can I use longer sentences of four to six words. Can I use talk to organise myself and my play? Can I listen and respond to stories?	Verbal discussion To learn the Gingerbread man song	Sentence stems I can see
	Can I begin to understand and follow the school rules? Can I play with other children and begin to form friendships? Can I speak to my teacher about: my needs, different feelings, likes and dislikes?	To make Ginger bread men/ladies To draw a picture from		
	Can I talk about what I can see using a wide vocabulary? Talk about the differences between materials and changes they notice.	the story and retell the story.		
	Expressive Art and Design	Can I sing songs? Can I play claves as part of a larger group? Can I draw with increasing complexity? Can I draw closed shapes to represent objects?		
8 & 9) Winter/ChristmasCommunication and LanguagePersonal, Social and Emotional DevelopmentUnderstanding the WorldExpressive Art and Design	Communication and Language	Can I use a wider range of vocabulary? Can I understand a question or instruction that has two parts? Can I use longer sentences of four to six words. Can I use talk to organise myself and my play? Can I listen and respond to stories?	To make a Christmas decoration To make a Christmas card To learn the songs	
	Can I begin to understand and follow the school rules? Can I play with other children and begin to form friendships? Can I speak to my teacher about: my needs, different feelings, likes and dislikes?	'When Santa got stuck up the chimney' 'Christmas Pudding'		
	Can I talk about what I can see using a wide vocabulary? Can I continue to develop a positive attitude about the differences between people?	'We wish you a Merry Christmas'		
	Expressive Art and Design	Can I sing songs?		