

## Festivals for Collective Worship 2017 18

Each Year group from 1 to 6, to share their understanding of the specified festival in a whole school Collective worship time. These class collective worships will happen during the Tuesday Collective worship and the individual class will make sure to alert the staff as to the exact date for their term's collective worship.

The purpose for this is twofold – one to further develop their understanding of the festivals and two, to give opportunities to speak / perform in front of an audience.

Some of the major religions are represented and is designed to complement the learning already undertaken in school regarding important celebrations and their meanings in Christianity and other major religions.

<b>Term</b>	<b>Festival and date of festival.</b>	<b>Class</b>
<i>Term 1</i>	Sukkot, October 4 <sup>th</sup> through to nightfall of October 11 <sup>th</sup> ; (October 12 <sup>th</sup> outside Israel) - Judaism.	Y6
<i>Term 2</i>	Diwali, 19 <sup>th</sup> October 2017 Hindu and Sikh.	Y3
<i>Term 3</i>	Friday, 16 <sup>th</sup> February.	Y1
<i>Term 4</i>	One of the lesser explored aspects of Easter, such as Ash Wednesday (Wednesday, 14 <sup>th</sup> February), Palm Sunday (Sunday, 25 <sup>th</sup> March), or Maundy Thursday (Thursday, 29 <sup>th</sup> March).	Y5
<i>Term 5</i>	Holi, Holi 2018 will begin in the evening of Thursday, 1 <sup>st</sup> March and ends in the evening of Friday, 2 <sup>nd</sup> March, Hindu.	Y2
<i>Term 6</i>	Ramadan, will start on Wednesday, the 16 <sup>th</sup> of May and will continue for 30 days until Thursday, the 14 <sup>th</sup> of June. Muslim.	Y4