



Children will have the opportunity to learn and use words such as:

light	symbol
Celebrate	Hindu
Diwali	diva
rangoli patterns	Jewish
Hannukah	dreidel
latkes	advent
Christian	Jesus
Christmas	nativity
Christingle	

Why is light important in everyday life?

- Light is an important symbol in many different religions
- Hanukkah is a Jewish festival of light
- Jewish people candles in a Menorah, play with a dreidel and eat special food
- Diwali is a Hindu festival that celebrates light
- Hindus light diva lamp, decorate their houses with lights and rangoli patterns
- Advent is a Christian festival of light
- Christians light candles as a preparation for the celebration of Jesus' birth
- Christians also make Christingles as they believe that 'Jesus is the light of the world'



Learn about the Hindu festival of Diwali



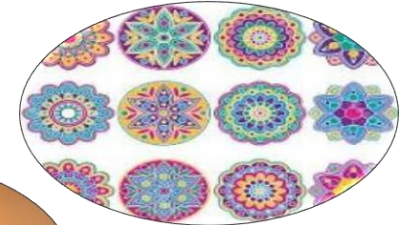
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Advent wreath



Menorah



Rangoli patterns