
La Deepavali
(Diwali)
C'est la fête des lumières en Inde, qui célèbre la victoire du bien sur le mal.
Deepavali is the festival of lights in India, which celebrates the victory of good over evil.

What is Diwali ?



Diwali is a **festival of lights.**



It is a huge festival in **India.**



It is celebrated for the **victory of good over evil.**




Quand est-ce la Deepavali ?
En **octobre** ou en **novembre** (chaque année).
In October or November every year.


How do we celebrate Diwali ?
Do you want to know?

Steps to Celebrate Diwali



1. Cleaning the house

We clean our homes so that **light** and **good energy** can enter.



Steps to Celebrate Diwali

2. Wake up early and take a bath



On se lève tôt et on prend **un bain** pour se sentir propre et plein d'énergie.

We wake up early and take a bath to feel **fresh, clean** and full of energy for the celebrations.

3. Wear traditional clothes

On porte des vêtements traditionnels indiens, comme le **sari** pour les filles et le **kurta** pour les garçons.

We wear traditional Indian clothes, like a **saree** for girls and a **kurta** for boys.





Rangoli

A **rangoli** is a **colourful design** made on the floor, usually at the entrance of the house.

We make rangolis to **welcome guests,** bring **good luck** and create a happy and **positive atmosphere** in our homes.

What do we use?



coloured powder



rice



flower petals



chalk



flour



small lamps (diyas)

