

For use by the United Synagogue - Tiny Tots Service (Under 5's Roleplays).		Jul-04
Sedra	Sedra Story	Roleplay / Pictures for children
Bereishit	Hashem creates the world in 7 days - Day 1 - Heavens and Earth / night and day Day 2 Water and sky Day 3 Seas,plants and dry land Day 4 Sun,moon and stars Day 5 Fish,birds and insects Day 6 Man and bigger animals Day 7 Hashem rested on Shabbat. The children re-create the creation of time by Hashem with the pictures of the seven days of creation.	Pictures of heaven and earth, night and day, seas,plants and dry land,water and sky, sun,moon and stars, fishes,birds and insects, Man and bigger animals and a man resting in bed.
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Noah	The story of Noah and the flood is told to the children, concentrating on the animals going into the ark. The children recreate the story of Noah's ark - One person stands with a picture of the Ark. Others are given pictures of cows, sheep & pigs and they all march into the ark.	Pictures of the Ark, cows, sheep & pigs,
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Lech Lecha	Children recreate the story of Avram, Lot and Sarai's journey from Ur of the Chaldees to the Land of Canaan. One person stands up with a picture of the land of Canaan and the children are given pictures of Avram, Lot, Sarai, birds, camels, sheep and shepherds and they all walk to the land of Canaan.	5 pictures of Avram,5 of Lot, 5 of Sarai,5 of Birds, 5 of Camels, 5 of Sheep and 5 of Shepherds
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Vayera	The children recreate the visit of the 3 angels (Raphael, Gabriel and Michael) to Avraham and Sarah. It was a hot day, Avraham had just had his Brit Milah and was in pain but he still wanted to welcome guests. Hashem sent 3 angels to Avraham's tent with messages for Avraham and he offered them food , water and to wash their dusty feet.	5 pictures of Avraham, 5 pictures of Raphael visiting Avraham, 5 of Michael visiting Avraham and 5 pictures of Gabriel visiting Avraham + explanation sheets.
	Pictures of the 3 angels (Raphael, Gabriel and Michael), Abraham and an explanation sheet about the 3 angels	
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Chaya Sara	The children recreate the scene at the well. Avraham sends his servant Eliezer with Isaac to find him a wife. They ended up at a well and they say a young lady offering all the camels water, including Isaac's. Eliezer thought that any women who could be as hospitable as this will make a wonderful wife for Isaac. (Shelsholet - hesitation occurred) as Eliezer really wanted his own son to marry Rivka but still introduced Isaac to her and they ended up together.	5 pictures of Eliezer,5 of Isaac,5 of Rivka, 5 wells and 5 camels.
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Toldot	After 20 years of marriage without children, Isaac's prayers are answered and Rebecca conceives twins. Esau is born first and Jacob is holding onto his heel. Esau is very hairy. Esau is a hunter and Jacob is a scholar. Esau sold Jacob his birthright for a pot of lentils after a day out hunting. When Isaac is approaching the end of his days he summons Esau to give him his blessing but Jacob receives the blessing instead after having covered himself in a hairy suit. When Esau finds out he is very cross with Jacob, and Jacob is forced to leave to go and live with his Uncle Laban in Haran.	5 Pictures of Isaac, 5 of Rebecca, 5 of Jacob.
	The children recreate Jacob receiving the blessing from Isaac instead of Esau. Children are split into Isaacs, Rivkas, and Jacobs' and the story is re-created.	
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Vayetzei	The children are split into Jacobs', ladders, angels and stones and we recreate the dream. Jacob comes to Mount Moriah, after his 14 year stop-over at a Yeshiva, at the place where Isaac was brought as an offering. He lays down to sleep (12 stones used as a pillow - (12 tribes) form one big stone). He dreams that an enormous ladder is spanning heaven and earth and angels are climbing up and down the ladder.	5 pictures of Jacob, angels, ladders and stones.
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Vayishlach	Returning home, Jacob send angelic messengers to appease his brother Esau. The messengers return, telling Jacob that Esau is approaching with an army of 400 men. Jacob prays to Hashem for assistance and has presents for Esau ready of 200 she-goats, 20 he-goats, 200 ewes, 20 rams and some camels, bulls, cows and donkeys. Jacob was hopeful Esau would accept the gifts and they would be friends. Esau embraced Jacob and they cried as they had missed each other.	Pictures of Esau, Jacob and many animals including he-goats, she goats, ewes, rams,camels,bulls,cows and donkeys.
