

## WEBSITE

[www.hinduismworkshops.co.uk](http://www.hinduismworkshops.co.uk)

Features a Hinduism teaching resources mail order shop, printable brochure, in-depth description of workshop content, current prices, convenient online booking form, testimonials, teaching ideas for your classroom, and introduces our faculty of presenters.



## BOOKING AND PRICES

Book easily online at [www.hinduismworkshops.co.uk](http://www.hinduismworkshops.co.uk), where you will find a convenient online booking form (on the BOOKINGS tab) with guidelines for planning your day. Our flexible pricing makes it easier for you to book as many Hinduism workshops as your school needs. See the FEES tab for details.

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## Hinduism made clear

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So please keep this brochure on file for future reference.

Do you need help teaching Hinduism?  
 Would you like to treat your students to a festive, multi-cultural day in school learning about India?  
 Would you like a professional presenter?

Do you want the subject to be engaging, relevant, authentic and accessible?  
 Avesha Presentations Hinduism Workshops for Schools offer dynamic, interactive workshops to support RE teachers.



## THE HINDUISM DAY

We have a number of excellent presenters based in various regions of Britain and Ireland. Our workshops include a balance of discussion and hands-on activities, and are suitable for foundation stage, primary, secondary, and special needs students. Students get a taste of various aspects of Hindu culture and philosophy through a wide variety of activities that range from storytelling for Nursery to exam preparation for GCSE and A-Level students. For your convenience, we bring the temple to your school in an array of multi-sensory experiences.

### Activities

- Storytelling and drama
- Dressing up in traditional costumes
- Festival face and hand painting
- Demonstration of the temple arati ceremony
- Dressing up as gods and goddesses
- Mock Hindu wedding
- Bharat Natyam dance elements
- Dandiya Rasa dance to music
- Yoga breathing for relaxation

### Discussion Topics

- The spiritual self: atman, reincarnation, moksha, karma
- God: Brahman and the Hindu Trimurti
- Worship at the holy shrine
- Caste system and moral issues

## Themes

- Festivals (e.g., Diwali, Holi, Rama Navami)
- Weddings and other rites of passage
- Holy men and women
- Worship and the Hindu shrine
- Symbols

## THE AUTHOR VISIT - HINDUISM DAY COMBO

An option with a special flavour for secondary students

All the same amazing cultural activities featured in the Hinduism Day are woven into the framework of an author visit. Our presenter Krishna (author K R Sharanya) shares her book *The Ballad of Radheya: A Legend from India* with students and brings each chapter reading to life with thematically matching interlude activities. The day also includes an author interview, book signing, and, optionally, a mini poetry writing workshop.

## INSET

Our teacher training courses provide clear, concise information on key concepts in Hindu philosophy and on Hindu ritual, as well as many creative and practical teaching ideas. We also bring along our teaching resources shop, which stocks educational books, children's story books, children's saris and prayer shawls, festival dolls (Sita, Rama, and Hanuman for Diwali; Radha and Krishna for Janmastami; and Narasimha and Prahlad for Holi), and other great artefacts for your classroom.



## INDIVIDUALIZED PLANNING

Choose from a wide range of topics and workshop plans.

Customize your day. We will consult with you to plan a programme that meets the needs of your students and supports your curriculum.