

**Personal, Social and Emotional  
Development**



We have been talking about family celebrations. We all walked together to post our letters to Father Christmas.

**Communication and Language**



We have been orally retelling and role-playing stories. This helps us to develop our listening and understanding skills.

**Physical Development**



We have been using playdough, tweezers and pipettes to help develop our fine motor control.

**Literacy**



We have been writing our letters to Father Christmas in our play. We have been learning words 'I' and 'to'.

In Reception we have been...  
November 2023



**Mathematics**



We have been exploring mathematical ideas in our play. In November, we thought about 'more than' and 'fewer than'.

**Understanding the World**



It was Science Week! We experimented with magnets, lights, bicarbonate of soda, fizzing raisins and jelly!

**Expressive Art and Design**



We have been learning about Diwali. This encouraged us to explore pattern, shape, colour and sculpture.