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Vayeshev / Chanucah	The children recreate the story of Chanucah with the pictures of pots of oil in the Temple.	Pictures of 8 Menorahs, 8 pots of oil and 8 Temples

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Miketz / Chanucah 8th day	The children recreate the story of the brothers coming to Egypt for food, the meeting with Joseph, Benjamin and the silver goblet in Benjamin's sack.	5 pictures of Benjamin, 5 Goblets and 5 Josephs
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Vayigash	Joseph's soldiers discover the goblet in Benjamin's sack and Yehuda alone offers himself as a slave instead of Benjamin. Joseph now realises that the brothers are different and reveals himself to them. After 22 years Joseph and Jacob are re-united. They embrace and Joseph presents Jacob and 5 brothers to Pharaoh and Jacob blesses Pharaoh. Joseph instructs that in return for grain all the people of Egypt must give themselves to Pharaoh as slaves. Children of Israel become settled and multiply. The children recreate Jacob and 5 sons being presented to Pharaoh.	5 pictures of Benjamin, 5 Pharaohs, 5 Josephs and 5 Jacobs
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Vayechi (and he lived)	After 17 years in Egypt, Jacob senses that his days were coming to an end and he summons Joseph. Joseph agrees to bury him in the cave of Machapela with Adam and Eve, Avraham and Sarah and Isaac and Rebecca. Jacob is blind and Joseph leads his sons (Menashe and Ephraim) towards him. Ephraim is blessed over Menashe (even though he was the younger) as Joshua would be descended from him. Jacob then blesses all his sons in their own way (many messages contained within) and Jacob passes away at the age of 147. Amazing funeral procession. Brothers concerned that Joseph would take revenge but of course he does not. Joseph lives out the rest of his years in Egypt and foretells prior to his passing that Hashem will redeem them from Egypt. Joseph was 110 when he passed away. The children recreate the blessing given by Jacob to Menashe and Ephraim and then to all of Jacobs' sons. Mentioning in the story that both Jacob and Joseph passed away.	5 pictures of Jacob and 5 of Joseph. Use pictures of Joseph and Jacob from Vayigash (11)
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Shemot	Pharaoh enslaves the Jews. All firstborn male Jews are ordered to be killed. Yocheved gives birth to Moshe and places him in a basket in the Nile. Pharaoh's daughter finds him and adopts him and Miriam (Moshe's older sister) offers to find a nursemaid for Moshe and finds Yocheved to raise him. The children recreate the story of Moses being found in the Nile by Pharaoh's daughter and being brought up by his real mother.	5 pictures of Pharaoh, 5 of Moses in Bulrushes, 5 of Miriam, 5 of Yocheved.
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Vaeira	The story of Pesach and 7 of the 10 plagues are listed in the sedra. For the children we recreate the frogs (2nd plague) and wild animals (4th plague).	Pictures of 2 of the first seven plagues (frogs and wild animals) + pictures of Pharaoh, Moses and Aaron.
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Bo	We talk to the children about the last 3 plagues focusing on darkness.	Pictures of Moshe, Aharon, Pharaoh and darkness.
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Beshalach	Children recreate the splitting of the red sea and manna falling from heaven.	Pictures of the splitting of the red sea and manna falling from heaven
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Yitro	Ten commandments - 1 Believe in Hashem 2. Do not worship other G-ds. 3. Do not use G-ds name in vain. 4. Observe Shabbat. 5. Honour your parents. 6 Do not murder. 7 Do not commit adultery. 8. Do not kidnap. 9. Do not testify falsely. 10. Do not covet. The children recreate the story of Moses going up to Mount Sinai to get the 10 commandments and then go through a children's version of the 10 commandments. (see Haazinu for details).	Pictures of Moses with the 10 commandments and of Mount Sinai. Slide of the 10 commandments for children.
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Mishpatim	The children discuss Kashrut with pictures of cows, sheep and pigs - split the children into groups, animal noises. Are you kosher (yes / no). Sing Uncle Moishe had a farm. Explain what kosher is and what it means.	21 sheets with 3 animals on each (names and pictures)
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Terumah / Purim	Sedra : Hashem commands Moshe to build a Mishkan and supplies him with detailed instructions. The Children of Israel are asked to contribute precious metals and stones, fabrics, skins, oil and spices. All of the utensils and vessels, as well as the construction of the Mishkan, are described in great detail.	Purim - Pictures of King Ahashverosh, Queen Esther, Mordechai and "boo boo" Haman

	Purim - Tell the children the story of Purim using the pictures to tell the story. Special emphasis on "boo boo" Haman lovely Queen Esther and Mordechai.	
