

How to perform Ganesh Chaturthi Pooja?

Ganesh Chaturthi Pooja Vidhi, Ganesh Chaturthi Pooja Vidhanam.

Perform Pasupu Ganapathi puja before starting Ganesha Shodashopachara pooja.

Ganesha Shodashopachara Puja

Sloa|| Ekadantam Soorpakarnam gajavaktram chaturbhajam

paasankusa dharam devam dhyaayet siddhi vinaayakam||

uttamam ganaadhakshya vratam sampatkara Subham

bhaktaabhishtapradam tasmaat dhyaayatam vignanaayakam||

dhyaayet gajaanam devam taptakaamchanasannibham

chaturbhujam mahaakaayam sarvaabharanabhushitam||

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakam dhyaayaami

(Do Namaskara)

atraagaccha jagadvandya suraraajaarchitesvarah

anaadhanaadha sarvagna gowrigarbha samudbava||

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakam aavaahayaami

(Sprinkle some water with betel leaf at the foot of Ganesha Idol)

Mouktikeih pushparaageischa naanaa ratnairviraajitam

ratnasimhaasanam chaaru preetyardham pratigruhyataam ||

Sree varasiddhi vinaayaka aasanam samarpayaami

(Place a flower at the foot of ganesh Idol)

Gowriputra namastaestu Sankarapriyanandana|

gruhaanaagyam mayaadattam gandapushpaakshateiryutam||

'Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya arghyam samarpayaami

(Sprinkle water on the hands of the Ganesha Idol)

gajavakra namastestu sarvaabheeshtapadaayaka||

bhaktyaapaadam mayaadattam gruhaana dvaradaanana||

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya paadyam samarpayaami

(Sprinkle water on the feet of the Ganesha Idol)

Anaadhanaadha sarvagna geervaana ganapoojitah

gruhaanaachamanam deva tubhyam dattam mayaaprabhoh||

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya aachamaniyam samarpayaami

(Sprinkle water on the Ganesha Idol)

Dhadhia ksheerasamaayuktam madhyaajyaena samanvitam

madhuverkam guruhanaedam gajavaktra namostutae||

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya madhuparkam samarpayaami

(Mix a little of Cow Milk, Curd and Ghee and offer this)

'Snaanam panchaamruteirdeva guruhana gananaayaka|

anaadhanaadha sarvajana geervaana ganapoojita||

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya panchaamruta snaanam samarpayaami

(Panchaamrutam means – Cow's Milk, Curd from Cow's milk, Cow's Ghee, Honey and Sugar) – Mix all the above to make panchamrutam and sprinkle on the mount and then sprinkle some water)

Sloa|| Raktavastradvayam chaaru devayogyam cha mangalam||

Subhaprada guruhana tvam lambodara heraatmaja|

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya vastrayugmam samarpayaami

(Put two pieces of red cloth or a red flower around the Ganesha Idol)

Raajatam brahmasootram cha kaanchasamchottareeyakam||

guruhaana deva sarvajana bhaktaanaam ishtadaayaka ||

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya yagnopaveetam samarpayaami

(Place around the idol – one string or wire of silver and one string or wire of Gold as yagnopaveetam and Uttareeyam. Alternately can place a thread made with 9 repeats each, or can place two flowers at the feet of the Idol)

chamdananaagaru karpuara kastoori kumkumaanvitam||

vilepanam surasreshta tvadardham pratigruhyataam||

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakam gamdhaan samarpayaami

(Apply sandalwood paste to the idol)

Akshataan dhavalaan divyaan saaliyaan tamdulaan Subhaan||

guruhaan paramaananda shambhuputra namostutae||

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya alamkaranaardham akshataan samarpayaami

(Sprinkle saffron rice on the idol)

Sloa|| sugandhini cha pushpaani vaatakunda mukhaani cha|

Ekavimsati patraani gruhaana gananaayaka||

(Take the leaves for the Puja and place them at the idol (near the body part as mentioned with every line) for every one line of the flowing Adhanga Pooja – Puja for every Anga or Body Part)