Some simple designs



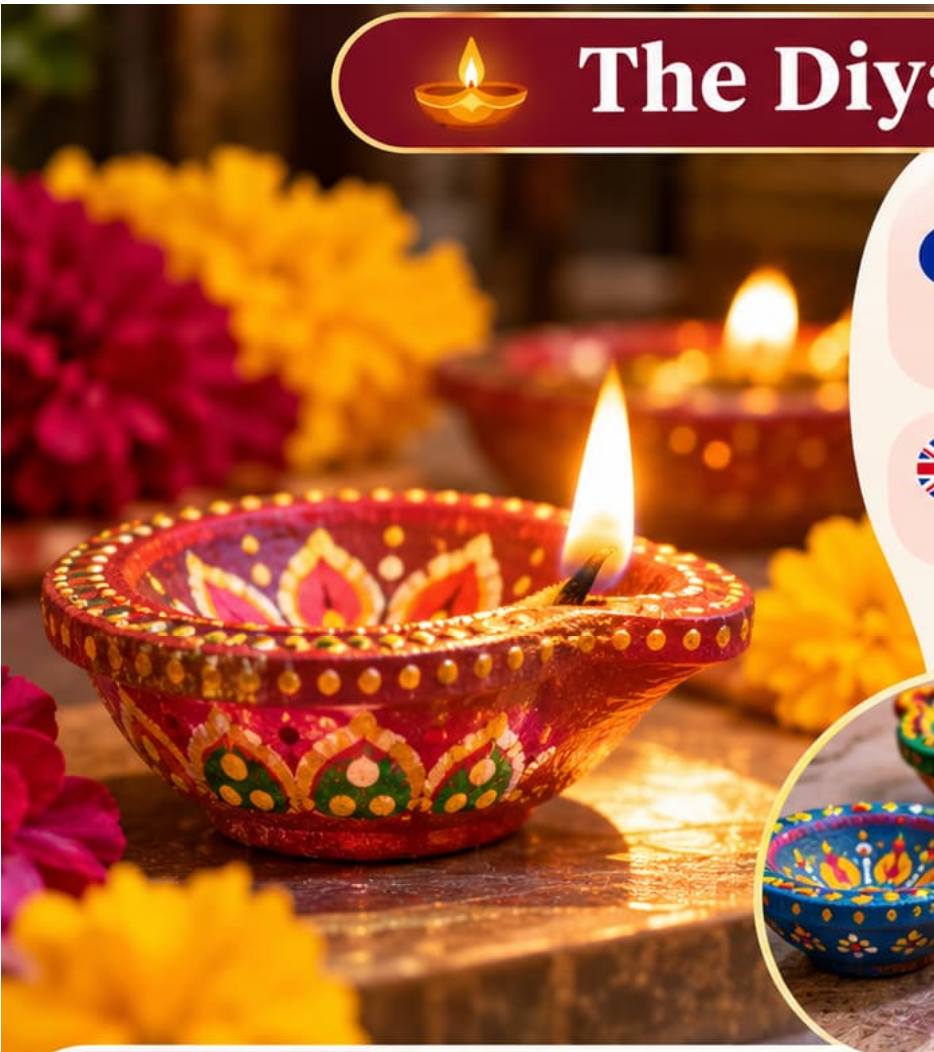




New words

- **Rangoli** – colourful floor design
- **Powder** – fine coloured dust
- **Petals** – small pieces of flowers
- **Chalk** – a white stick for drawing
- **Flour** – fine white powder
- **Diya** – small lamp
- **Entrance** – the place where we enter

The Diya – Symbol of Light



Un ***diya*** est une petite **lampe en terre cuite** que l'on allume pendant Diwali.

A ***diya*** is a small **clay lamp** that we light during Diwali.

It symbolizes:

- The victory of **light** over **darkness**
- **Goodness** over **evil**
- **Hope, happiness** and **new beginnings**

