

## Diwali Celebration Budget Request

**Event Name:** Diwali: Festival of Lights

**Hosted by:** South Asian Student Association

**Date & Location:** Wednesday, November 18th 3pm-5pm: DUC Hurd Room

**Expected Attendance:** 40 students

### **Budget Request: \$700.00**

Diwali is known as the “Festival of Lights” and symbolizes the victory of light over darkness and good over evil. This event will bring students together to experience South Asian culture through traditional food, music, and hands-on activities like decorating diyas.

- Activities:
  - Paint-your-own-diya (small clay lamp)
    - [Diyas](#) (21 pck) =  $\$14.99 \times 2 = \$29.98 = \$30.00$
    - Acrylic pens from last year
  - Rangoli Design Stations
    - Have chalk
    - Black paper from multicultural office
  - Henna Artist hired from 3pm-4pm = \$325
- Decor:
  - Banner from Erin = \$25.00
  - Bright Tablecloths (round) – about 8, walmart or dollar store = \$20.00
  - Christmas lights from home?? To string around tables
  - Sunset lamp?
- Food – \$300
  - Butter chicken
  - Rice
  - Paneer tikka masala

- Naan
- Mango lassi