Adhangapuja:

om ganesaaya namaha paadou pujayaami – Legs

om ekadamtaaya namaha gulbhow pujayaami – Ankles

om Soorpakarnaaya namaha jaanunee pujayaami – Knee

om vignaraajaaya namaha janghae pujayaami – Calfs

om aguvaahanaaya namaha oorooh pujayaami – Thighs

om herambaaya namaha katim pujayaami – Buttocks

om lambodaraaya namaha udaram pujayaami – Stomach

om gananaadhaaya namaha naabhim pujayaami – Navel

om ganesaaya namaha hrudayam pujayaami – Chest

om sthoolakanthaaya namaha kantham pujayaami – Throat

om skamdaagrajaaya namaha skandow pujayaami – Shoulders

om pasahastaaya namaha hastow pujayaami – Hands

om gajavaktraaya namaha vaktram pujayaami – Face

om vignahantrae namaha netrow pujayaami – Eyes

om soorpakarnaaya namaha karnow pujayaami – Ears

om phaalachandraaya namaha lalaatam pujayaami – Forehead

om sarvesvaraaya namaha Sirah pujayaami – Head

om vignaraajaaya namaha sarvaanyamgaani pujayaami – Whole Body

Ekavimsati Patra Pooja - 21 Leaves :

Take the leaves for pooja; start reading each line and offer the respective leaf to the lord. If unable to get various leaves, can continue this puja with either just tulasi leaves or akshata or flowers:

Sumukhaaya namah – machee patram pujayaami

Gannadhipaaya namah – bruhatee patram pujayaami

Umaputraya namah – bilva patram pujayaami
Gajaananaaya namah –doorvaa yugmam pujayaami
Harasoonavey namah –dattoora patram pujayaami
Lambodaraaya namah –badaree patram pujayaami
Guhaagrajaaya namah –apaamarga patram pujayaami
Gajakarnaaya namah –tulasee patram pujayaami
Ekadantaaya namah –choota patram pujayaami
Vikataaya namah –karaveera patram pujayaami
Bhinnadantaaya namah –Vishnukranti patram pujayaami
Vatavey namah –dhadimee patram pujayaami
Sarvesvaraaya namah –devadaaru patram pujayaami
Phaalachandraaya namah –maruvaka patram pujayaami
Haeranbaaya namah –Sindhoovara patram pujayaami
Soorpakarnaaya namah –jaajee patram pujayaami
Suraagrajaaya namah –dandakee patram pujayaami
Ibhavaktraaya namah –samee patram pujayaami
Vinayakaaya namah –aswatha patram pujayaami
Surasevitaaya namah –arjuna patram pujayaami
apilaaya namah –arka patram pujayaami
Sree ganeshaaya namah –ekavinsati patrani pujayaami

After this is done, Ashtottara Sata namavali is read – Place a flower or leaf or akshata and sandalwood paste after every name (nama):

Om Vinayakaya Namaha
Om Vighnarajaya Namaha
Om Gauripatraya Namaha
Om Ganesvaraya Namaha
Om Skandagrajaya Namaha
Om Avyayaya Namaha
Om Putaya Namaha

Om Dakshaya Namaha
Om Adhyakshaya Namaha
Om Dvijapriyaya Namaha
Om Agnigarbhachide Namaha
Om Indrasripradaya Namaha
Om Vanipradaya Namaha
Om Avyayaya Namaha
Om Sarvasiddhipradaya Namaha
Om Sarvatanayaya Namaha
Om Sarvaripriyaya Namaha
Om Sarvatmakaya Namaha
Om Srushtikatre Namaha
Om Devaya Namaha
Om Anekarchitaya Namaha
Om Sivaya Namaha
Om Suddhaya Namaha
Om Buddhipriyaya Namaha
Om Santaya Namaha
Om Brahmacharine Naamaha
Om Gajananaya Namaha
Om Dvaimatreyaya Namaha
Om Munistutyaya Namaha
Om Bhaktavighnavinasanaya Namaha
Om Ekadantaya Namaha
Om Chaturbahave Namaha
Om Chaturaya Namaha
Om Saktisamyutaya Namaha
Om Lambodaraya Namaha
Om Surpakarnaya Namaha

