

**DON BOSCO SENIOR SECONDARY SCHOOL, NERUL**

**SESSION: 2017 – 18**

**DIWALI CELEBRATION ON 13<sup>th</sup> October 2017**



Dear Parents,

Don Bosco Senior Secondary School, Nerul will be celebrating Diwali on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2017.

A bouquet of activities has been arranged for this occasion.

Students will be taking part in various competitions and also share home-made sweets.

**Following competitions will be organised Class-wise for the students: -**

**A) Individual Competitions:**

**For classes: I – IV** (Choose any one activity)

1. CD painting and decoration (Theme-Diwali)-Old CD, colours, any decorative materials.
2. Diya decoration –Earthen Diya to be painted, decorated and displayed on proper base.
3. Making Diwali sweets (min. 3-4) with colourful clay with good display.
4. Invitation card for Diwali party (A-4 Size paper, colours, any decorative materials).
5. Making crackers with Origami technique ( Paper Folding )-Min.3 crackers displayed on proper base
6. Candle decoration –Thick candles to be decorated and displayed on proper base.

**For classes: V – X** (Choose any one activity)

1. Pooja thali decoration
2. Floral decoration in water bowl
3. Poster making (Theme- Eco-Friendly Diwali)
4. Pebble/Stone painting(Theme-Diwali)

**B) Group Competitions:** (4 students in each group)

**For classes: V – X**

1. Toran making – RED HOUSE
2. Rangoli making- BLUE HOUSE
3. Diya decoration and arrangement – GREEN HOUSE
4. Lantern making – YELLOW HOUSE

**C) For classes X & XII:** Students will bring home made sweets to share in the class to celebrate Diwali.

**Requirements for the competitions are as follows:**

1. Rangoli making: Size should be 2 square ft.  
Any medium can be used to make the rangoli- flowers, rangoli colours, etc.
2. Lantern making: Size should be 1 X 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  ft.  
Waste materials should be used to make lantern. (Except Thermocol)  
String should be there to hang it for display.
3. Toran making: Toran should be 2  $\frac{1}{2}$  ft long with decoration on only 2 ft of the string.  
Any decorative materials can be used.
4. Diya decoration and arrangement: Arrangement of Diyas should be within area of 1 square ft.  
Painting and Decoration of Diya should be done on the spot.
5. Pooja thali decoration: Size of thali should be around 12 inches (full plate).  
Pooja thali should have Diya, Haldi, KumKum, Rice and Flowers.  
Any decorative materials can be used like zari border, ribbon, flowers, Kundan, sequins, mirror, etc.
6. Floral decoration in water bowl- Plastic or Metallic bowl should only be used.  
Size of bowl should be 12 inches.  
Decoration should be done with any floating materials like Tea-Candles, flowers, etc.
7. Poster-making- Size should be half chart paper (collage technique).  
Students should bring picture cut-outs of newspaper, Magazines, etc. Colours can also be used to fill the space.
8. Pebble/Stone painting- Any shape and size of stone can be used.  
Colouring should be on the spot.

Students should bring all the materials required for the activities.

Venue: Respective Class rooms

Timing: 9:45 – 11:15

**Students should colour and decorate on the spot or else entry will be disqualified.**

Participation is compulsory for all.

The competitions have been scheduled to keep the essence of festivals and traditions alive in our children and to enhance their various skills. Kindly encourage your child to participate for the activities.

Looking forward to students participation with full of vigour and zealously.

As a part of festivities the students will bring home-made sweets for sweets-sharing in their respective class-rooms.

Students will also bring an earthen diya with wax candle which has to be kept on allotted place near gate while dispersal.