

JUDAISM

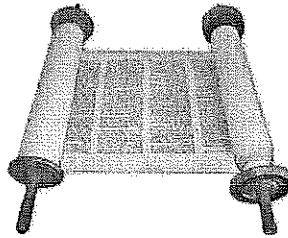


Judaism is around 3500 years old and is one of the oldest of the world's monotheistic religions—religions with only _____. In ancient times Jewish people were called _____. _____ is believed to be the father of the Jewish people. The story of Abraham is told in the Torah. _____ is their most holy city and the capital of Israel.

STAR OF DAVID

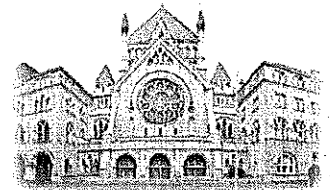


The six-pointed Star of David is the sign of the Jewish religion. It is also called the "Magen of David," and is named after King David. The symbol also appears on the flag of the State of Israel. The star represents eternal light.



בוזק יד הוציא ה' אתכם
ה' אל ארץ הכנעני והחיתי
חלב ודבש ולעברת את ה'
זו ה' מצות יאכל את שב
והזרת לבנך ביום ההוא לא
ולכבדו בין עיניך למען ת

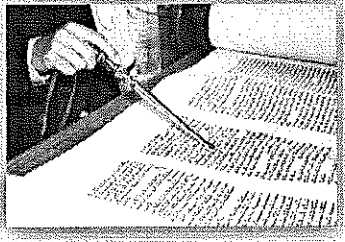
The Jewish word for god is _____. Men are required to cover their heads with a _____ called a yarmulke (yam-moo-ka). Jews worship in a _____. Worship usually takes place in the _____ language. The Jewish spiritual leaders are called _____. Jews say prayers _____ times daily, with a fourth prayer added on holidays. _____ is the most important Jewish holiday.



Part of Jewish life revolves around eating the correct food. _____ foods are those that follow _____. This means _____



_____ of dairy and meat, no pork or pork products and no shellfish. Jews can eat meat from any animal that chews its cud and has a split hoof such as _____. Jews may eat fish that have both fins and scales that are detachable from the skin.



The _____ is the holy book of the Jewish people. It is read with a pointer called a _____ (hand) to keep it from being spoiled. Jewish holy books mainly talk about life in _____, and rarely mention anything similar to a _____ or hell.

There are special _____ when Jewish boys (aged 13) and girls (aged 12) become _____. Bar mitzvah is for _____ and Bat mitzvah is for _____.



Complete the activity below in your exercise book:

- What is a monotheistic religion?
- What do we call a person who follows the religion of Judaism?
- What were the Jewish people called in ancient times?
- Who is believed to be the father of the Jewish people?
- Which city is the most holy city?
- What is the Jewish symbol? (write it in words and draw it)
- Where do Jews worship?
- What language does worship take place in?
- What do they call spiritual leaders?
- What is the most important Jewish holiday?
- What is kosher?
- What type of food are Jews allowed to eat?
- What is the holy book of the Jewish people?

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| ABRAHAM | JERUSALEM |
| ISRAEL | TORAH |
| JEWISH | YAHWEH |
| SYNAGOGUE | RABBI |
| STAR OF DAVID | KOSHER |
| DAIRY | MEAT |
| FISH | SACRED |
| BAR MITZVAH | MONOTHEISTIC |
| BAT MITZVAH | |
| YOM KIPPUR | SYMBOL |