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Tetzaveh	Hashem tells Moshe to organize the making of the priestly garments: A breastplate, an <i>ephod</i> , a robe, a checkered tunic, a turban, a sash, a forehead-plate, and linen trousers.	5 pictures of robes, 5 pictures of linen trousers.
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Ki Tisa	Half a shekel is collected from all the men over 20 years of age to count how many people there were. Bezalel (tribe of Judah) and Oholiab (tribe of Dan) are chosen to supervise every detail of maintaining the Mishkan. Moshe receives the Ten Commandments on Mount Sinai. Golden Calf made when Moshe's descent from Mount Sinai is delayed. When Moshe sees it, he smashes the tablets and destroys the golden calf. Moshe ascends the mountain to pray for forgiveness and Hashem accepts the prayers. Moshe is commanded by Hashem to make new tablets and Moshe descends from Mount Sinai with them.	5 pictures of a Golden calf, 5 pictures of Moshe, 5 pictures of the 10 commandments.
	The children recreate the story of Moses going up to Mount Sinai to get the 10 commandments, explain about the Golden Calf and then Moses going back up again for the second time.	
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Vayakhel / Pekudei	Moshe tells the children of Israel to keep Shabbat and requests donations. They receive gold, silver, precious stones, animal skins are yarns + incense and olive oil. When the Mishkan was complete a cloud descended on it and followed it by day, a pillar of fire followed the Mishkan by night. Recreate the scene of the portable Mishkan in the desert. Explain to the children about the Mishkan as a roleplay, bring in the clouds and the fire.	10 pictures of clouds, 10 pictures of fire
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Vayera (Pre Pesach)	Vayera - dealing with the laws of the priests and talking about various offerings. For the children we start with Pesach a week or so early. We talk about the plagues, the children sing the Ma Nishtanah and then we concentrate on the second plague (Frogs) and the 4th plague (Wild animals).	10 pictures of frogs, 10 pictures of wild animals
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Tsav (another pre-Pesach story)	Tsav - Further laws are explained. For the children we concentrate on Bedikat Chametz (the search for Chametz). On the night before Pesach we search for Chametz. We put a few pieces of bread around the house. We tie the bag with the feather and spoon and the chametz inside and put it somewhere where no-one can touch it.	5 pictures of candles, 5 pictures of feathers, 5 pictures of bread, 5 of wooden spoons and 5 of paper bags.
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Pesach	Pesach - explain the story of Pesach again on both days focusing on a different aspect on each. The Seder plate is explained with pictures and the 3 Matzot (Kohen, Levi and Yisrael), the Egg and shankbone representing sacrifices in the temple, bitter herbs for the bitter times, Charoset representing the mud used to make bricks and the salt water representing the tears and the parsley.	5 pictures of Egg, 5 of shankbones, 5 of bitter herbs, 5 of parsley, 5 of salt water, 5 of charoset
	2nd day - speak about the plagues again and focus on the frogs (2nd plague) and wild animals (4th plague) used the previous week.	Pictures of frogs and wild animals.
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Shemini (Pesach)	Pesach - singing the ma Nishtanah again and talking about counting the Omer (from the second night of Pesach). The Omer was a measure of Barley which was offered in the Temple on Pesach. One counts 49 nights (7 weeks) and the 50th day is Shavuot.	10 pictures of children singing and 10 pictures of barley.
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Pesach	Pesach stories and songs on both days. Using the same ideas as previous days.	Using the ideas from above or some new ideas on Pesach.
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Tazria / Metzora	Sedra taking about Brit Mila and the phenomenon of Tzaras (leprosy) - not really for children. On 5th Iyar is Yom Ha'azmaut - Israel's birthday. Talk to the children about Israel and lots of pictures of maps, flags, fruit, palm trees, falaffel.	Yom H'azmaut theme as on 5th Iyar. 5 pictures of Israel maps, 5 pictures of palm trees, 5 pictures of El Al planes, 5 pictures of falaffel, 5 pictures of Israel flags.
