

Kingshurst Primary School

Religious Education	Year 3	Autumn 2	How can good overcome evil? (Diwali)	Religions covered: Hinduism
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Good overcoming evil



Hinduism

Hinduism includes a range of spiritual customs, beliefs, cultures, and traditions.



Hindu

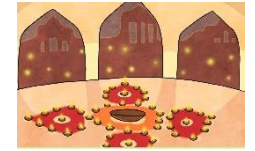
Brahman



Vedas/Bhagavad Gita



Rama and Sita How does this relate to good versus evil? What can Hindus learn from the story?



Diwali – the festival of light.

Hindus celebrate the return of Rama and Sita after exile, and honour Lakshmi, the goddess of wealth. They light lanterns and candles to help Lakshmi find her way into people's homes.



Does good always conquer evil? Should it? How can we overcome evils in our own lives?



Evil	An act, condition, or force that causes suffering or harm.	Exile	Being sent away from one’s country and not allowed to return as a punishment.	Conquer	To overcome by strength of mind or character.	Demon		An evil spirit; devil.
Triumph	The winning of a great victory or success.	Rangoli	Art form from Indian subcontinent, in which patterns are created.	Mehndi	Form of temporary body art.	Ravana	Hanuman	Lakshmana