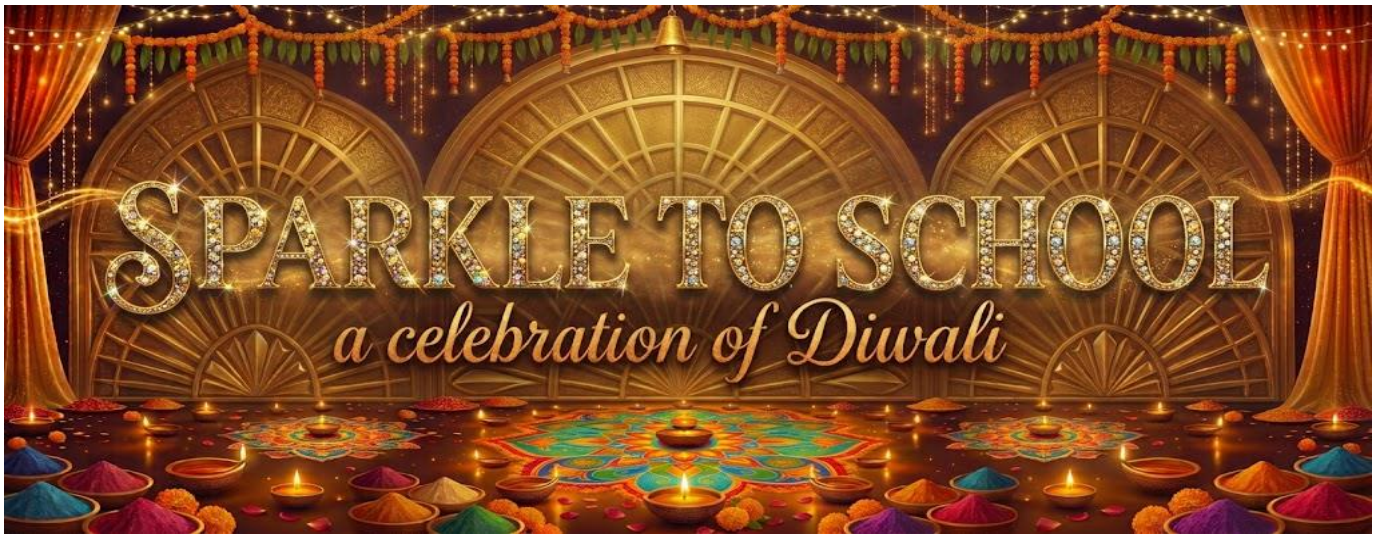

Dear Parents and Carers,

Sparkle to School: A Celebration of Diwali

Diwali, the Festival of Lights, is celebrated by millions around the world, including Hindu, Sikh, and Jain communities. It marks the triumph of light over darkness, good over evil, and knowledge over ignorance.

To celebrate this special occasion, we are holding a **"Sparkle to School"** day on **6th November.**

On this day, in place of our usual Friday Celebration Assembly, we will be holding a special **Diwali Assembly**. We are delighted that one of our parents, Swatee Jasoria, will be joining us to lead the assembly, sharing special stories and traditions for Diwali.

As part of our **"Sparkle to School"** day, children are invited to come to school in their own clothes, wearing bright colours, traditional festive clothes, or anything with a touch of sparkle to help us celebrate. Those who feel more comfortable can of course wear their school uniform, or maybe their uniform with a sparkly accessory.

We are really looking forward to a bright and cheerful day of learning and celebration together!

Helen Giffen

RE Lead