

Compare festivals of light

GR_W6 | Thursday 09:30–10:10 | Name: _____

I can: Write one supported similarity and one supported difference.

Point, speak, draw or write. Keep your first answer visible.

Our source

CLASSROOM COMPARISON CARDS — concise paraphrases of Hindu American Foundation and Chabad.org; retain each source's identity.

D1. In this Hindu account of Diwali, diyas connect light with good overcoming evil and knowledge overcoming ignorance.

H1. In this Jewish account of Hanukkah, an added light each night recalls the traditional miracle of oil lasting eight days.

V1. Both accounts link light with religious meaning.

V2. Similar objects do not establish identical stories, beliefs or practices.

First decision

Which comparison is supported?

A. Both use meaningful light, with different explanations. / B. Hanukkah is simply another name for Diwali. / C. The brightest display has the best belief.

My choice and reason:

Your evidence

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1. Complete two rows: festival / source's meaning / supporting line.

Festival	Source's meaning	Supporting line
Diwali		
Hanukkah		

2. Write one "Both..." sentence and one "Whereas..." sentence.

3. Repair "All festivals of light are identical." Use evidence from both cards.

One change, question or next step:
