NURSERY TREE OF KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS PROGRESSION: CELEBRATIONS

Key Knowledge:

Chinese New Year/ Lunar New Year

Know how to use scissors safely (PD)

Know that scissors make cuts in paper (PD)

Know how to sing "Kung Hei Fat Choi (EAD)

Know how to play a tambourine, a triangle and a drum (EAD)

Know that there are different countries in the world (UW/L/CL)

Know about different foods from around the world. (UW/L/PSED/CL)

Know the story of the great race. (L)

Diwali

Know the story of Rama and Sita. (L)

Know the story of the Sixth Guru. (L)

Know that there are different countries in the world. (UW/L/CL)

Know about different foods from around the world. (UW/L/PSED/CL)

Know what a temple is. (UW)

Know that there are different religions.(UW)

Know how Hindu and Sikh celebrate Diwali. (UW)

Christmas

Know the Christmas story.(L)

Know that at Christmas some people give gifts to say thank you.(CL)

Know how to sing some Christmas songs. (EAD)

Know how to play an instrument whilst singing a song.(EAD)

Know what a church is.(UW)

Fireworks

Know that fireworks make different noises.(EAD)

Know that fireworks can be dangerous.(PSED/EAD)

Know that fireworks are for night time. (UW)

Know that fireworks are bright and colourful.(UW/EAD)

Know that when colours mix they change colour. (EAD)

Eid

Know the story of Ibrahim and the dream. (UW)

Know about different foods from around the world.(UW)

Know that Muslim people celebrate by giving gifts to the poor. (UW)

Know that Eid is about moons changing. (UW)

Know how Muslim people celebrate Eid.(UW)

Know what a mosque is.(UW)

Know that a moon and star is the Islamic symbol. (UW)

Saint Days

Know the story of St George and who celebrates St Georges Day. (UW/EAD)

Know the story of St David and who celebrates St David's Day. (UW/EAD)

Know the story of St Patrick and who celebrates St Patricks Day. (UW/EAD)

Know the story of St Andrew and who celebrates St Andrews Day. (UW/EAD)

Key Skills:

Chinese New Year/ Lunar New Year

Use scissors to make snips into paper

Use scissors to cut in a straight line

Play an instrument (tambourine, a triangle or drum) to the beat of the music

Diwali

Retell the stories of Rama and Sita and the Sixth Guru during play.

Christmas

Sing songs.

Play an instrument to music.

Retell the story of Christmas during play.

Fireworks Night

Use instruments to make sounds like fireworks.

Use marks to represent different sounds.

Explore colours and what happens when they mix.

Eid / Diwali and Chinese New Year.

Taste different foods from around the world and be able to talk about the differences.

Discuss the different traditions for each celebration.

Make a card: Use scissors to make snips in paper, use glue to stick paper, make marks on my card.

Talk about different places in the world.

Discuss their own personal experiences.

Identify if they celebrate Eid, Diwali, Christmas.

Key Vocabulary

Chinese New Year, Kung Hei Fat Choi, Year of, Lanterns, Red, Dragon, Nein, Great Race, Emperor, animals, Chinese, China

Diwali, Rama, Sita, Guru, Festival, Rangoli, Diva Lamps, Festival of Light, Hindu, Sikh, Temple.

Christmas, Jesus, King, Mary, Joseph, God, Angel, Inn, Wisemen, Presents, church.

Fireworks, bang, pop, whizz, hot, dangerous, explosive, Guy Fawkes.

Eid, Ibrahim, Muslims, Ramadhan. Islam, Mosque.

St David, St George, St Patrick, St Andrew

Key Questions

Why did the animals race? Who won the race? How many animals took part? What does Kung Hei Fat Choi mean? What is the year of? Why do we have lanterns? Why are they red? What is the dragon called? Why do Chinese people decorate their houses in red? Why do they wear red?

What happened to Rama? What happened to Sita? What happened to the Guru? What happened at the end of the story? Who celebrates Diwali?

Where did Mary and Joseph go? Why? Where did Mary have Jesus? Who came to visit Jesus? Why do people give gifts to people? When do we celebrate Christmas?

What sound do fireworks make? Who is Guy Fawkes? What colours are the fireworks? Do fireworks go off in the day or the night?

Who celebrates Eid? Why are people celebrating? What did Ibrahim do? Who do Muslims give money to at the start of Eid?

Who celebrates each St day?