



RECEPTION AUTUMN 2 VEHICLE

Christmas Spectacular!



Key Vocabulary

Christmas, Santa, Presents, Toys, Party, Family, Fireworks

Celebration, Costume, Memory, Bonfire Night, Safety Performance, Hanukkah, Remembrance, Rehearsal, Tradition

Week 5

This week, we will focus on rehearsing for our big performance! We will also be learning how to write a letter for Santa so that we can deliver them to him on our school trip!

Week 1

This week, we will be learning about Bonfire Night! We will touch on the origin of the celebration but focus on how we celebrate! We will also consider how to keep ourselves safe, when celebrating Bonfire Night.

Hook!

The children will start their learning about celebrations with a birthday party in class!

Week 6

This week, we will be going into the hall for our dress rehearsals. We will be learning how to move on and off the stage safely and some of us will learn how to use a microphone. We will also be paying a visit to Santa in caves!

Week 7

This week, we will be performing our Christmas show "Santa's Hat!" for our families. We will take part in lots of Christmas traditions such as making Christmas Cards and having Christmas dinner with our friends.

Week 4

This week, we will begin to think about Christmas! We will read the Christian Christmas story and consider why this is an important celebration for Christians. We will also spend lots of time practicing our songs for the Christmas show and learning our lines!

Week 3

This week, we will be learning about Hanukkah! We will learn the story of Hanukkah and learn why it is important for members of the Jewish community. We will spend time engaging in some Jewish traditions, including tasting some traditional food!

Week 2

This week, we will be learning about Remembrance Day! We will use this tradition to stir up discussions around our own memories. We will share our special memories with each other and consider what makes them important.

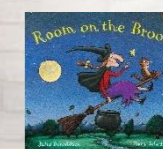
Vehicle Destination!

We are:

Performers!

We are excited to invite our families in to watch us in our Christmas performance of "Santa's Hat!"

Key Texts



SIGNIFICANT INDIVIDUALS



Father Christmas



Baby Jesus, Mary and Joseph

Visits out / visitors in

- Thursday 05/12/2024 – Prop making workshop
- Wednesday 11/12/2024 – Kent's Cavern trip
- Thursday 12/12/2024 – Christmas Disco
- Monday 16/12/2024 – Santa's Hat performance (1)
- Tuesday 17/12/2024 – Santa's Hat performance (2)
- Wednesday 18/12/2024 – Christmas lunch