

Snapshots of the Week

This week in Reception, we have been busy learning all about Diwali, the festival of light! We loved discovering the different traditions that people enjoy when celebrating — from creating beautiful Rangoli patterns and looking at sparkling diya lamps, to admiring colourful fireworks and intricate mehndi designs. We also had some very special visitors — the firefighters and police officers! The children were so excited to meet them and learn all about how they help to keep us safe and the important roles they play in our community. It has been a bright and exciting week of learning and celebration! ✨

Looking Ahead to Next Week

We would like to wish everyone a wonderful half term break. The children have had an amazing first term at Oakley School and we are so incredibly proud of how they have settled into school life.



Little Wandle Phonics

This week's sounds: h, b, f and l

We have also started to practice our spelling in phonics. We have spelt and wrote the words: dog, ten, red and mum.

This week's tricky word is: **the**

How you can Help Your Child at Home

Rest and Recharge:

Most importantly, enjoy a calm and happy break together - plenty of play, rest, and cuddles!

Notices

Please keep checking Tapestry for updates on our exciting learning at school.

Please could we remind families that children should not be bringing toys into school, unless it is for show and tell purposes, as we don't want them to get lost or damaged.