

Seasonal/Holiday

# HOLI AROUND THE WORLD



VIRTUAL field trip



# SOCIAL STUDIES

Develop a deeper understanding of the history of Holi & how it's celebrated around the world.

## Let's Explore! New Zealand

1. New Zealand is surrounded by what ocean?
2. How long ago were the islands of New Zealand created?
3. How many volcanoes does New Zealand have?

Place the heart on the location you would most like to visit!



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# INTEGRATES READING

Short reading passages  
introduce key vocabulary  
and build background  
knowledge.

## How Can You Celebrate Holi?

Holi can be celebrated by anyone, even those who do not practice Hinduism. To celebrate respectfully, it is important to recognize where this holiday came from and the intentions behind the celebration.

To celebrate Holi, it is important to remember...

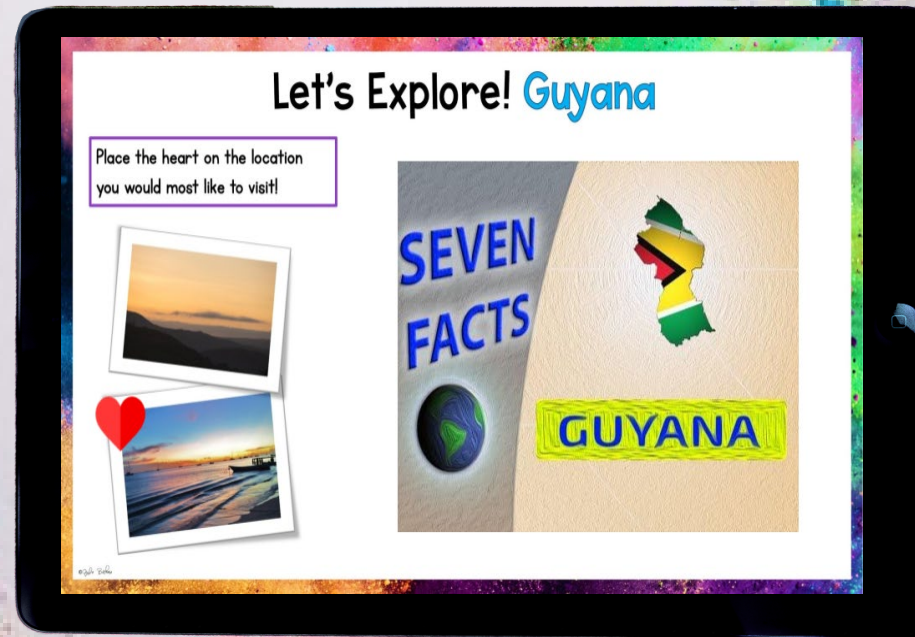
- Holi is about celebrating good over evil, so it is important to be truthful and caring.
- Holi brings people together and strengthens bonds between people.
- The spreading of colors during Holi symbolizes the spread of happiness, joy, and new beginnings.
- Holi honors nature, especially the arrival of spring and the harvests spring brings.



Click on the picture above to learn how to make your own Holi powder at home!

# ENGAGING & EDUCATIONAL MEDIA

Video clips and multimedia  
make learning fun!



# CRITICAL THINKING SKILLS

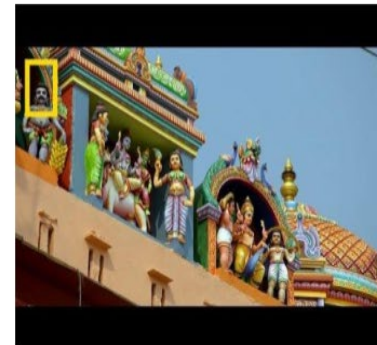
Students dive deep into this engaging topic and learn to draw conclusions and make judgements.



## Let's Explore! Hinduism

Hinduism is the ancient religion of India and is the third largest religion in the world. About 80% of people living in India practice Hinduism, but Hindus live all over the world. Holi is one of the oldest Hindu celebrations.

Watch the video to the right to learn more about Hinduism.



Does your family practice a religion? If so, describe it below. If not, is there a religion you would like to learn more about? Why?



The "Om" symbol is a sacred symbol of Hinduism. It represents many ideas, including the connectedness of the mind, body, and spirit.



# INTERACTIVE PASSPORT

colorful, interactive movable  
pieces that students can drag  
and drop to solve problems,  
making learning more engaging  
and hands-on.

## Let's Travel!

Grab your passport and let's visit Holi celebrations around the world!

India

United Kingdom

Guyana

New Zealand

Collect each country's flag after you attend their Holi celebration. Use copy (Ctrl+C) and paste (Ctrl+V) to place them onto your passport.



## Suggested Uses

- Assign in Google Classroom or SeeSaw
- Whole Class Activity
- Small groups or center
- Early Finisher
- Incentive or Fun Friday

## Google Slides and SeeSaw





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