



REIGATE ST MARY'S
PREPARATORY AND CHOIR SCHOOL

October 2018

Dear Parents

We had a fantastic first half term with our topic 'Here I am' where the children really enjoyed sharing their family photographs with us.

This half term our topic will be 'Where Am I?'. We will be exploring the lives of hedgehogs and other woodlands creatures who live underground or high in the trees and learning all about hibernation. We have a special hibernation box in Green Shoots which we will be preparing for any hedgehogs visiting our garden this winter.

During our second week after half term, to celebrate Diwali, the children will be making Rangoli patterns and Diva lamps. We will also be offering different Indian foods at snack time (as well as our usual fruit).

Towards the end of half term we will begin our Christmas celebrations and on Monday 3rd December we will have our Christmas Singalong to which you are all warmly invited (further details to follow).

All seven areas of learning will be included in our activities along with more Phonics activities, focusing on Letters and Sounds.

Please feel free to let us know if you have an idea or item of interest relating to this half term's topic, and of course please do not hesitate to speak to us if you have any questions.

With kind regards

Sarah Woodcock and Lynette Howell