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Acharei Mos / Kedoshim	Many laws discussed in the sedras. For the children one of the laws discussed is being good to your neighbour and treat the people around you exactly how you want to be treated.	7 pictures of toys, 7 pictures of brothers and sisters hugging, 7 pictures of children sitting around a computer screen
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Emor	The Romans stopped the Jews putting up bonfires to announce the Rosh Chodesh. During the period of the Omer, this decree was rescinded - hence the bonfires. The bow and arrow allude to the initial Bar Kochba revolt which was successful during the Omer. The Jews used bows and arrows to defeat the Romans.	7 pictures of bonfires, 7 pictures of bows, 7 pictures of arrows.
	The children to act as bonfires and others as bows and arrows. The bonfires make a crackling sound with their hands mimicking flames. The bows bent over and the arrows stood up.	
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Behar / Bechukosai	The Torah does not permit the farming of the land every 7 years called Shemita. After every 7th Shemita there is a Yovel - Jubilee year with the sound of the Shofar on Yom Kippur. This was also a year for the land to lie fallow. Hashem provided a bumper crop in the year prior to a shemita and yovel years to sustain the people.	5 pictures of fields, 5 pictures of crops, 5 pictures of farmers, 5 pictures of wind, 5 pictures of rain
	The children recreate acting as farmers sowing different kinds of crops, whilst we explain about the Shemita.	
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Bamidbar	Hashem commands Moses to take a census of all men aged over 20, old enough for service. The count is just over 600,000. The Levites are counted separately as their service is unique as they will carry the Mishkan. The tribes of Israel, each with their banner are arranged around the Mishkan in 4 sections (North, South, East and West). Joseph is split into 2 tribes (as Levi is singled out) - Ephraim and Menashe - to make a total of 12 tribes.	Pictures of the 12 tribes (one of each) and of the Mishkan (1 picture)
	The children recreate the 12 tribes around the Mishkan in the desert.	Use pictures of 12 tribes for both Bamidbar (31) and Pinchas (39)
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Shavuot (days 1 and 2)	The Feast of the Weeks, is the Jewish holiday celebrating the harvest season in Israel. Shavuot, which means "weeks", refers to the timing of the festival which is held exactly 7 weeks after Passover. It also commemorates the anniversary of the giving of the Ten Commandments to Moses and the Israelites at Mount Sinai.	20 Pictures of the ten commandments and 20 pictures of Mount Sinai
	Day 1 - The children recreate Moshe getting the ten commandments from Hashem from Mount Sinai. Day 2 The children act out Yom Habikkurim and the seven fruits - Wheat / barley / dates / olives / pomegranites / figs / grapes	5 pictures each of the seven fruits / crops
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Nasso	The Mishkan is completed and the leaders of each tribe give communal gifts to help transport the Mishkan, as well as gifts of gold and silver. The children recreate the gifts being given by each tribe to help transport the Mishkan.	Pictures of the 12 tribes (one of each) and of the Mishkan (1 picture), 6 pictures of gold and 6 pictures of silver.
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Beha'aloscha	The pillar of cloud follows the Mishkan on its journey and tell the Jewish people when to travel and when to camp. Trumpets also signal travel plans, war and festivals. The pillar of fire hovers over the camp by night.	8 pictures of clouds, 8 pictures of fire, 8 pictures of trumpets
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Shelach Lecha	The children recreate the story of the spies. Moses tells Calev and Joshua (along with the other 10 spies) to seek out the Land of Israel. Calev and Joshua return with the enormous bunch of grapes and tell Moses how great the land of Israel is. The other 10 tell Moses how the land is filled with enormous fruit and giants and that they should stay in the wilderness.	7 pictures of grapes, 7 pictures of figs and 7 pictures of pomegranites. Use pictures of 7 fruits for Shelach Lecha (35), Ekev (43) and Ki Tavo (47).
