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Flyford Flavell Primary School

Learning for Life

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Dear all,

Welcome to Autumn Term 2! I hope you all had a lovely week. The children have enjoyed sharing all the things they got up to with us in class. We have heard about lots of trips to the beach, dressing up and trick or treating. The children have all returned to our routine brilliantly, they were very keen to remind me about P.E on Monday! This term our topic is 'Festivals'; the children will be exploring different festivals around the world and how they are celebrated. This week we have been thinking about Bonfire Night; we explored why people remember November 5th and talked about how to keep ourselves safe around fireworks. Today we will be exploring Diwali and investigating how it is celebrated around the world.

In phonics this week we have continued to recap our Level 2 learning. The children have been segmenting and blending words to support their reading and writing. We have focused on the Level 2 tricky words and exploring strategies to help us identify them. The children enjoyed looking at the words and finding the 'tricky part' (the part we cannot hear using our sounds) and even called themselves the tricky detectives! In maths this week we have been exploring 2D shapes with a focus on circles and triangles. The children have been sorting shapes, identifying basic properties and finding 2D shapes in the environment.

Phonics Workbooks: Our learning has focused on consolidation, due to this there are no new sounds for the phonics workbooks.

Reception Class Photo: On Tuesday 10th November Worcester News will be publishing their 'First Day at School' supplement. A class photo of the children with permissions for press photos will be part of this feature.

P.E./Forest School: This half term the children will continue to have P.E. on a Monday afternoon and Forest School on Fridays. Forest School will begin tomorrow afternoon.

Rhino Readers- Apologies, I am aware the Rhino Readers login did not work over half term. I have now fixed the error. Books will be sent home in the same way for each school holiday so please do let me know if you are still finding issues logging in.

If there are any questions at all, please come and see us.

Have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards,

Mrs Bown