

Hanukkah FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS



STARTS

**SUNDOWN
11.28.21**

24 of Kislev

ENDS

**SUNDOWN
12.06.21**

2 of Tevet

What it IS...

An 8-day holiday celebrating the triumph of the Macabees and the *miracle* of the tiny bit of oil lasting for 8 days.

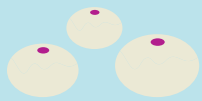
What to SAY...

Chag Sameach!
HAPPY HOLIDAY!

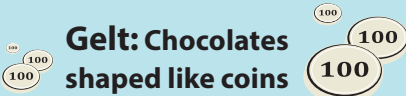
What to EAT...



Latkes:
(Potato Pancakes)
& other fried foods to remember the Miracle!



Sufganiyot:
Jelly donuts



Gelt: Chocolates shaped like coins

What to DO AT THE JCC...



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What to DO...



Play dreidel



Light the hanukkah



Sing songs
Give gifts

Say blessings & light the hanukkah

The hanukkah (menorah) holds 8 candles (one for each night the oil lasted) and a shamash (helper) to light the others.

THE HANUKKIAH (MENORAH)



Blessings are recited first,

then candles are lit from left to right.

1. Baruch ata Adonai, Eloheinu melech ha'olam asher kidshanu b'mitzvotav, ve-tzevanu lihadlik ner shel Hanukkah.
2. Baruch ata Adonai, Eloheinu melech ha'olam sh'asa nisim l'avoteinu ba-yamim ha-hem ba-zeman ha-zeh.
3. (on 1st night only) Baruch ata Adonai, Eloheinu melech ha'olam sh'hechyanu, v'kiyimanu, v'higiyanu la-zeman ha-zeh.

Play Dreidel

A 4-sided spinning top game
Players get gelt (chocolate coins) & do what comes up on their spin.



NUN
do nothing



GIMEL
get all of the gelt



HEY
get half of the gelt



SHIN
add a piece of gelt

Whoever has the most gelt at the end wins!
Dreidel game was a cover for Torah study when the Torah was forbidden.