

Ratha Jatra

Ratha Jatra is a Hindu celebration, an annual event usually celebrated in June or July.

The celebration includes a public procession with a chariot dedicated to Lord Jagannath (Lord Krishna), his sister Goddess Subhadra and his elder brother Lord Balabhadra.

- You could explore this festival with the children in your nursery.
- Why not make some chariots using junk modelling equipment or construction materials?
- Can the children add 16 wheels to their chariot too?
- Have a look at the festival in person using YouTube videos to help the children get a better idea of what happens and why.

