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Hindus believe in lots of different gods and goddesses. Choose one to draw in the box below.



Name of god or goddess: _____

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Can you find each of the Hindu gods and goddesses in the wordsearch?



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BRAHMA

RAMA

DURGA

SARASWATI

GANESH

SHIVA

KRISHNA

SURYA

LAKSHMI

VISHNU



Can you find out anything else about these gods and goddesses?



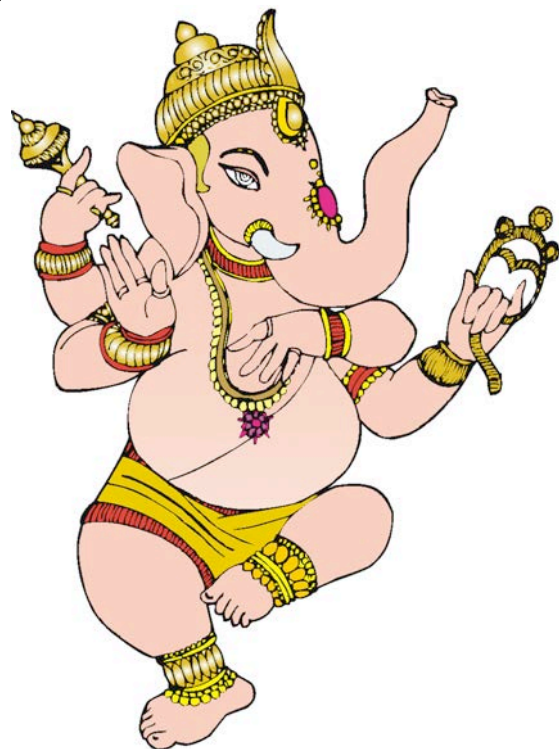
This god's name is Vishnu.
Vishnu makes sure the universe stays in order.



This god's name is Brahma.
Brahma created everything in the world.



This god's name is Shiva.
Shiva destroys things, including evil.



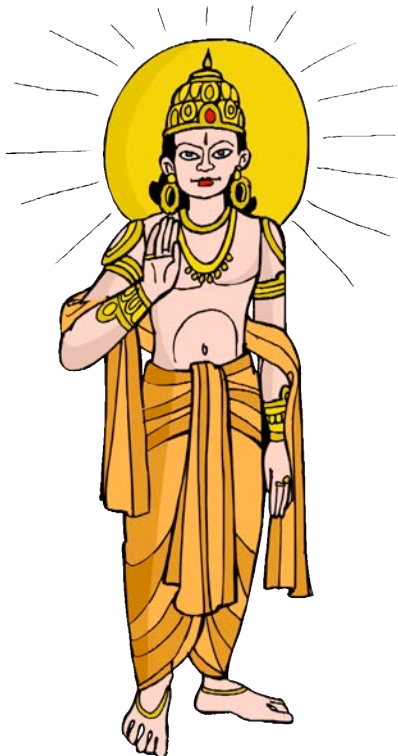
This god's name is Ganesh.
Ganesh removes obstacles.



This god's name is Rama.
Rama is in a famous story Hindus love to read.



This god's name is Krishna.
Krishna is known for playing pranks.



This god's name is Surya.
Surya is the god of the sun.



This goddess's name is Saraswati.
Saraswati is the goddess of music and art.

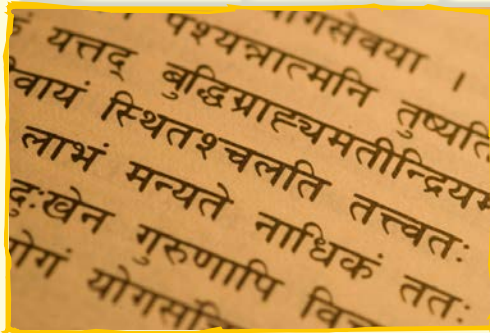
Hindus believe in lots of different gods and goddesses.



Hindus worship at a temple called a mandir.



Hindus have special books called the Vedas.



Hindus believe that when you die, you come back to life again as something else.



Hindus believe in karma. This means that if you do good things, good things will happen to you and if you do bad things, bad things will happen to you.



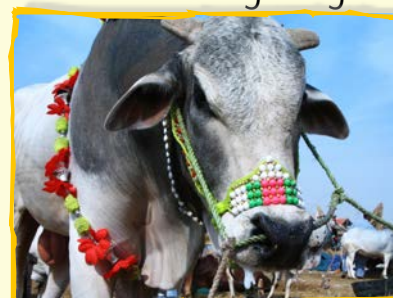
Hinduism began in India thousands of years ago.



Hindus have teachers called gurus.



Cows are holy animals to Hindus. They do not eat cows or harm them in any way.



What do Hindus
believe in?

Where do Hindus
worship?

What is the name
of a special Hindu
book?

What do Hindus
believe happens
when you die?

What is karma?

Where and when
did Hinduism
begin?

What are Hindu
teachers called?

Which animals are
holy to Hindus?