Key Vocabulary and Definitions:

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| |  |  | | --- | --- | | Brahman | The supreme power- God | | Diva lamps | Small oil lamps | | Diwali  Diwali 2023: Find out the dates and timings for this year's festival of  lights to plan ahead - Masala | A festival commemorating the Ramayana. | | Hindu | Someone who follows Hinduism. | | Lakshmi  Goddess Lakshmi | Journeying to the Goddess | The Hindu goddess of wealth | | Puja | Act of worship for Hindus. | | Ramayana  Ramayana Story Book For Kids (English): Amazon.co.uk: Books | One of the holy books – the story of Rama and Sita. | | Rangoli  Rangoli - Wikipedia | Decorative patterns | | Temple Ten Common Etiquettes & Customs at Hindu Temples in India - Taj Travel | Place of worship | |  |
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What should I already know?

* Be able to discuss different festivals.
* Be able to discuss what times are special and why.

RE Skills:

* Explain three important actions I could take to support a group I belong to.
* Discuss my understanding of my group’s symbol.
* Describe some of the ways Hindus celebrate Diwali and start to explain how I think Hindu children might feel at Diwali.
* To start to say why Diwali might bring a sense of belonging to Hindus.

Teaching Sequence

1. To explain how I can help a group I belong to.
2. To explore the story of Rama and Sita.
3. To describe the ways Hindus celebrate Diwali.
4. To discuss the importance of a diva lamp during Diwali.
5. To say why Diwali might bring a sense of belonging to Hindus.
6. To discuss your sense of belonging and identity in our class and our school.

Blooms Taxonomy – Specific Verbs to Use in Lesson Aims

Knowledge: Describe, find, identify, list, locate, name, recognise, retrieve Comprehension: Classify, compare, explain, infer, interpret, paraphrase, summarise Application: Carry out, implement, use Analysis: Deconstruct, Organise, outline, structure Synthesis: Construct, design, devise, invent, make, plan, produce, Evaluation: Appraise, assess, choose,

Key Knowledge

