

Date	Topic	Teacher
9/9/2018	Introduction of the course to students and parents, policies and expectation	Vaishali and Deepti
9/16/2018	<u>Introduction to Hinduism</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <i>A religion (way of life) with immense internal beliefs and practices,</i></li> <li>● <i>Brahman</i></li> <li>● <i>Manifestation of Brahman into different forms</i></li> <li>● <i>Introduction of few main forms such as, Siva, Vishnu, Durga</i></li> </ul>	Deepti
9/22/2018	<b>SPORTS DAY (No lecture)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Balakendra Participation is highly encouraged</li> </ul>	BK team
9/30/2018	<u>Continuation from previous lecture</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <i>Introduction to religious scriptures such as Vedas, Upanishads</i></li> <li>● <i>Navratri ( worshipping Durga)- Only religion that worships female form of the Supreme</i></li> </ul>	Deepti
10/7/2018	<u>Religions that stems from Hinduism</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Jainism, Buddhism, Sikhism</li> <li>● Introduction to Jainism</li> </ul>	Vaishali/Deepti
10/14/2018	<u>Introduction to Ramayana/Dusshera</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <u>Revisit the story of Ramayana</u></li> <li>● <u>Dusshera</u></li> </ul>	Vaishali

11/2/2018	<b>DIWALI PARTY (6 PM)No lecture)</b>	<b>BK Team</b>
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11/18/2018	<u>Continuation of Ramayana</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Read few passages of Ramayana</i></li> <li>• <i>Meaning of these passages</i></li> <li>• <i>How it relates to our modern life?</i></li> </ul>	Vaishali
12/2/2018	<b><u>Mid-Semester Test</u></b>	BK team
<b>12/09/2018</b>	<b><u>Field Trip/ Outreach Program ( No Lecture )</u></b>	BK team
12/16/2018	<b>Community Service Holiday Party ( No Lecture )</b>	BK Team
<b>CHRISTMAS BREAK</b>		

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1/13/2019	<b>Introduction to Bhagavad Gita</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Introduction to the holy scripture</li> <li>● Revisit the story of Mahabharata</li> <li>● Topics for Poster presentation (Characters from Gita)</li> </ul>	Deepti
1/20/2019	<b>Continuation from previous lecture</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Read few passages of Mahabharata</li> <li>● Meaning of these passages</li> <li>● How it relates to our modern life?</li> </ul>	Vaishali
TBD	<b>REPUBLIC DAY - Celebration - BK MUSICAL</b>	BK team
02/03/2019	<b>Dharma, Karma and Moksha</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● What is the purpose of Human Life?</li> <li>● What is Samrsa and Mokhsa?</li> <li>● To perfect the Soul- how to do work towards this...?</li> <li>● How do we liberate from cycle of birth and death?</li> </ul>	Vaishali
02/10/2019	<b>Balakendra Skit (No lecture)</b>	BK team
02/17/2019	<b>Field Trip /COMMUNITY SERVICE (No lecture)</b>	BK team

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02/24/2019	<b>POSTER PRESENTATION Mythological Characters. Give rubric</b>	Deepti & Vaishali
03/17/2019	<b>Holi</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Story of Holi</i></li> <li>• <i>Cultural and social significance of Holi</i></li> </ul>	Vaishali
03/24/2019	<b>QUIZ COMPETITION</b>	
03/31/2019	<b>Introduction to Puranas</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Selection from the Puranas: Story of Krishna and Kaliya</i></li> <li>• <i>Discussion</i></li> </ul>	Deepti
04/07/2019	<b>Goddess in Puranas</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Stories of Goddess from Puranas</i></li> <li>• <i>Discussion</i></li> </ul>	Deepti
04/28/2019	<b>Earth Day celebration - Field Trip ( No Lecture)</b>	BK team
05/05/2019	<b>Guest Speaker – Community Service</b>	TBD
05/19/2019	<b>Oral Presentation</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>What according to you is community service?</i></li> </ul>	Vaishali/Deepti

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>How will you incorporate it in your life?</i></li></ul>	
06/01/2019	<b><u>PICNIC</u></b>	

**\*\*\*\*Please note that Teachers / Topics/ Events/ Activities are subject to change depending on the availability of temple/teachers/outreach center\*\*\*\***