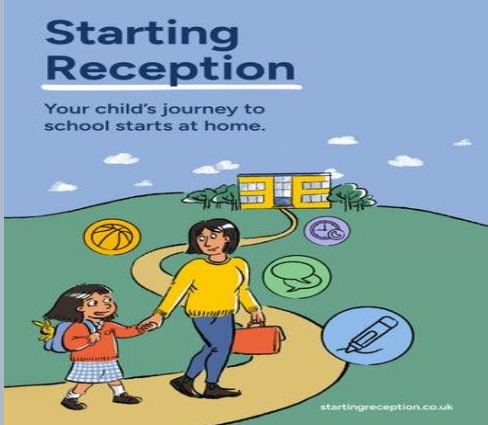
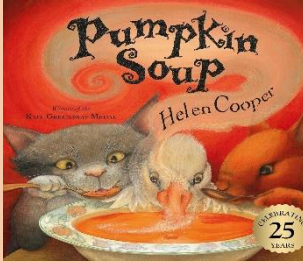
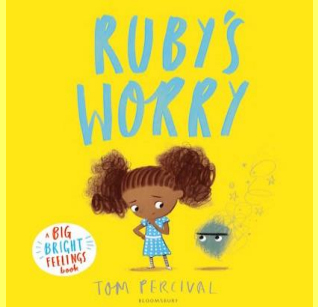
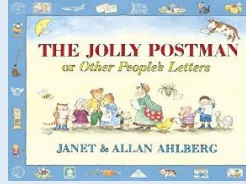




This term, we are learning all about *celebrations and special times for families*! The children will explore how people celebrate different occasions, such as birthdays, Christmas, Diwali and other special occasions. We'll be talking about what makes these moments special and how families come together to enjoy them.

	Key texts we will be exploring:			Maths
We are looking forward to meeting everyone at our first Parent's evening. We will be discussing 'developing independence' and ways to support at home and school working collaboratively together. Please speak to us if you have any concerns or would like any additional information.	Exploring themes of friendship and sharing. 	Exploring emotions. 	We will be setting up our own post office and reading: 	The children will be learning about 2D shapes, exploring key concepts in number such as 1 more, 1 less and subitising to 5. Daily maths lessons will focus on practical problem solving skills.
	Key vocabulary linked to our topic: Celebrate, party, tradition, community, family, gathering, anniversary, festival, worship. Daily phonics work will continue. Children will be taking part in daily challenges to develop their fine-motor skills in preparation for writing.		Tapestry. Please share any special family celebrations with us via Tapestry.	The children will be performing The Nativity for parents and carers. The Nativity will take place on 16th December in school. We are looking forward to welcoming you to this special event.

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