

## Key vocabulary

Hindu - someone who follows Hinduism.

Karma - according to the theory of Karma, what happens to a person, happens because they caused it with their actions

pilgrimage - when people travel to a place of worship that is usually far away and done for spiritual or religious reasons.

moksha - Moksha is the ultimate goal. It happens when a soul stops being reincarnated and is reunited with Brahman.

reincarnation - Idea that soul is reborn in many bodies again and again in its journey for perfection.

Karma is the belief that everything you do accrues either good or bad karma, which can be carried over many lives.

# Hinduism



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Mandir - name for Hindu temple or place of worship.



## Key knowledge

### Kumbh Mela Festival

Pilgrimage is an important part of Hinduism. Hindus go on pilgrimages to several places, including temples and mountains. Once every 12 years, millions of people share in ritual bathing at the Kumbh Mela festival. This is held where the waters of the Ganges and Yamuna rivers combine. The River Ganges is the holiest river for Hindus.



## Links:

Reception - During our learning about celebrations, we learnt about how Hindus celebrate Diwali and made diya lamps.

