

DIWALI PAPER CANDLE

**Make your own paper candle to celebrate Diwali,
The Festival of Lights!**

INSTRUCTIONS

STEP 1: Print out candle template and cut out three pieces of colored paper. Glue together to form a flame.

STEP 2: Cut your paper plate in half to make two candles.

STEP 3: Paint your plate any way you like.

STEP 4: Glue your candle to the top of your plate, and decorate with beads, glitter, sequins, etc.

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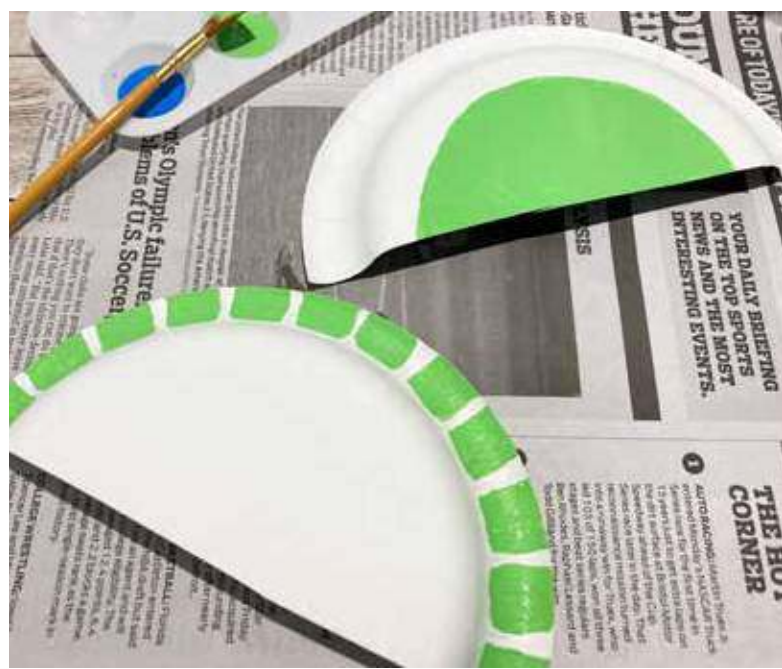
Diwali is the most important Hindu festival, also called The Festival of Lights. The festival celebrates the Hindu New Year.

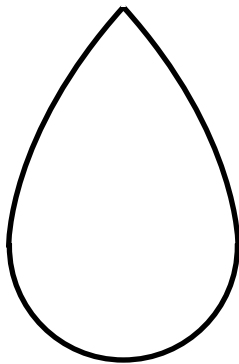
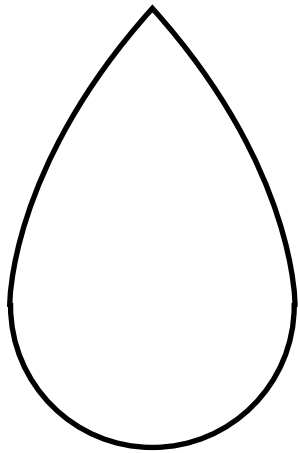
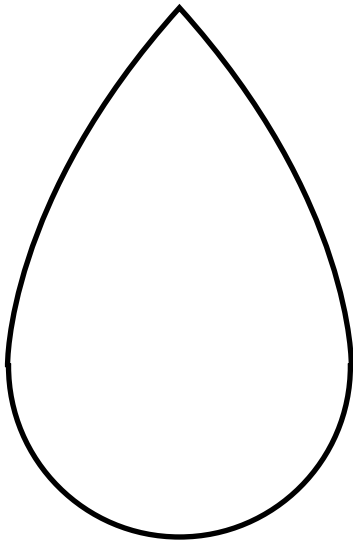
The name, the festival of lights, comes from the row (avali) of clay lamps (deepa) that Indians light outside their homes to symbolize the inner light that protects from spiritual darkness. Diwali is celebrated for five days. On the main day of the festival, families gather together for Lakshmi puja, a prayer to Goddess Lakshmi, and then they gather for feasts and fireworks.

The subject of the celebration represents the triumph of good over evil.

SUPPLIES

**Candle template
Colored paper
Paper plate
Scissors
Glue stick
Paint
Beads**





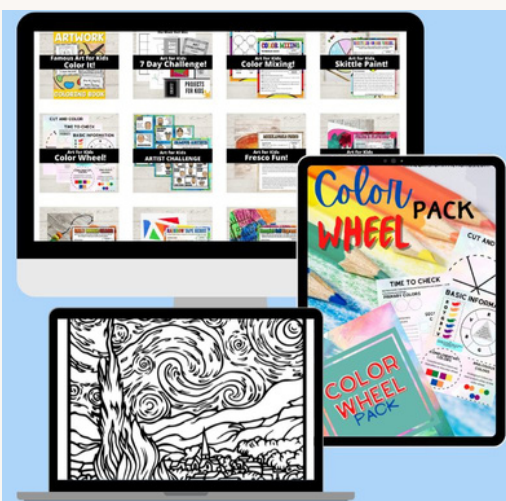
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