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The Federation of George Betts and Shireland Hall Primary Academies

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This Half Term's Learning – Nursery (Aut 2)

Dear Families

During this half term (Autumn 2) there will be a focus on '**Festivals and Celebrations**' alongside activities planned according to the interests of the children.

Your child will be learning...	
Personal and Social Development	The children will continue to develop friendships as we welcome new children into Nursery. We will use puppets, group games and activities to help the children to understand how to take turns and share.
Communication and Language	We will continue to develop communication and language skills through activities that interest each individual and that are relevant to their current language levels. We will also continue to develop listening and attention skills through singing and storytelling.
Physical Development	We will continue to develop the children's self-care skills e.g. hanging up coats, putting them on and fastening them. We will use the Outdoor Area to develop physical skills such as kicking, throwing and catching. We will use different resources such as playdough, scissors, brushes and pencils to develop fine motor control.
Topic / Art	We will be finding out how different cultures celebrate special times and events and asking the children to remember and talk about significant events in their own lives. We will be making different crafts as we look at different cultures festivals and celebrations. We will also explore songs and dances from different cultures.

Dates for your Diary

Remembrance Service- Friday 9th November 2018

EYFS Nativity- Thursday 13th December 2018

You will receive a letter explaining our **FLIPPED Sessions** for this term. Following this you will be invited to a small group session to work with your child in school.

If you have any questions, please come and see me.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Younis
Nursery Teacher

