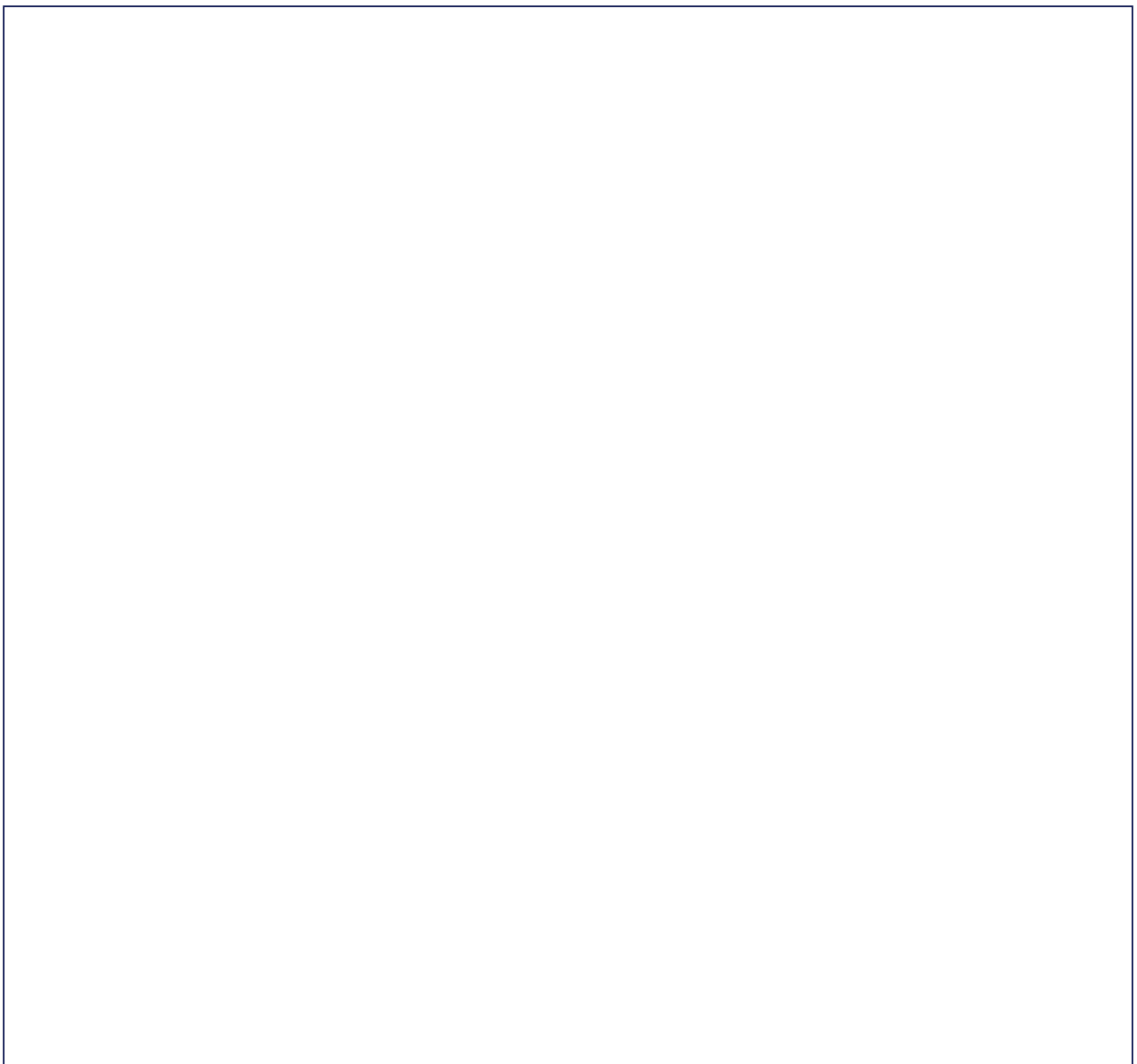


Learning about Buddhism with Ellie the Elephant

Learning objective: To introduce children to the symbols and peaceful nature of Buddhism, fostering respect and understanding of diverse beliefs.

Talk about how Ellie is learning about kindness. Colour in the picture carefully and see if you can label the special items Ellie has found.

Colour this: A large, friendly elephant named Ellie sitting peacefully on a soft mat in a bright, airy room. In front of her, there is a large, open lotus flower resting on a wooden table. Beside the table, there is a small, glowing candle. The background shows a gentle, arched window looking out onto a garden with trees. Use clear, bold outlines for the elephant's trunk, the petals of the lotus flower, and the candle flame so they are easy for children to colour in.



Steps:

1. Label the lotus flower in the picture.
2. Label the elephant in the picture.