

Diwali Story Assessment

Learning objective: To assess children's understanding of the key elements of the Diwali festival and their ability to apply this knowledge in various ways.

Please answer the following questions about the Diwali story. Show all your working where necessary. Use the word bank to help you complete the questions. The drawing prompt is for you to draw and label a scene from the Diwali story. Total: /25

Diwali is a festival of lights celebrated by millions of people in India and around the world. It celebrates the victory of good over evil and light over darkness. During Diwali, families and friends light lamps and decorate their homes with colorful designs. Children and adults enjoy the festival by giving treats to friends and exchanging gifts. Fireworks and sparklers are used to add to the excitement and joy of the festival.

Word bank: Diwali · lights · lanterns · rangoli · candles · pumpkins · treats · fireworks · exchange · share · joy · hope · good · evil · winning · loss · celebrate · happiness

1. What does Diwali celebrate? (1 mark) (1 mark)

2. Name two ways people celebrate Diwali in their homes. (2 marks) (2 marks)

3. How do children and adults celebrate Diwali? (1 mark) (1 mark)

4. What do people use to add to the excitement of Diwali? (1 mark) (1 mark)

5. How can we apply the message of Diwali in our daily lives? (3 marks) (3 marks)

Draw: Draw and label a scene from the Diwali story. (5 marks)



Extension challenge: Total: /25