



# How does light bring people together?



## Vocabulary

<b>Hinduism</b>	A major religious and cultural tradition of South Asia
<b>religion</b>	A particular system of faith and worship
<b>tolerance</b>	When you accept others who are different or have different ideas to you
<b>sacred</b>	Connected with God
<b>karma</b>	Luck, that has come from what you have done
<b>Diwali</b>	Hindu festival of lights
<b>rangoli pattern</b>	Indian art, made on the floor
<b>murtis</b>	idols/ images of different gods
<b>Trimurti</b>	Trimurti means the three important gods: brahma, Vishnu and shiva.
<b>puja</b>	a special form of worship where Hindus pray, give offerings, and show gratitude.
<b>prasad</b>	blessed food that is passed around and shared after worship



## RE Wise Owl Knowledge

Hindus only believe in one supreme god called Brahman that can appear in many forms.

Some of the most important gods are **Brahma** (the creator), **Vishnu** (the preserver), and **Shiva** (the destroyer and transformer).

Hindus choose different forms of God to worship either in their home in the temple called a Mandir.

The symbol for Hinduism is called **Aum**. It symbolises the universe and God.

## Science Wise Owl Knowledge

Light is needed to see, eyes take in light from whatever they are looking at.

Dark is the absence of light and you cannot see anything when there is no light.

Light is reflected (bounces off) from surfaces.

Shadows are formed when light from a light source is blocked by an opaque object.

The Sun and bright lights can hurt our eyes, wearing sunglasses or a hat can help protect them.