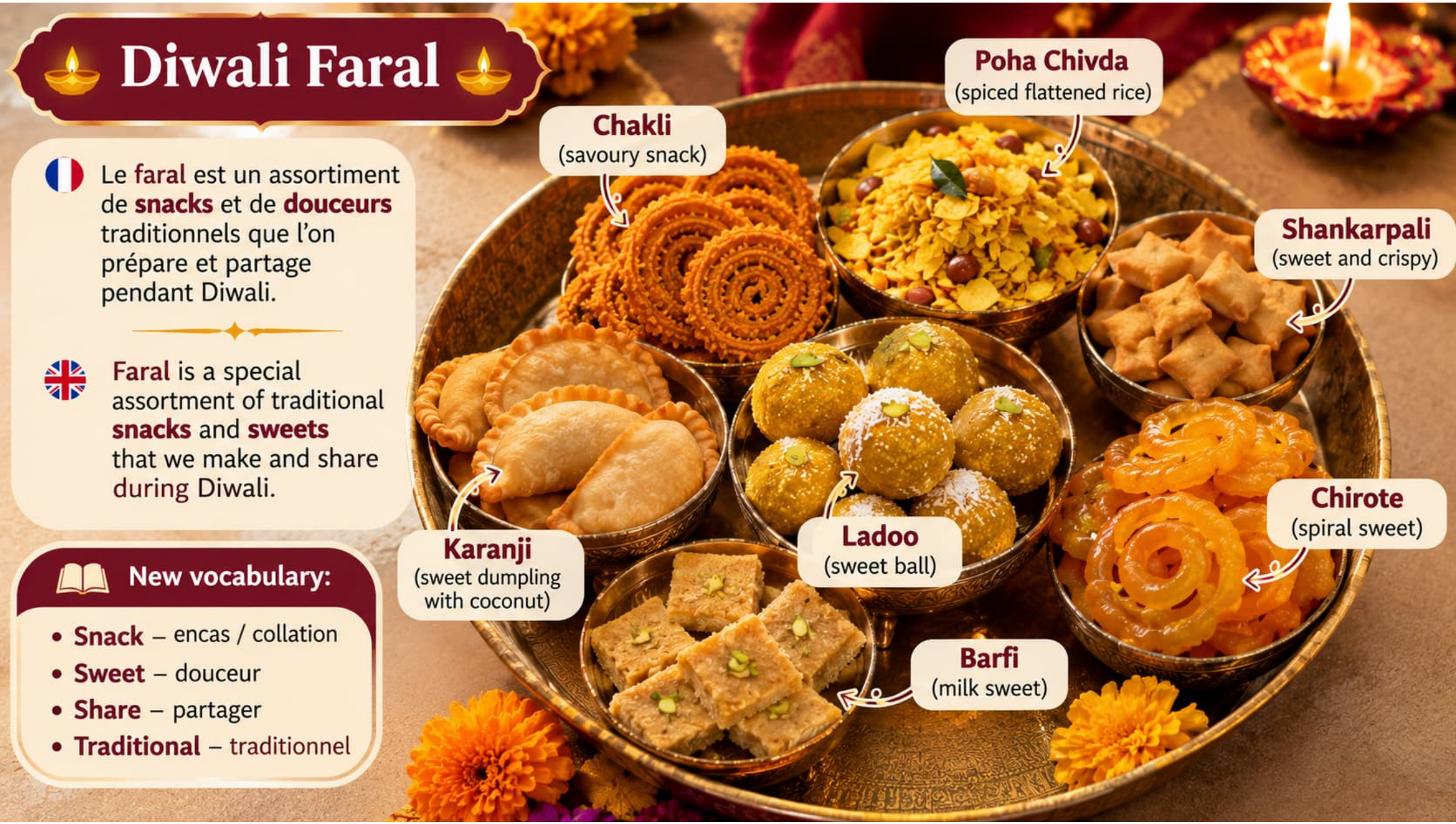
Diya Painting



We **decorate** and **paint** diyas with **bright colours** and **patterns** to make them beautiful for the celebration.

New Vocabulary:

- **Diya** (a clay lamp)
- **Light** (lumière)
- **Decoration** (décoration)
- **Paint** (peinture)
- **Pattern** (motif)


Diwali Faral
Le faral est un assortiment de snacks et de douceurs traditionnels que l'on prépare et partage pendant Diwali.
Faral is a special assortment of traditional snacks and sweets that we make and share during Diwali.
New vocabulary:
Snack – encas / collation
Sweet – douceur
Share – partager
Traditional – traditionnel
Poha Chivda
(spiced flattened rice)
Chakli
(savoury snack)
Shankarpali
(sweet and crispy)
Karanji
(sweet dumpling with coconut)
Ladoo
(sweet ball)
Chirote
(spiral sweet)
Barfi
(milk sweet)

Feu d’artifice à Diwali



Pendant Diwali, on fait des **feux d’artifice** pour célébrer la **joie**, la **lumière** et la victoire du bien.

During Diwali, we have **fireworks** to celebrate **happiness**, **light** and the victory of good over evil.



New vocabulary:

- **Feu d’artifice** – Fireworks
- **Célébrer** – To celebrate
- **Lumière** – Light
- **Joie** – Happiness
- **Victoire** – Victory

With Family and Friends



On célèbre Diwali avec notre **famille et nos amis.**

We celebrate Diwali with our **family and friends.**

New vocabulary:

- **Famille** – Family
- **Amis** – Friends
- **Célébrer** – To celebrate
- **Ensemble** – Together
- **Partager** – To share

Diwali Vocabulary



Diya



Lantern



Rangoli



Fireworks



Sweets (Faral)



Family



Saree



Kurta



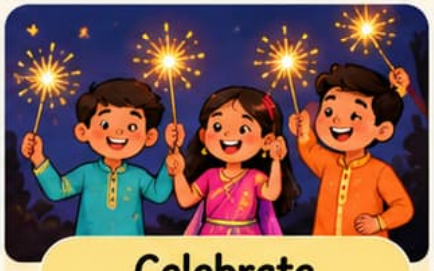
Clean



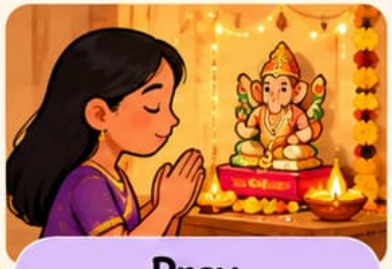
Decoration



Bath



Celebrate



Pray



Light



Share



Friends



Joy



Together