

PAINTED DREIDELS

Lesson of the Day:

Hanukkah is a holiday where Jewish people celebrate the "Festival of Lights". They light candles, eat special foods, and spend time together with their family. There is a game they play with dreidels. Playing games from other cultures is a great way to learn more about them and have fun at the same time!



Materials:

- Cardboard or cardstock
- Watercolor paints
- Paintbrushes
- Container for water



Instructions:

- 1. Discuss the lesson of the day with your students. Talk about what it means to them.
- 2. Cut out dreidel shapes for students.
- 3. Students can watercolor paint whatever pattern they want onto the dreidel.
- 4. Once it's dry, have students draw one of the shapes from a real dreidel onto their art pieces.
- 5. If desired, play real dreidel with your students so they can engage with the game and with Jewish culture.