Exploring Hinduism with Ellie the Elephant

Come and explore the colourful world of Hinduism with Ellie!

- **Hindus often visit a special building called a Mandir to pray and celebrate together.**
- **Diwali is known as the Festival of Lights. People light small clay lamps called diyas to show that light is stronger than darkness.**
- **Many Hindus believe that all living creatures should be treated with love and kindness.**
- **Puja is a special time of worship where people may offer flowers, fruit, or incense as a way to show respect.**
- **Bright colours are very important in Hinduism and are used to make festivals feel happy and full of joy.**

Did you know? Did you know? During the festival of Diwali, families decorate their homes with beautiful patterns called Rangoli on the floor to welcome guests and good luck!

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