



Diwali Projects by Wise Wolves Class

This week, Wise Wolves class were tasked with presenting their knowledge about 'Diwali', with the festival starting on November 4th. They worked individually or in groups and chose from a range of media to present their work.

The following shows some of the wonderful work from their 'Diwali day'.





Diwali in Wise Wolves Class



Hindu Gods at Diwali



Brahman the creator



Brahman is the Hindu creator God. He is also known as the Grandfather and as a equivalent of prajapati, the primeval first God. In early Hindu sources such as the mahabharata, brahma is supreme in the triad of great Hindu Gods which includes shiva and vishnu.

Vishnu – the preserver



Vishnu is the second God in the Hindu triumvirate [or trimurti] the triumvirate consists of three Gods who are responsible for the creation, upkeep and destruction of the world. The other two Gods are Brahma and Shiva. ...Vishnu is the preserver protector of the universe.

Shiva – the destroyer



Shiva is the the third god in the Hindu triumvirate. The triumvirate consists of three God who are responsible for destroying the universe in order to recreate it.

By Georgia



Rangoli patterns

Diwali is celebrated on the 4th of November every year. The five-day festival celebrates the victory of light over darkness. Hindus across the world are celebrating Diwali. The five-day festival of lights is one of the most popular holidays in India and Thursday is the main day of festivities, when the faithful pray to the Hindu goddess of wealth.

DIWALI

Diwali starts on the first no-moon night of November. It celebrates the birth of Lakshmi, the goddess of wealth.



Diwali is the most important religious festival celebrated by followers of hinduism.



There is lots of dancing in the festival, it includes bollywood, bellydancing and many more...

People in india decorate their doorsteps with rangoli patterns and leave their doors open to welcome the gods.



Day 1

The first day is known as Dhan Teras, or the first day of worship.

Day 2

The second day of diwali is known as Narak Chaturdasi or the day of relaxation.



Day 5

Day 5 is about giving gifts to your brothers and sisters and having celebratory meals and gatherings

Day 3

The third day of diwali is the main festival day. People often wear new clothes or their best clothes to celebrate.

Day 4

The fourth day of the festival is mostly the start of the new year but others celebrate it as the celebratory meal

General Facts

The word Diwali comes from the word Deepvalley, which means festival of light.

People set off fireworks and light lampsto lead the gods to the door

At the festival plenty of fireworks go off to celebrate the coming home of Lakshmi

Our Rangoli Patterns



Who is this by?...

Alice Howard
Isabelle Collier
Iris Jenkinson
Eleanor Hillyer
Thea Mcharg
Hazel Rolls