

# SMRP RE Knowledge Organiser for Year 1—Who is Jewish and what do they believe?

In this unit children learn about how and why Jewish people celebrate the festival Hanukkah.



## RE knowledge

Jewish people celebrate **Hanukkah** every year.

The story of **Hanukkah** involves a lamp that burned for eight days.

During **Hanukkah**, Jewish people light one candle on the **Menorah** each day.

Menorah



Dreidel

## RE Vocabulary

### Word

### Definition

**Hanukkah**



A Jewish festival lasting eight days.

**Menorah**



A candlestick used in Jewish worship used at Hanukkah.

**Dreidel**



A small four sided spinning top used in a children's game.

**Maccabees**



Followers of the Jewish leader Judas Maccabaeus.