

Class 1: Night and Day Knowledge Organiser

Key Facts

Bonfire Night and Halloween are times of the year that happen at night

Light and dark make shadows

Different animals sleep at different times of the day



What are we doing today?

Everyday the timetable will tell us what we do and when it will happen

Clocks help us to tell the time

Monday
Tuesday
Wednesday
Thursday
Friday
Saturday
Sunday



January
February
March
April
May
June
July
August
September
October
November
December

Key Vocabulary

Night – when the sun cannot be seen
Daytime – when the sun rises
Nocturnal – an animal that sleeps in the day and becomes active at night
Shadow – when something blocks the light
Time – the hours in a day that tell us about night or day
Timetable – what we do and when
Celebrate – something we do for a special event or holiday

Key Questions

How can I make a shadow?
What happens at Bonfire Night, Halloween, Diwali, Christmas?
What is a nocturnal animal?
What can we see in the night sky?
What's the time? (What's the time Mr Wolf?)
What day is it?
What month is your birthday?

Key Skills

Know about safety measures for Bonfire Night and Halloween
Reflect on what we do at night – sleep and dream
Use time conjunctions to help sequence daily routine events
Hear and use the days of the week and months of the year
Explore light and dark to make shadows
Look at the sleeping patterns and places of different animals