Communication and Language

This week the children are going to be learning a lot of new words connected with our Diwali topic. We will be working on their listening and concentration skills

Physical Development

The children will be doing PE with Miss Pile on Thursday morning. In the outside classroom this week we will be looking at how to aim and kick a ball and moving and controlling a ball.

Personal, Social and Emotional

This week we be looking at the book Once there were Giants and talking about how we grow and change. The children will talk about what they could not do when they were babies to now and what they hope they will be able to do as they get older

<u>Literacy</u>

This week we will be looking at rhymes and how they work. The children will help create a class poem using their rhyming skills.



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Understanding of the World

The children will be looking at the Hindu festival Diwali. We will be looking at the similarities and differences between our celebrations and Diwali. We will be making special Diwali sweets and acting out the story of Rama and Sita.

Expressive Arts and Design

This week the children will be making simple clay Diva lamps and then decorating them. We will be acting out the story of Rama and Sita using props and costumes. The children will continue to work on their cutting skills.

<u>Mathematics</u>

The children will be combining their knowledge of pattern and shape to create simple Rangoli patterns. The children will continue to work on their understanding of numbers to five and what one more and one less means. We will be using the timers this week to help the children understand the concept of time and what you can do in that time.

Parental Involvement Activity

This week we will be talking about how much the children have grown and changed. Share some of your child's baby photographs and discuss how much they have changed and grown. What have they got better at? What did they like to do when they were babies? What was their favourite food, toy or activity? How has this changed? Talk to your child about the future? What do they what to do in the future?