Om Haraye Namaha
Om Brahmaviduttamaya Namaha
Om Kalaya Namaha
Om Grahapataye Namaha
Om Kamine Namaha
Om Somasuryagnilochanaya Namaha
Om Pasankusadharaya Namaha
Om Chandaya Namaha
Om Gunatitaya Namaha
Om Niranjanya Namaha
Om Akalmashaya Namaha
Om Svayamsiddhaya Namaha
Om Siddharchitapadambujaya Namaha
Om Bijapuraphalasaktaya Namaha
Om Varadaya Namaha
Om Sasvataya Namaha
Om Krutine Namaha
Om Dvijapriyaya Namaha
Om Vitabhayaya Namaha
Om Gadine Namaha
Om Chakrine Namaha
Om Ikshuchapadhritha Namaha
Om Sridaya Namaha
Om Ajaya Namaha
Om Utpalakaraya Namaha
Om Sripataye Namaha
Om Stutiharshitaya Namaha
Om Kuladribhettre Namaha
Om Jatilaya Namaha

Om Kalikalmashanasanaya Namaha
Om Chandrachudamanaye Namaha
Om Kantaya Namaha
Om Papaharine Namaha
Om Samahitaya Namaha
Om Asritaya Namaha
Om Srikaraya Namaha
Om Saumyaya Namaha
Om Bhaktavanchitadayakaya Namaha
Om Santaya Namaha
Om Kaivalyasukhadaya Namaha
Om Sachidanandavigrahaya Namaha
Om Jnanine Namaha
Om Dayayutaya Namaha
Om Dantaya Namaha
Om Brahmadveshavivarjitaya Namaha
Om Pramattadaityabhayadaya Namaha
Om Srikanthaya Namaha
Om Vibhudesvaraya Namaha
Om Ramarchitaya Namaha
Om Vidhaye Namaha
Om Nagarajayajnopavitavate Namaha
Om Sthulakanthaya Namaha
Om Svayamkartre Namaha
Om Samaghoshapriyaya Namaha
Om Parasmai Namaha
Om Sthulatundaya Namaha
Om Agranye Namaha
Om Dhiraya Namaha

Om Vagisaya Namaha
Om Siddhidayakaya Namaha
Om Durvabilvapriyaya Namaha
Om Avyaktamurtaye Namaha
Om Adbhutamurtime Namaha
Om Sailendratanjotsanga Khelanotsukamanasaya Namaha
Om Svalavanyasudhasarajita Manmathavigrahaya Namaha
Om Samastajagadadharaya Namaha
Om Mayine Namaha
Om Mushikavahanaya Namaha
Om Hrushtaya Namaha
Om Tushtaya Namaha
Om Prasannatmane Namaha
Om Sarvassiddhipradayakaya Namaha

“Ithi Sri Vigneshwara Astothara Sathanamavali hi”

Upacharas :

Dasangam guggulopetamsugandham sumanoharam
Umaasuta namastubhyam – gruhana varado bhava
Sree vara siddhi vinaayakaaya namaha Dhoopamaaghraapayaami
Light a set of Incense sticks and show to the lord
Saajyam trivarti samyuktam vahninaadyotitam mayaah
Gruhana mangala deepameesaputra namostute
Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya namaha deepam darsayaami
Show the deepam (lamp) to the Ganesh murti
Sugandhaan sukrutamschiava modakan ghrutapachitaan
Naivedyam gruhyatam deva chanamudgai prakalpitaan
Bhakshyam bhojyancha lehyancha choshyam paneeyamevmacha
Idam gruhana naivedyam mayadattam vinayaka
Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya namaha naivedyam samarpayaami

Place all the modakams prepared in a plate, sprinkle water on them and offer them to the ganesha murti

Phoogee phala samaayuktam naagavalli dalairyutam

Muktaachoorana samyuktam tamboolam pratigruhyataam

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya namaha tamboolam samarpayaami

