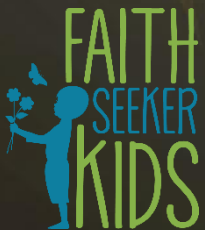


Making Sacred Circles/ Mandalas with Kids

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Introduction

Hindu Yantras

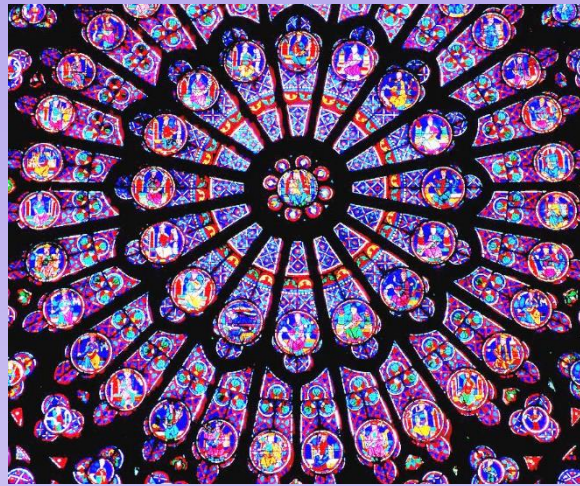


Buddhist
Architecture

Labyrinths



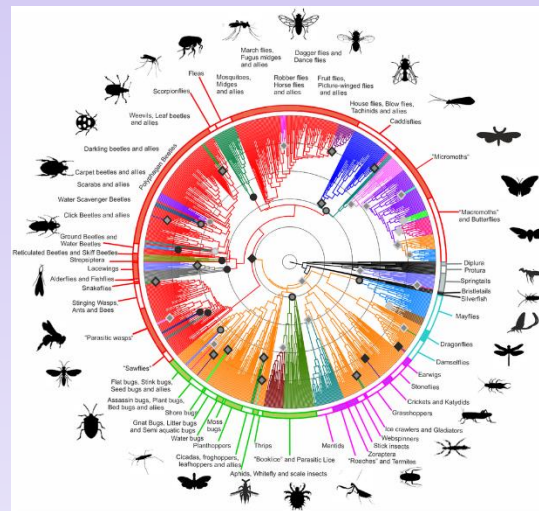
Christian Rose Windows



Persian Art



Aztec Calendars



Science

Sacred Circles/Mandalas with Kids

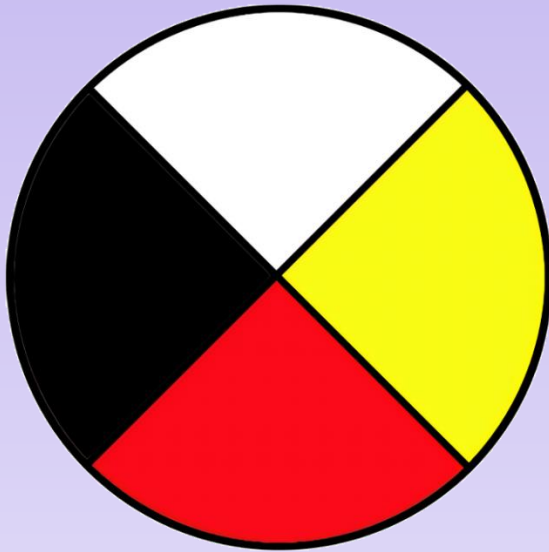
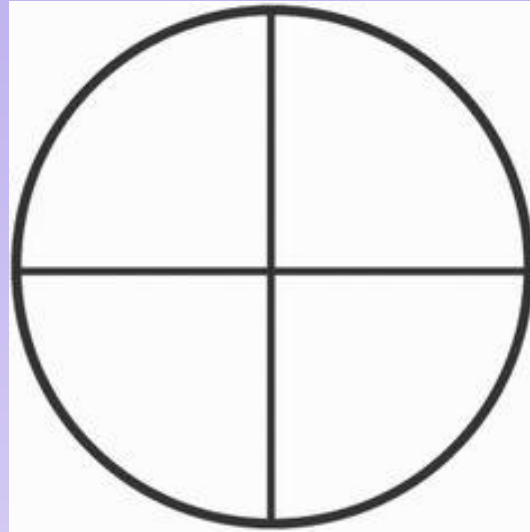
Native American
Medicine Wheels



