



Blanford Mere Nursery and Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Next week, in Nursery we will be celebrating Diwali. Diwali is a five day long festival of lights, which is celebrated by Hindus, Jains, Sikhs and Buddhists. One of the most popular festivals of Hinduism. Diwali symbolises the spiritual “victory of light over darkness, good over evil and knowledge over ignorance”.

The children will have the opportunity to

- Look at the story behind Diwali.
- Create Diya lamps using clay.
- Try Indian food.
- Decorate Rangoli patterns.
- Make Diwali cards.
- Participate in Bhangra dancing.

If you do not wish your child to take part in the food tasting or your child has an allergy please see a member of staff.

In Nursery, we celebrate a range of different cultural events throughout the year to give children a broad understanding of the world around them. To promote cultural capital in the early years we ensure that all children are exposed to different experiences, cultures and communities within the curriculum.

Thank you

Miss Porter