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Korach	The children recreate the story of the 12 staffs / canes. There are pictures of 11 normal canes + flowers and almonds and make 1 "Aaron Cane" - Recount the story and give the children the "staffs" pictures.(they will be learning the names of the tribes as we go) - the one who is Aaron will get the staff picture with the buds and almonds.	11 pictures of normal canes and one special "aaron" cane with rosebuds and almonds
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Chukat	Chukat presents the the law of the red heifer and records the sin of Moshe and Aaron through the striking of the rock. The children re-create Moshe striking the rock instead of speaking to it, as instructed by hashem. As a result of this, Moshe and Aaron were forbidden by Hashem to enter Eretz Yisrael.	10 pictures of "the rock" and 10 pictures of Moshe
Balak	Balak, King of Moab hires the help of Bilaam, a wizard, to try and destroy the Jewish people. Hashem makes Bilaam bless the Jewish people rather than curse them and Balak goes away unhappy. On the way to his destination Bilaam struck his donkey 3 times as it did not do what he said. The donkey then spoke to Bilaam and said "why are you hitting me?" (a light tap will do for the purpose of the children). The children recreate the story of Balak, Bilaam and the donkey.	20 pictures of the donkey
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Pinchas	The children recreate the story of Moshe and Elazar who are told to count the Jewish people. The Torah lists the names of the families in each tribe. The total number of males eligible to serve in the army is 601,730. An adult is then designated as Joshua and he will be asked by Moshe to lead the Israelites into the promised land. In addition, the children are lined up in 2 rows, and the tribe and number called and the child jumps up in the air.	Pictures of Moshe and 12 tribes. Use pictures of 12 tribes for both Bamidbar (31) and Pinchas (39)
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Matot / Masei	The Torah names all 42 encampments of Bnei Yisrael on their 40-year journey from the Exodus to the crossing of the Jordan river into Eretz Yisrael. Hashem commands Bnei Yisrael to drive out the Canaanites from Eretz Yisrael and to demolish all their idols.	Pictures of Jaffa, Jerusalem, Jericho, Egypt, the wilderness and Israel (with the Journey on), 2 oranges and a map of the journey.
	The children recreate the journey from Egypt, through the wilderness into the promised land. Allocate 2 children as Egypt, 2 children as the wilderness, 2 children as Israel, then 2 as Jericho, 2 as Jaffa and 2 as Jerusalem. The child who is Moshe starts in Egypt and then visits all the children in order from Egypt, the wilderness, Mount Sinai (receive the 10 commandments) Israel, and then Jaffa, Jericho and Jerusalem. In Jaffa Moses can receive 2 Oranges, In Jericho we recount the story about the walls and in Jerusalem we tell the children that it was the ancient capital of Israel.	
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Devarim (pre Tisha Ba'av)	The children recreate the story of the destruction of the 2 Temples (First by the Babylonians in 586 BCE) and the second by the Romans in 70 CE. Roleplay - An adult will stand in the middle of 8 children. The adult will be holding a picture of the Temple. The children will be facing inwards towards the Temple holding a picture of "flames". The adult will then lower himself slowly and the flames will engulf the Temple. 7 other children will be holding pictures of Jerusalem, each one will have one of the Hebrew letters for Jerusalem on it. The children will run around the room (signifying the destruction of Jerusalem and the scattering of the peoples). When they have stopped we will put them back into order which will signify when the Temple will be rebuilt in the future when the Messiah comes and there will be peace in our time.	7 Jerusalem pictures, 1 temple picture, 8 flames pictures
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Va'etchanan	Line up the children in 2 rows of 10. Give 2 of them a commandment to hold. Commandments as follows: Go through each commandment and roleplay each idea	10 sheets each with a commandment listed and an associated picture
	1 Listen to your Mummy / Daddy and do what they say, 2 Have a nice rest on the Shabbat day, 3 Don't take your brothers and sisters toys away, 4 Girls help Mummy in the kitchen well before Shabbas comes in, 5 Boys wear their Tzitzit, 6 Share, 7 Boys do your Tefilah every day, 8 Be nice to your brothers and sisters, 9 Be nice to your friends, 10 Treat people with respect.	
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Ekev	The children recreate the story of Moses as he describes the Land of Israel of wheat, barley, grapes, figs, pomegranates, a land of oil-yielding olives and date-honey. Create 21 sheets (3 pictures of each). Line up the children and allocate each of them with a fruit and describe them fruit in detail and how lovely they are to eat. Link to Sedra theme.	21 sheets with 3 fruits on each (names and pictures). Use pictures of 7 fruits for Shelach Lecha (35), Ekev (43) and Ki Tavo (47).
