Personal, Social and Emotion

This week it is Parliament Week and we will look at where Parliament is held and why our democracy is important. The children will be voting for games, stories and activities.

At the beginning on the week we will talking about Remembrance Sunday and why it is importance we remember.

Communication and Language

The children will be dramatizing the story of Rama and Sita which is the core story in the Diwali celebrations.

Physical Development

We will be doing PE on Wednesday with Mrs Pile and on Thursday we will be creating our own Bollywood dance.

Hatchmere Planning

Diwali

12.11.18

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Literacy

This week we will be looking at recognising the initial sound in our story about Rama and Sita.

The children will be learning the sounds f and b will practise forming them and using them in our word building.

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Understanding of the World

The children will be planting bulbs in the Outside Classroom if the weather permits. We will be looking at some of the customs associated with Diwali and how they are similar to other festivals.

Expressive Arts and Design

This week the children are going to act out the story of Rama and Sita. They are going to create their own celebration dance in Bollywood style.

The children will be making a poppy to go in our Outside Classroom

Mathematics

We will be introducing children to the numbers 0 and 1 and talking about the value of each number. The children will be adding and taking away 0 and 1 from small amounts.

Parental Involvement Ideas

This week I would like you to talk about the importance of Parliament and the democratic system we use in this country. Share how you vote and explain why you vote. Talk about everyone, over the age of eighteen, having a say in how this country is run and why that is import. Perhaps you could go online and show the children pictures and clips of Parliament and its leaders.