

Dear Parents/Carers

Children and staff alike really enjoyed our Diwali theme this week. Mitel Purohit led Indian drumming sessions, the children explored a variety of drums from different parts of India, learning cyclic rhythms. The Early Years group loved their Diwali story telling hunt with Freshwater theatre. They discovered many Hindu artefacts and pictures along the way and there were plenty of smiles, whoops and theatrical moves with Bollywood Magic today.

The children also took part in active sessions, choice activities such as Karaoke, and special Diwali themed art.



Indian Drumming | Diwali Story Telling Hunt



Mitel taught the children how to put a piece of music together, leading to performances at the end. The Early Years children learned all about the story of Rama & Sita and the Festival of Lights. This set the scene for our week of Diwali themed art, making many different versions of Diwali lights.

Make...



a Rangoli window decoration



a clay Mehndi hand



a Diwali tea light lamp



a Diwali elephant

Play...



Obstacle Course
Climbing, balancing, agility – obstacle courses are not only great fun but provide younger children with opportunities for physical development



Yoga
We couldn't do Diwali without Yoga this week, the children love the calm moments and stretching that Yoga brings



Parachute Games
Fantastic fun and a lovely way to develop the younger children's social skills, taking turns to run underneath!



Foam Fencing
The Juniors donned their fencing masks and called 'en garde' this week!

Choose...



Fancy Dress



Karaoke



Bubble Football



Mega Slide

Make at home | Mango Lassi

The children loved making and drinking these this week in celebration of Diwali! The recipe can easily be altered for those with allergies by using non-dairy alternatives such as Coconut milk and yoghurt.



- Ingredients**
- 255ml of plain yoghurt
 - 130ml of milk
 - 3 ripe mangoes
 - 4 teaspoons of caster sugar

- Equipment**
- Chopping board and knife
 - Blender
 - Glasses



- Method**
1. Chop up the mango and remove the skin
 2. Blend all the ingredients until completely smooth
 3. Pour into individual glasses and serve!

Bollywood Dancing | Glitter Henna



Check out videos of the children's dance routines on our Facebook page! Bollywood Magic taught the children Bollywood dance moves and routines, looked at Diwali artefacts and talked about the story of Diwali. The children wore traditional costumes and enjoyed the glitter henna tattoos very much!

Coming Up

For further dates this academic year, please see our website:

<https://www.campcanary.co.uk/p-dates>

Our next holiday is...(dare I say it...) Christmas 16 – 20 December 2019.

Booking will open next week, I will be in touch! I recommend you book in as early as possible, especially if you need a week block.

This Christmas, the Big Man from the North Pole will visit along with his Reindeers and we'll have a professional Panto performance of 'Cinderella' as well as our usual fun packed activity programme and Christmas themed crafts.

I would like to thank you for supporting Camp Canary this October half term. We have really enjoyed meeting new faces and welcoming back old ones.

And finally, if you have any questions don't hesitate to let me know. If you aren't able to catch me at Camp, you can contact me by telephone or email during office hours.

Best Wishes

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