



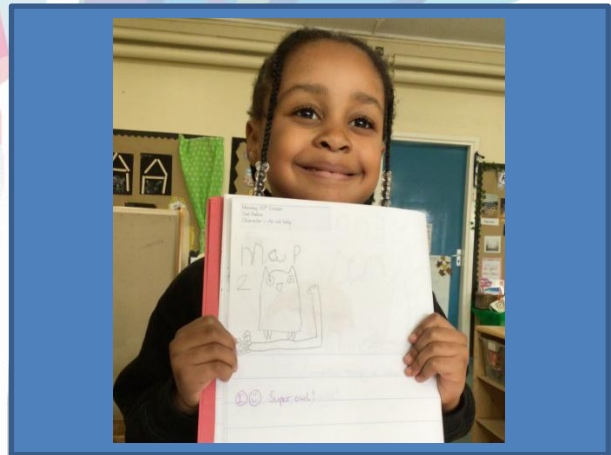
In Reception this week...



Week beginning 20/10/25

We have been exploring the festival of Diwali and what this means for Hindus and Sikhs. We found out how people prepare for and celebrate Diwali. Mrs Randhawa came to talk to the children and explained how she celebrates this special time of year with her family. The children made lovely diva lamps and were keen to share these with Mrs Randhawa.

In Drawing Club this week, we read [Owl Babies](#). The children enjoyed joining in with the repeated phrases and we had a great discussion about nocturnal animals. Our challenge this week was to invent a machine that would help the owl babies track their owl mother when she's out hunting. We had amazing ideas including sending a signal to mum to let her know the owl babies were worried! Reception keep impressing us with their codes and we had a few children try to write a sentence this week. Brilliant!



Friday assembly - We will start to attend the Friday morning celebration assembly after the half term break. All families are welcome to attend from 9.00 am.

After the holiday, the children will begin visiting our school library on a Friday. The children will have the opportunity to borrow a book and swap them on a Friday. I'm sure they will enjoy sharing these at home with you.



We have been looking at different ways we can make the number 4. We have compared how to make 4 with our friends. We have compared quantities of objects and used the language of more and fewer.

