

Name _____ **Diwali**



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1. Diwali is a five-day festival in India. TRUE FALSE
2. Diwali is also called the Festival of Lights. TRUE FALSE
3. People of many faiths, including Hindus, Jains, Buddhists, Christians, and Sikhs celebrate Diwali. TRUE FALSE
4. The word Diwali means "candle" in Sanskrit. TRUE FALSE
5. Diwali celebrates fresh starts, the triumph of good and light, and the vanquishing of evil and darkness. TRUE FALSE
6. Diwali celebrates Lakshmi, the goddess of wealth and prosperity. TRUE FALSE
7. Some people believe that Diwali marks Lakshmi's birthday and the day that she married the Hindu god Lord Vishnu. TRUE FALSE
8. During Diwali, people leave their doors and windows open so Lakshmi will enter their homes and bring them good luck for the upcoming year. TRUE FALSE