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Re'eh	We talk about kashrut. Print animals from (Cows, sheep, pigs) - split the children into groups, animal noises, Are you kosher (yes / no). Sing Uncle Moishe had a farm. Explain what kosher is and what it means. (see Mishpatim) .	7 pictures of cows, 7 pictures of sheep and 7 pictures of pigs
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Shoftim	Explain to the children about Rosh Hashannah and why we sound the shofar, why we make the sounds, what they mean, how we make them - then the children can make the sounds themselves.	20 pictures of Shofars
	We will split the children into 3 groups whilst they are holding their paper shofars titled Tekiah, Shevarim and Teruah.	(Pre Rosh Hashannah story)
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KiTeitse	Explain to the children about the law of not taking the bird with the eggs. Negative commandment of not taking the mother bird with her eggs / chicks and the positive commandment of shooing away the mother bird. The reward will come that one will have a good and long life. We split the children into 2 groups one for the birds and the other for the eggs.	12 pictures of birds and 12 of eggs
Sedra	Sedra Story	Roleplay / Pictures for children
Ki Tavo	The children recreate the Temple offerings. 3 children are the Temple and 2/3 each are the 7 offerings. We describe how lovely they are to eat and then someone is the High Priest taking them to the Temple.	3 pictures of the Temple and 3 each of the 7 types of offerings (24 in total)
	Wheat / barley / grapes / figs / pomegranates / olives / dates	Use pictures of 7 fruits for Shelach Lecha (35), Ekev (43) and Ki Tavo (47).
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Nitzavim / Vayelech	Rosh Hashannah. Dipping the apple in the honey for a sweet new year. + songs + bees (repeat on 2nd day Rosh Hashannah). Split the children into groups, sing songs, make "buzzing noises" and talk about Rosh Hashannah in general.	15 pictures of bees, 15 pictures of honey, 15 pictures of apples
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Rosh Hashannah day 1	Explain about Rosh Hashannah and why we sound the shofar, why we make the sounds, what they mean, how we make them - then the children can make the sounds themselves.	20 pictures of Shofars
Same as Shoftim	We will split the children into 3 groups whilst they are holding their paper shofars titled Tekiah, Shevarim and Teruah.	
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Rosh Hashannah day 2	Dipping the apple in the honey for a sweet new year + songs + bees.	15 pictures of bees, 15 pictures of honey, 15 pictures of apples.
(same as above)	Split the children into groups, sing songs, make "buzzing noises" and talk about Rosh Hashannah in general.	
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Ha'azinu / Shabbat Shuvah	Line up the children in 2 rows of 10. Give 2 of them a commandment to hold. Commandments as follows: Go through each commandment and roleplay each idea. (See Va'etchanan for all details).	10 sheets each with a commandment listed and an associated picture
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Yom Kippur	The children recreate the story of Jonah in childrens' form. Jonah was told by Hashem to go to Nineveh as the Assyrians were being naughty and not respecting Hashem. Jonah went west and not east and took a boat. A violent storm occurred and Jonah (who was the cause of the storm was tossed out of the boat by the sailors). He then was eaten by a big fish (whale) and after 3 days he repented and was spat out on the shores of Nineveh and the people repented.	Role-play - 15 copies of whale pictures, junk boats, Jonah (being tossed from the boat) and waves
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Succot (1)	15 pictures of the Lulav, 15 picture of the Etrog, 15 pictures of the Myrtle and 15 pictures of the willow.	15 pictures of the Lulav, 15 picture of the Etrog, 15 pictures of the Myrtle and 15 pictures of the willow.
	The children recreate the story of Succot, talk about the olden times, talk about the traditions.	(it is Shabbat - if not use the real Arba'a Minim)
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Succot (2)	No role - play as such. Show the children how to shake the Lulav and Etrog in. 6 different ways. Up, down, forward, left, right and back.	5+ Lulavs and Etrogs
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Shemini Atzeret	We explain to the children about the need for wind and rain in Israel, explain about Tefilat Geshem and Mashiv Haruach Umorid Hageshem prayer in the Amidah until Pesach. Explain about Shemini Atzeret being a festival in its own right and not the 8th day of Succot. Prayer for rain - explain about wind and rain.	15 pictures of rain, 15 pictures of wind
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Simchat Torah	For Simchat Torah the children will be holding up the pictures of the Torah and walking round like to Hakafot. Explain to the children that Simchat Torah - rejoicing of the Torah is a happy occasion and that the Torah has finished being read and will start again from the beginning with Bereshit.	25 pictures of the Torah - carrying the Torahs around (like the Hakafot)