Hindu/Indian
Rangolis

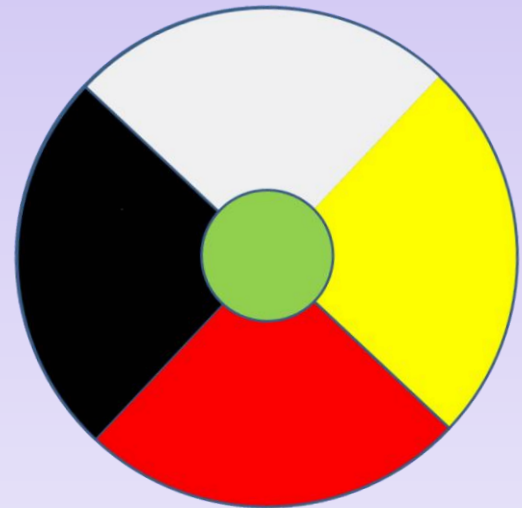
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Four Equal Quadrants

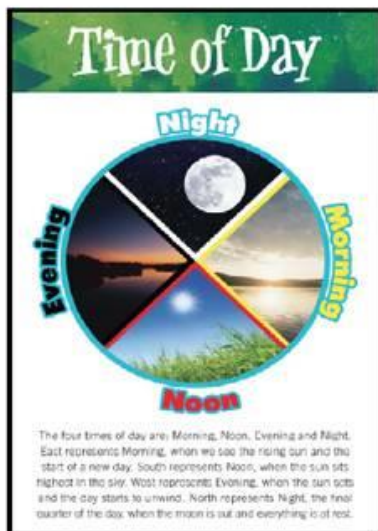
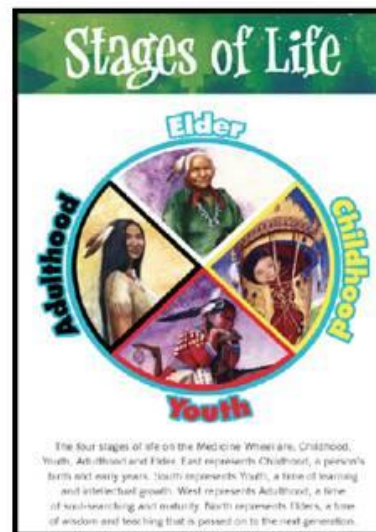
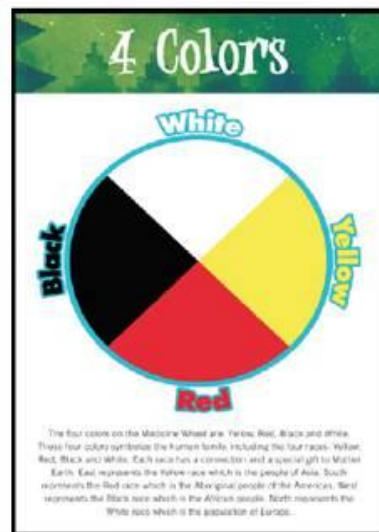
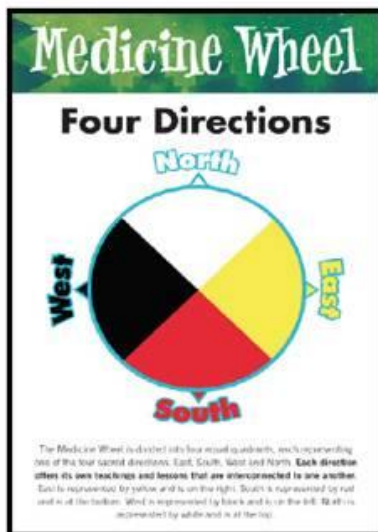


Four Colors

Center



Moving Around the Wheel



Easy, Inexpensive Crafts

Individual



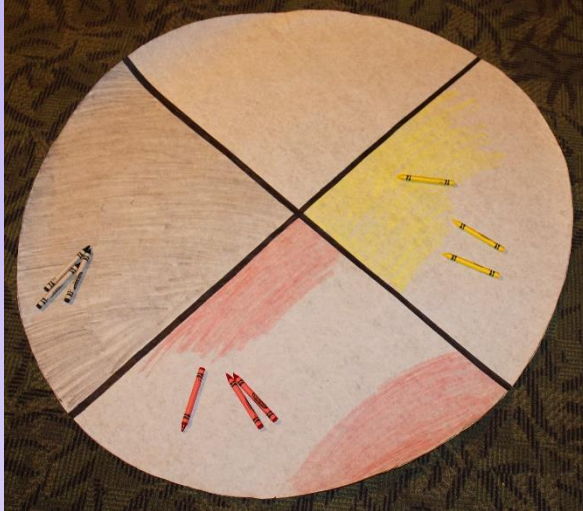
Skills Building

Linguistic/Cognitive

Socio-Emotional (listening, noticing, complimenting)

