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Hanukkah

1. What's the word?

Write the word under the pictures.



Hanukkah menorah	dreidel	pancake	ροτατο
jam	doughnut	present	chocolate coins
		win	
	Hanukkah menorah		

2. Choose the answer!

Read the fact file on the next page and circle the correct answer.



a.	Hanukkah is the Jewish Festival of	Candles (Lights) Nights
Ь.	Hanukkah lasts for days. seven	/eight / nine
C.	The Hanukkah has nine candles.	pancake / dreidel / menorah
d.	Families play a game called dre	idel / coins / spin
e.	The special pancakes are made with	jam / carrots / potatoes
f.	People eat jam doughnuts / so	andwiches / pancakes
9.	People give to family and friends.	menorahs / presents / clothes
	Children sometimes get coins. p v.britishcouncil.org/learnenglishkids	otato / gold / chocolate

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3. Read!

Read the fact file and complete exercise 2 on the previous page.



FACT FILE: Hanukkah

FUN FACTS:

- There are nine candles in a Hanukkah menorah. The candle in the middle is used to light the other eight.
- There are different ways to write 'Hanukkah', for example 'Chanukah' and 'Hannukah'!

Hanukkah is the Jewish Festival of Lights. It lasts for eight days. It is usually celebrated in November or December.



Candles

People light candles at Hanukkah. They light one candle every evening. The special Hanukkah candle holder is called a Hanukkah menorah. It has nine candles.

Games

Some families play a traditional game called 'dreidel'. The dreidel has four sides and there is a different Hebrew letter on each side. Spin the dreidel and see which letter you get!



Food

People make special pancakes at this time of year. The pancakes are made with potatoes, onions, eggs, flour and oil. People also eat delicious jam doughnuts.

Presents

Families and friends give each other presents and money at Hanukkah. Children sometimes get chocolate coins. People also give cards that often have pictures of a menorah or a dreidel.



Happy Hanukkah!

4. What do you think?

What was the most interesting fact about Hanukkah? Do you have a favourite festival? Do you play special games or eat special food? Do people give presents, money or cards?



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