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2. What is the name of the light used to kindle the other Chanukah lights?

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3. How many days does Chanukah last?

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4. Name one food that is eaten especially on Chanukah?

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5. How long must the Chanukah candles burn?

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6. What is the name of the evil king in the story of Chanukah?

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7. The followers of Matityahu were called?

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8. What Mitzvos did the Greek forbid the Jews to do?

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1. Sing a Chanukah song!

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2. Pose like a Maccabee warrior!

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3. Count the candles on the menorah!

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4. Do a Maccabee march!

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5. Clap for how many nights of Chanukah there are!

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6. Take a Chanukah selfie on a phone and send to someone!

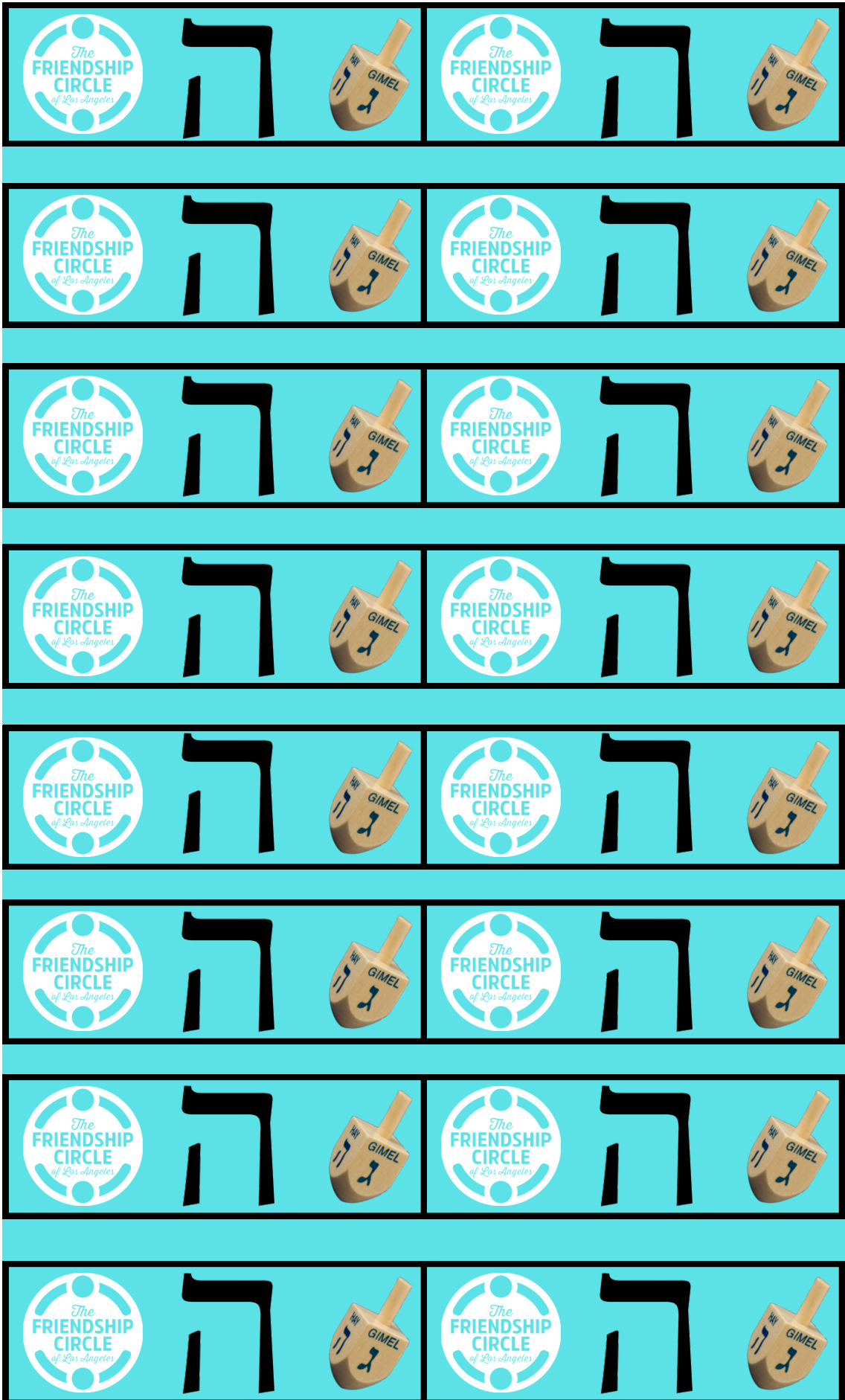
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7. Put some music and do family Chanukah dance!

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8. See if anyone in the family can spin the dreidel upside down!

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1. What is your family's favorite activity on Chanukah?

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2. What is your family's favorite Chanukah food?

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3. If someone in your family would get Chanukah PJ's who would it be?

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4. If you could have any vegetable in your latke, what vegetable would it be?

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5. Who would be the strongest Maccabee in your family?

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6. Who in your family eats the most donuts on Chanukah?

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7. What would be your dream Chanukah present?

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8. What's your favorite memory of last year's Chanukah?

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1. Why is the Torah so important?

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2. How can you be a Maccabee in your life?

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3. Imagine you lived in the time of Chanukkah – What would you do to help the Jewish nation?

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4. Name a way that we bring light into the world!

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5. What are the two miracles of Chanukah?

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6. What is the message of Chanukkah?

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7. Why do we light the menorah by the window?

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8. Why is it important to have public menorah lighting?

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# Answer Key

## **Nun – Knowledge – What do you know about the Chanukah story?**

1. Olive oil
2. Shamash
3. 8
4. Latke, donuts, dairy foods
5. 1/2 hour
6. Antiouchus
7. Maccabim
8. Shabbat, Rosh Chodesh, Brit Mila

## **Gimmel – Go – Action Question**

There are not right or wrong answers for these questions except for question 5 which is 8. Have fun!!!

## **Hey – Home – Getting to know your family!**

There are no right or wrong answers for these questions. Have fun!!!

## **Shin – Shaalot – Thinking questions on Chanukah!**

These are discussion questions. Here are some points that might come up or some points to consider:

1. What is the role of Torah in our lives? How does it guide us? Who gave us the Torah? What does it mean that the Torah is Divine?
2. What are the attributes of a Macabee? How do you stand strong with your values in the face of other people having different values?
3. There were different roles people had in helping the Jewish nation.
4. Light is about spreading joy and love and peace!
5. There was a miracle of oil and a miracle of the war - what do they signify?
6. What do we learn from the story of Chanukah? How does it help us today?
7. Some people light by the doorway, why do we light the menorah in a place visible from outside or at a place going to outside?
8. What do you feel when going to a public menorah lighting?

# Chanukah Family Game



## Players

Two or more + 1 “judge”



## Object of the game

To win the most question cards by answering questions about Chanukah.

## How to Play

The youngest player spins the dreidel. He then takes the top card from the pile of Questions Cards that has the same letter as his dreidel. He reads the question aloud and answers if he can. The “judge” holds the answer key and decides if the question was correctly answered. If it was, the player keeps the Question Card. If it wasn't answered correctly then any player can call out the answer. the first player to call out the correct answer gets to keep the Question Card. If no one knows the answer, the “judge” reads the answer, and the question card is put back on the bottom of the pile with the same Hebrew letter. The next player spins the dreidel. The game ends when all Question Cards have been used up. The player with the most Question Card wins the game.



*Have Fun  
Happy Hanukkah*

