

## English

- Writing a non-chronological report on India looking at religion, transport, food, animals, homes and clothes or on the Taj Mahal.
- Have a go at writing some Indian poetry on Hindu Gods/festivals - Haiku, acrostic, caligram limericks, shape poems etc.
- Do some creative writing based on the events of Diwali or Holi Festival - diary entries, newspaper reports, letter writing.
- Imagine you are a child from India and write a letter to a child in the UK telling them about what life is like in India.
- Read books related to India - The Jungle Book by Rudyard Kipling.

## Visual Literacy

The Jungle Book, Life of Pi.



## History

- Create a timeline on the history of India: [https://www.ducksters.com/geography/country/india\\_history\\_timeline.php](https://www.ducksters.com/geography/country/india_history_timeline.php)
- Find out about the Taj Mahal - where it is located, how it was built and its History. <https://tajmahalfacts.com/index.html> <https://www.dkfindout.com/uk/history/mughals/taj-mahal/>

## RE

- Learn about the religion of Hinduism: <http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/religion/hinduism.htm>
- Research the different Hindu gods.
- Find out about the different festivals that take place in India e.g. Holi, Diwali



## PE

- Learn how to Bangra dance. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hQkitPHEd0>
- Create your own dance to the following music: <https://indianewengland.com/2018/08/top-10-bollywood-dance-songs-kids/>
- Learnt the rules and play a game of Cricket.

## ICT

- Use the internet as a research tool.
- Create a PPT on Indian food/religions or animals.
- Create Diwali style animations and patterns using paint or logo e.g. <https://www.sparklebox.co.uk/6411-6420/sb6411.html>



## Art/DT

- Sketch or paint Hindu Gods adding tones, shading and colour.
- Create a clay sculpture of a Hindu God.
- Design and create Rangoli patterns.
- Have a go at making Indian sweets and review them after having a taste test: <https://www.chitrasfoodbook.com/2014/10/12-easy-diwali-sweets-recipesindian.html>



# India



## Maths

- Create a bar graph or pie chart showing the different religions in India. <https://www.worldatlas.com/articles/major-religions-in-modern-india.html>
- Create Rangoli patterns using rotational symmetry: <https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/t3-m-129-rangoli-patterns-symmetry-activity>
- Find out the heights of mountains in India and put them in order from highest to smallest. Can you find the mean?

## Music

- Learn music associated with the Diwali - modern and traditional.
- Compose your own pieces of music, which reflect the story and moods of Diwali.
- Make your own instruments out of recyclable materials. [https://www.cbc.ca/parents/play/view/activity\\_musical\\_instruments](https://www.cbc.ca/parents/play/view/activity_musical_instruments)

## Geography

- Use Google Earth to find the location of India
- Draw and label map of India - name the cities, rivers, mountains and surrounding seas.
- Compare and contrast India and UK looking at religion, transport, food, animals, homes and clothes.
- Look at the weather in India - research into Monsoons.
- Find out about the River Ganges and its uses.

## Science

- Research the animals that are native to India and learn about their habitats e.g. Bengal Tiger, Indian Elephant, Indian Rhinoceros, Asiatic Lion, Indian Leopard, Sloth Bear, King Cobra, Indian Rock Python, Black Panther etc.
- Design a boat out of foil or paper that could be used to transport goods down the River Ganges. Try filling it with marbles and see how many can it hold?

