

## Hanukkha

The **Jewish festival of lights**, called Hanukkah, is celebrated around the world today. Hanukkah is a memory of a **great miracle** that happened a long, long time ago.

Hanukkah starts in late November to mid-December and lasts **eight days**.

Jews celebrating Hanukkah light a candleholder called a **menorah** for eight nights. Each night a candle is lit and **prayers, songs and small presents** are exchanged. More traditional gifts during Hanukkah include money, coins (called gelt), and chocolate coins.

Two **popular** Hanukkah **dishes** are *latkes*, fried potato pancakes and *sufganiyot*, sweet, jelly-filled donuts.

Children play the **Dreidel** game - a game of luck which can be a lot of fun for the entire family.



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#### **True or false?** Richtig oder falsch?

	true	false
Traditionally, people eat potatos and cake.	0	$\otimes$
The festivity lasts seven days.	$\circ$	$\otimes$
Hanukkah means festival of lights.	$\otimes$	0
Hannukah is a jewish festivity.	$\otimes$	$\circ$
The Dreidel game is a lot of fun.	$\otimes$	0
It is only celebrated in the USA.	0	$\odot$

#### Fill the gaps. Fülle die Lücken.

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### 1 Synonym or opposite? Synonym oder Gegenteil?

	synonym	opposite
good - positive	$\otimes$	0
traditional -modern	$\circ$	$\otimes$
start - begin	$\otimes$	0
bad - good	$\circ$	$\otimes$
popular - famous	$\otimes$	0
fun - pain	$\circ$	$\otimes$
play - game	$\otimes$	0

