

Learning About Hinduism with Ellie

Learning objective: To describe key features of Hindu beliefs and traditions.

Read the opening sentence. Use the question prompts below to write about Hinduism. Use the words in the word bank to help you build your sentences.

Ellie the elephant has been learning about Hinduism, which is one of the oldest religions in the world.

Word bank: Brahman · deities · temple · shrine · Puja · celebrate · Divali · kindness · also · because · firstly · finally

1. Who do Hindus believe in? Start your sentence with: Hindus believe in one supreme power called... (2 marks)

2. Where do Hindus go to worship? Start your sentence with: Many Hindus visit a place called a... (2 marks)

3. What is Divali? Start your sentence with: Divali is a festival that is known as the... (2 marks)

4. Why is kindness important in Hinduism? Start your sentence with: Being kind to others is important because... (2 marks)

Extension challenge: Can you draw a picture of a Divali diya lamp in the space below and label it?