

Quiz

I can name and explain the meaning of Buddhist symbols.

	<p>The Kalasha (The Treasure Vase) This symbol is also known as 'the vase of inexhaustible treasures'. The belief is that it doesn't matter how much is taken from the vase; it is continuously full.</p>		<p>The Shrivasta (The Endless Knot) This is a symbol of the never ending cycle of rebirths.</p>
	<p>The Padma (The Lotus Flower) This is a symbol of purity, renunciation and divinity.</p>		<p>The Dhvaja (The Banner of Victory) This symbol signifies spiritual victory. It often appears on banners of warriors.</p>
	<p>The Sankha (The Conch Shell) This symbolises the blessedness received when a person turns to the right. A shell which spirals to the right is considered to be very rare and therefore sacred.</p>		<p>The Dharmachakra (The Wheel of Life) This signifies the journey to perfection (Nirvana).</p>
	<p>The Chattra (The Parasol) This symbolises keeping away the heat of evil desires. The parasol symbolises protection from suffering, desire, obstacles, illness and harmful forces.</p>		<p>The Matsyayugma (The Golden Fish) This is a symbol of utility and happiness.</p>

