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Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back! We hope you have all had a wonderful half term and the children and refreshed ready to go again.

Over the next half term our new topic will be:

Celebrations



Let's Celebrate! It is time to party! We are heading on a journey of discovery to find out about the celebrations that are important to our families and our friends. We are going to explore traditions from different faiths and cultures and will be learning about the way children celebrate at different times of the year.

Our adventure starts with the bright colours and loud sounds of Bonfire Night and will come to a close with their Christmas Nativity and in sharing in school Celebrations.

Have you celebrated a special occasion which you think the reception children might be interested in hearing about, especially if they relate to different faiths or cultures? If so we would love to hear from you! Children learn best from first hand experiences and we would love to offer them an insight in to some of the different celebrations of people in our community.

In the meantime, here are a few ideas of things you can be doing at home to enhance your child's experiences in school:

- Talk about the celebrations that are important to you as a family
- Share photos of different generations in your family enjoying celebrations
- Create a photo book of your family celebrations – can you write labels for the pictures?

Remember! ... We love to see what the children have been up to so please share those WOW moments and experiences on Tapestry for us to show their friends!

Many thanks,
The Reception Team