

EYFS – Knowledge Organiser – Sparkle and Shine!



Key Vocabulary

Celebrate	To enjoy a significant or happy day or event with a gathering of friends or family or take part in an enjoyable activity.
Religion	A set of beliefs about how the universe was made and what its purpose is. Religion usually involves worship of a God or Gods, and the belief in certain ideas about right and wrong behaviour.
Faith	A strong belief in the teachings of religion.
Culture	Includes the language, art, music, clothes, food and beliefs of a group of people.
Gunpowder Plot	In 1605, a man called Guy Fawkes and his friends from York decided to try and blow up the Houses of Parliament.
Remembrance	If you do something in remembrance of a person, you do it as a way of showing that you want to remember them and that you respect them.
Diwali	A Hindu celebration of light. A festival to remember the story of Rama and Sita.
Hindu	A religion which is followed in different ways by different groups of people. Hindus worship many different Gods.
Christmas	Christians celebrate the birth of Jesus. Christmas Day is celebrated on 25 th December.
Christianity	A religion in which people believe that the son of God is Jesus. They also believe that Jesus was Christ. There are 3 main branches of Christianity – Protestant, Roman Catholic and Eastern Orthodox.

Celebrations:



We wear a poppy to remember those who gave their lives in battle. Poppies are the flowers which are on the battlefields after World War One ended.



Christmas is a Christian celebration to celebrate the birth of Jesus. Popular customs include exchanging gifts, decorating Christmas trees, attending church, sharing meals with family and friends and, of course, waiting for Santa Claus to arrive.

Diwali is a five-day festival of lights. It is celebrated by decorating homes, firework displays, puja (prayers), gifts, feasts and sweets. It is celebrated by millions of Hindus and Sikhs.



Bonfire Night is celebrated on 5th November each year to remember the day Guy Fawkes tried, but failed, to blow up the Houses of Parliament. We use fireworks to show the explosions that could have taken place in 1605.



Key Stimulus:



The ZONES of Regulation

