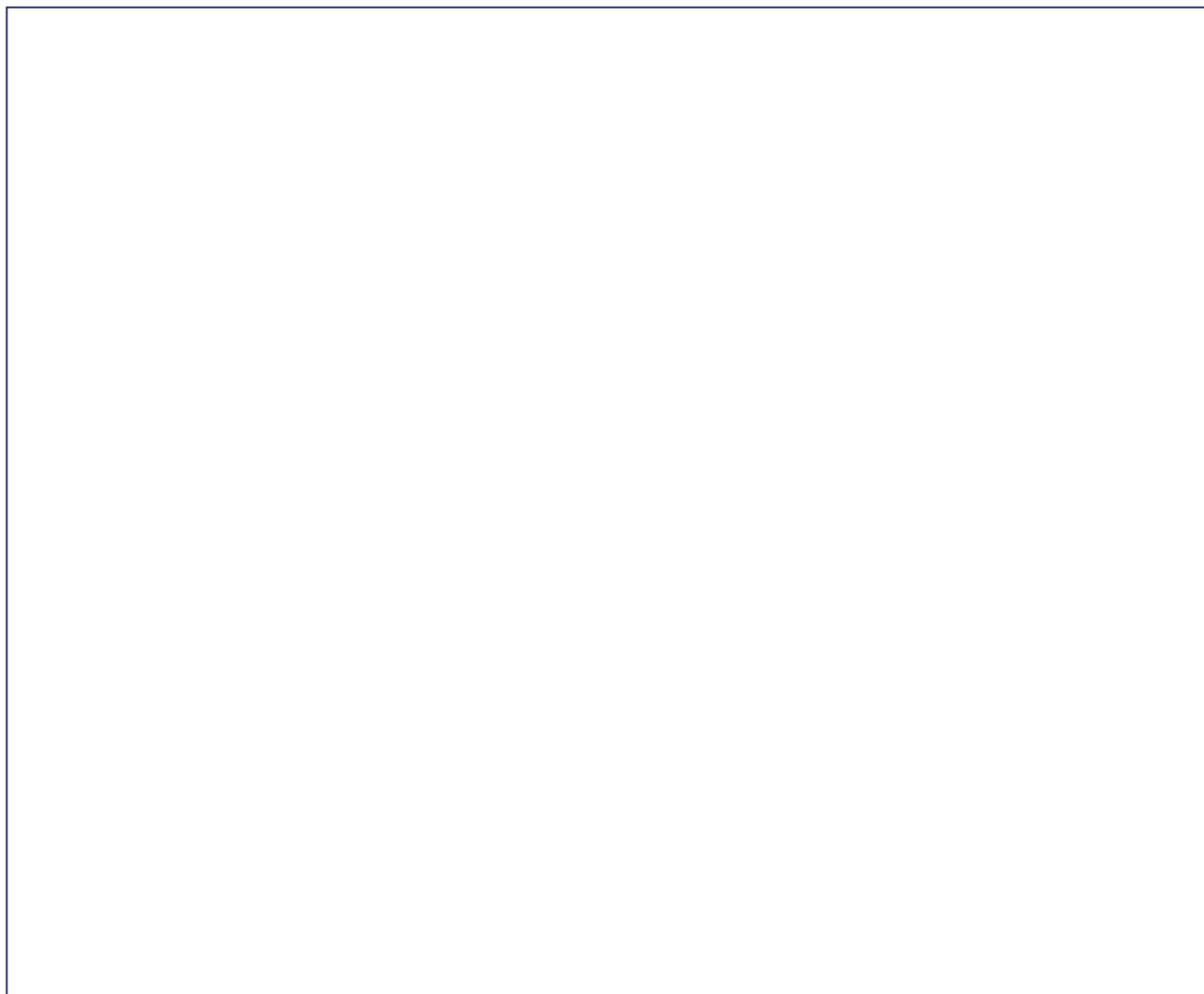


Celebrating Diwali: The Festival of Lights

Learning objective: To understand the significance of Diwali and identify the symbols used to celebrate the victory of light over darkness.

Max the monkey is helping us learn about Diwali! Use the drawing prompt to create a vibrant scene of the celebrations. Then, follow the step-by-step guide to add important details and use the word bank to label your artwork.

Draw: Create a festive night-time scene of a Diwali celebration. The image should show a home decorated with lights, a colourful Rangoli pattern on the ground, and a sky filled with fireworks. Use warm, bright colours like orange, gold, and pink to show the joy of the festival.



Label words: Diya lamp · Rangoli pattern · Fireworks · Sweets · Bright colours

Steps:

1. Step 1: In the centre of your page, draw a beautiful, colourful Rangoli pattern on the floor. Label it using the word bank.
2. Step 2: Around your Rangoli, draw three small clay Diya lamps with glowing flames. Label them using the word bank.
3. Step 3: In the night sky above, draw colourful fireworks bursting to celebrate the festival. Label them using

the word bank.

4. Step 4: Draw a plate of traditional Diwali sweets (Mithai) to share with friends and family. Label them using the word bank.

5. Step 5: Draw yourself or a character wearing bright, festive clothes. Label the 'Bright colours' you have used.

6. Reflection: Why is light so important during Diwali? Write a short sentence explaining what it represents.