Easy, Inexpensive Crafts

Group



Skills Building

Linguistic/Cognitive

Socio-Emotional (consensus-building, team-building, honoring differences, disagreeing compassionately)

Hindu/Indian Rangolis

Diwali (Fall Festival of Lights)

Other Harvest Festivals

(Makar Sankranti/Pongal, Onam)

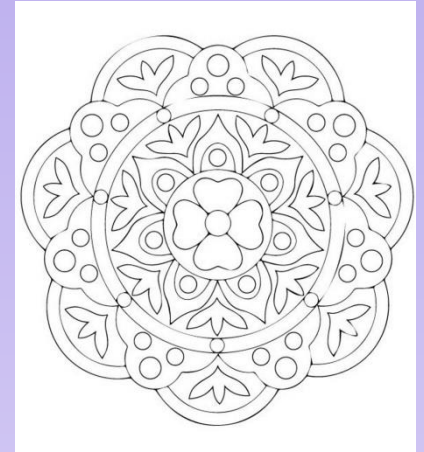
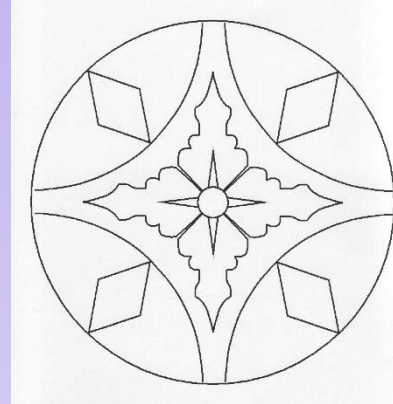
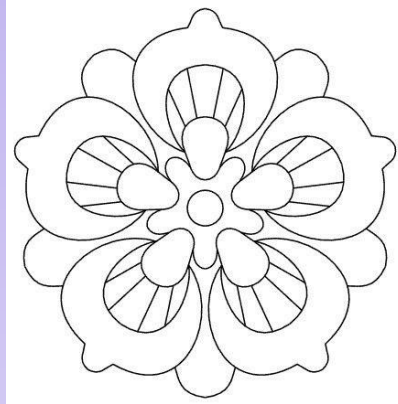
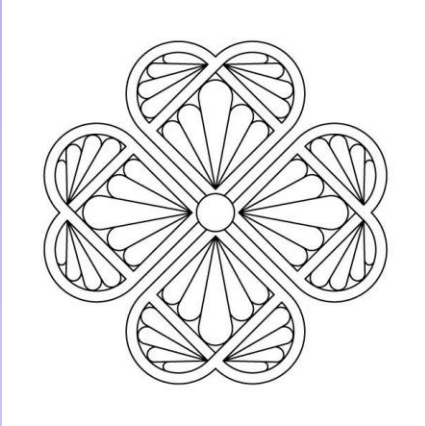
Welcoming Lakshmi

Cleaning/Decorating Home

Meditative

Easy, Inexpensive Crafts

Templates



Colored Sand/Rice

Flower Petals

Filling
It In



Faith Seeker Kids Products

Embracing Peace: Stories from the World's Faith Traditions

(Eaton Press, 2021). 16 peace stories from 8 faith traditions.

We All Have Sacred Spaces (Eaton Press, 2020). Worship spaces – exterior and interior – from 7 faith traditions.

- 2021 Bronze Independent Publisher/"IPPY" Award, Multicultural Non-Fiction Juvenile/YA
- 2020 Gold Winner, Nonfiction Authors Association
- 2020 Finalist, Best Book Awards, Kids' Non-Fiction and Kids' Religious categories
- Five-Star Review, Readers' Favorites

Interfaith Made Easy: Unit #1 Peace (Possibilities Publishing, 2018-2019)

- 4 Volumes for 4 age groups (Preschool-Kind., Lower Elem., Upper Elem., Middle School)
- 15 lesson plans in each volume (age-appropriate prompts, story, craft, activity)
- Available in digital and hardcopy formats
- No advance training needed. Learn along with the kids!
- Includes suggestions for opening and closing rituals, community service projects, and more!