

Celebration Clues

Students compare ways birthdays and Diwali may be celebrated.

1.1.B "compare the observance of holidays and celebrations."

NAME _____

DATE _____

Teacher: this page is run aloud. The script and answers are on the guide page.

1 CIRCLE IT _____

a	Birthday	Diwali	Both
b	Both	Diwali	Birthday
c	Diwali	Birthday	Both

2 MATCH CLUES _____

Cake	•	•	Both
Lamps	•	•	Birthday
Gifts	•	•	Diwali

HOW TO RUN THIS PAGE

Tell students that families may celebrate birthdays and Diwali in different ways. Read every choice aloud, then have students decide whether a clue fits Birthday, Diwali, or Both.

Students never read directions on this sheet. Read each part's script aloud, then each prompt, giving think time before students mark.

PART 1 • CIRCLE IT

SAY “We will compare Birthday and Diwali. In each row, I will read the three choices and the celebration clue. Circle the choice that matches the clue.”

ROW	SAY	STUDENTS CIRCLE
a	The choices are Birthday, Diwali, and Both. Many birthday celebrations include making a wish and blowing out candles. Which choice matches this way of celebrating?	Birthday
b	The choices are Both, Diwali, and Birthday. Many people light small lamps during Diwali. Which choice matches this way of celebrating?	Diwali
c	The choices are Diwali, Birthday, and Both. Some families give gifts for a birthday and for Diwali. Which choice matches this way of celebrating?	Both

PART 2 • MATCH CLUES

SAY “Now draw three lines. For each clue on the left, I will read the clue and the choices on the right. Draw a line from each clue to Birthday, Diwali, or Both.”

- **Cake** matches **Birthday**
- **Lamps** matches **Diwali**
- **Gifts** matches **Both**

WHAT TO ACCEPT

Circle-row answers are Birthday, Diwali, Both. Match Cake to Birthday, Lamps to Diwali, and Gifts to Both.