## Nursery - Owl Babies

English	Understanding the world	
To listen to the Owl Babies story in order to be able to use your knowledge to re-tell it and also sequence it. <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TPQRiSTYFHo</u> Share non-fiction texts of different owls and then listen to the owls and the different sounds they make Engage in daily Jolly Phonics songs and Phase 1 listening activities	To understand and celebrate the Hindu Festival of Lights - Diwali - the start of the Hindu New Year <u>https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/15451833</u> Look at day and night photos and sort into two groups Discuss how we prepare for a celebration - clothes, cleaning the home, special food, visit family etc.	
<u>Maths</u> Daily counting to 20 - jumps, claps, children etc Learn a new song - 10 little candles - pretend to blow each one out as we learn to count down from 10 to 0. Be able to match number to quantity. Use pegs and boards to create simple patterns	Physical Development When mark-making, ascribe meaning to marks made Manipulate clay to achieve a desired effect Enjoy Hindu music and learn some basic dance moves https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/ watch/lets-go-club-diwali-song	Art and Design Painting own owls Create and decorate clay pots (diyas) to hold tea lights (battery operated ones). Design colourful rangoli patterns
PSED and Communication and Language <u>https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/watch/lets-celebrate-diwali</u> Talk about similarities and differences Listen to different types of music	<u>Outside</u> Owl Babies woodland small world area Mark-making with sticks Colourful floor ranaoli patterns	Things to do at home Practise drawing different sized circles using an anti-clockwise motion Use scissors to strengthen