

# Rosewood

## Weekly Review

Week Ending 16<sup>th</sup> November 2012

What's been happening this week?



### LITERACY



The children have enjoyed reading and discussing the book 'Street Child' by Bertie Doherty. They have used the laptops to research historical elements of the book such as to find out what a workhouse is. They have also used drama to imagine what life may have been like for the main character, Jim Jarvis. As we progress through the book, the children have been writing diary entries about the events taking place in Jim's life.

*Ask your child to tell you about Jim Jarvis.*

### NUMERACY



Continuing our work on fractions, the children explored the relationship between fractions and decimals. They learnt how to convert a fraction into a decimal and enjoyed colouring in different fractions and decimals of a shape. They applied their knowledge when playing with the fraction and decimal dominoes.

*Ask your child to show you what a decimal is.*

### DIWALI WEEK



To celebrate Diwali, the children created a variety of artwork including Rangoli patterns, Mehndi hands and Diva lamps. They enjoyed finding out about the religion of Hinduism and discovering why Hindus celebrate Diwali.



### NOTICES

- Mon 19<sup>th</sup> Nov: KS2 projects due in.
- Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov: KS2 projects assembly.
- Sat 24<sup>th</sup> Nov: Christmas Capers.
- Tue 27<sup>th</sup> Nov: Stibbington Trip
- Fri 30<sup>th</sup> Nov: Pets Assembly.



### HOMEWORK

LITERACY (due in on Mondays)

To identify past and present tense.

NUMERACY (due in on Thursdays)

Fractions.

SPELLINGS & TIMES TABLES (Test on Wednesday)

**RETURN SLIP** Please sign and return this slip on Monday.

