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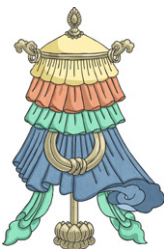
The Kalasha (The Treasure Vase)

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.



The Shrivasta (The Endless Knot)

This is a symbol of the never ending cycle of rebirths.



The Dhvaja (The Banner of Victory)

This symbol signifies spiritual victory. It often appears on banners of warriors.



The Padma (The Lotus Flower)

This is a symbol of purity, renunciation and divinity.



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.



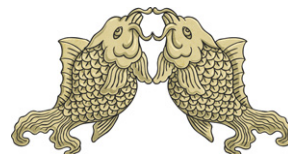
The Dharmachakra (The Wheel of Life)

This signifies the journey to perfection (Nirvana).



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.



The Matsyayugma (The Golden Fish)

This is a symbol of utility and happiness.