

# Creative Week

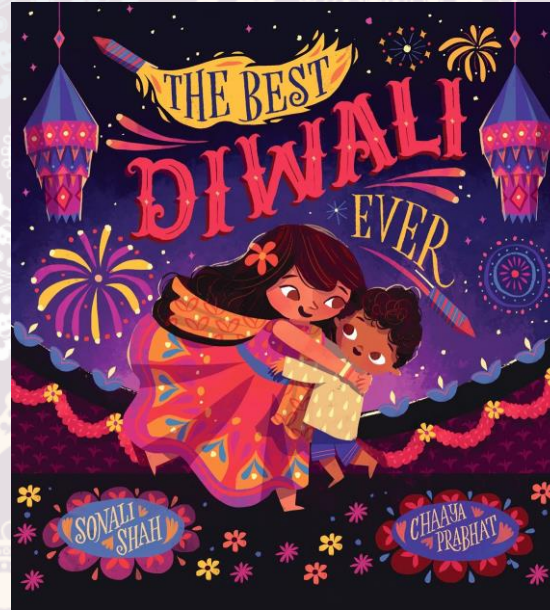
## The Best Diwali Ever

1st - 4th November 2022

We will use the book 'The Best Diwali Ever' by Sonali Shah drive our literacy and to explore the Indian festival of Diwali, celebrated by many Indian faiths. We will discuss how and why different cultures celebrate.

Embracing these customs by learning a traditional dance and creating artwork inspired by ancient customs. We will also link this learning to our celebrations of Bonfire Night!

Our Maths learning will focus on Rangoli pattern making using 2D shape, as well as learning about the differences between night and day, darkness and light. We will link our celebrations of Bonfire Night to talk about the similarities and differences between the two celebrations.



### Key Vocabulary:

Diwali, Festival, India, Rangoli, Fireworks, Rama, Sita, Celebration, Light, Dark, Sikh, Jain, Hindu, Temple, Mehndi, Pattern, Prayer, Similar, Different

### Key Questions:

What does Diwali mean? Where is India? Why is light used to celebrate Diwali? How do people celebrate Diwali?