Place tamboolam and offer (Tamboolam – take 3 betel leaves, clean them, place a flower and nut on these leaves)

Sadaanandada vighnesaa pushkalaani dhanaanicha

Bhoomyaan sthitaani bhagavan sweekurushya vinayaka

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya namaha suvarna mantra pushpaani samarpayaani

Place flowers at the ganesh murti

Ghrutavarti sahasraischa karpooora sakalaistadha

Neetraajanam mayaadattam gruhana varado bhava

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya namaha neeraajanam samarpayaami

Light camphor and offer aarti to the murti

DOORVAYUGMA POOJA (PUJA WITH GRASS BLADES)

Om Ganadhipataye namaha doorvaayugmam pujayaami

Om umaputraaya namaha doorvaayugmam pujayaami

Om Akhuvaahanaaya namaha doorvaayugmam pujayaami

Om vinaayakaaya namaha doorvaayugmam pujayaami

Om Eesaputraaya namaha doorvaayugmam pujayaami

Om Sarvasiddhipradaaya namaha doorvaayugmam pujayaami

Om Ekadantaaya namaha doorvaayugmam pujayaami

Om Ibhavaktraaya namaha doorvaayugmam pujayaami

Om Mooshikavaahanaaya namaha doorvaayugmam pujayaami

Om Kumaaraguruve v namaha doorvaayugmam pujayaami

Take a flower in right hand and read the following sloka:

Ganaadhipa namastestu umaputraghanaasanaha

Vinaayakesa tanaya sarvasiddhi pradaayaka

Ekadantaika vadana tadhaa mooshika vahana

Kumara gurave tubhyamarpayaaami sumaanjalim

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya namaha mantrapushpam samarpayaami

Offer the flower to the murti

Arghyam gruhana haerambha sarvabhadra pradaayaka

Gandhapushpaakshatairyukatam pratastham paapanaasana

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya namaha punararghyam samarpayaami

Take water in hand and leave it in the place before the murti – Do this 3 times

Vinayaka namastubhyam satatam modaka priyam

Nirvighnam Kurume deva sarva kaaryeshu sarvada

Do namaskara

Circumambulation :

Take flowers and akshata in hand and circumambulate 3 times (in clock wise direction) before the murti, reading the following sloka:

Yaanikaanicha paapaani janmantara krutaanicha

Taani taani pransyanti pradakshana padae padae

Paapoham paapakarmaaham paapaatmaa papa sambhavaah

Traahimam krupayaa deva saranaagata vatsala

Anyadha saranam naasti twameva saranam mamah

Tasmaat kaarunyabhaavena raksha raksha vinaayaka

Sree varasiddhi vinaayakaaya namaha aatmapradakhanam samarpayaami

Now place the flowers and akshata on the murti and resume the puja

Prardhana:

//Tondamunekadantamu torapu bojjayu vamahastamun

Medugamroyu gajjelun mellani choopulu mandahaasamun

Kondoka gujju roopamuna korina vidyalanellanojjayai undedi

Parvateetanaya oyi ganaadhipa ninu mrokkedan//

//Toluta Avighamastanuchu dhoorajatinandana neeku mrokkedan

Phalitamuneeyumayya ninu praadhana chesedanekadanta maa

Valpati chethi kanthamuna, vaakkunanepudu baayakundumee

Talapuna ninnu vededanu dai va ganaadhipa! Loka naayaka!//

//Talachitine gananaadhuni talachitine vighnapatini talachina panigaa

Talachitine haerambuni talachina naa vighnamulanu tolaguta noragun

Atukulu kobbari pelukulu chiti bellamu naanubraalu cherukurasambun

Nitalakshunagra sutunaku patutaramuna vindu chetu praardintu madin//

Shree Mahaa Ganapathi Pooja Samaaptham.

After Ganesha shodashopachara puja listen to Story of Ganesha.

[After Completion of Story of Ganesha Vinayaka Chaviti puja completes with Ganesha Aarti \(Vinayaka Harati\).](#)