

SHAVUOT

HOW DO WE CELEBRATE SHAVUOT?



Before Shavuot, in all schools and kibbutzim there are special ceremonies in which the children,in white, bring full of the first of the seven types of produce. The children usually wear wreaths of on their heads and they look very nice.

On Shavuot Eve the is decorated with and flowers. And mother lights Like other holidays, Shavuot also has some special which are made of and other dairy products.

The portion of the Bible read in the In the morning tells the Shavuot story of how the Israelites received the "....." and indeed the "Ten Commandments" are read to the congregation. In addition, in some places it is also customary to read "The Book of" and "Psalms".

FLOWERS	SYNAGOGUE	FRUITS	CANDLES
HOUSE	GREENERY	BIKURIM	DISHES
DRESSED	RUTH	FIRST	BASKETS
CHEESE	TEN		COMMANDMENTS

Shavuot celebrates the harvest **season** in Israel.

There are four **seasons** in the year:

Spring Summer Autumn (Fall) Winter



January

1. I begin school in the _____.

February

2. We celebrate *Hanukah* in the _____.

April

3. It rains in the _____.

May

4. I go swimming in the sea in the _____.

June

5. We celebrate *Shavuot* in the _____.

July

6. It's cold and wet outside in the _____.

August

7. The days are very hot and sunny in _____

September

There are new flowers and new leaves on the trees in the _____.

October

8. We celebrate *Rosh Hashanah* in the _____.

November

10. We have vacation from school in _____.

March

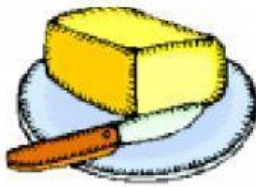
11. The leaves fall from the trees and it's cool outside in the _____.

December

12. We celebrate Passover in the _____.

On Shavuot we eat Dairy products or milk products

Match the words below to the correct pictures of the dairy / milk products we eat on Shavuot.



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|------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------|
| 1. pizza | 2. cheese | 3. butter | 4. hot cocoa | 5. milk |
| 6. yogurt | 7. strawberries and cream | 8. cheesecake | | |
| 9. chocolate and vanilla milkshake | | | | |