

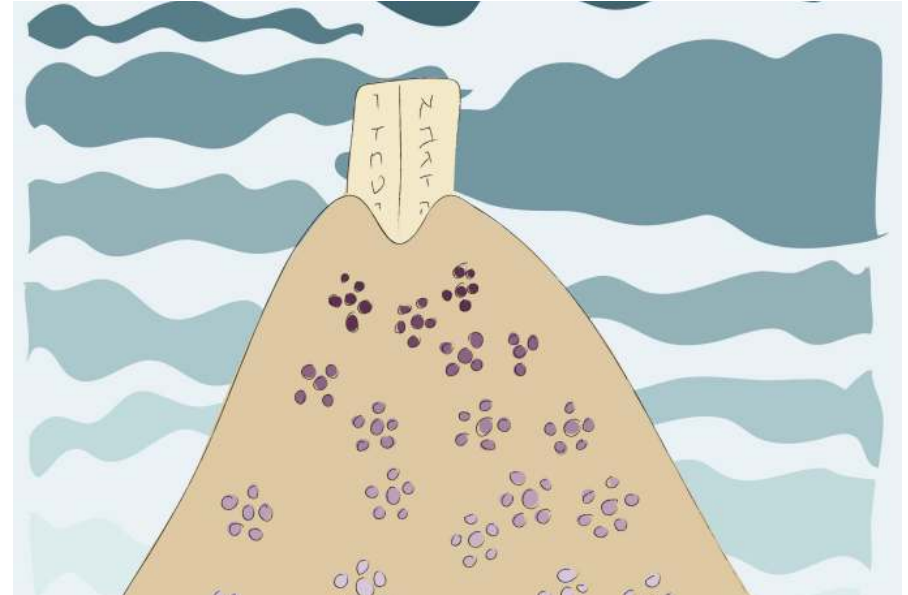


# What is Shavuot?

## A social story for Shavuot



Shavuot is a day  
when Jewish people  
celebrate receiving  
the 10  
Commandments.



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The 10  
Commandments  
were given to the  
Jewish people by  
G-d after we left  
Egypt. They have  
rules that help us  
lead good lives.



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On Shavuot, I can think about how important the 10 Commandments are to Jewish people.



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I can celebrate Shavuot by going to synagogue, praying, and listening to stories. We might also stay up late at night and eat foods with dairy.



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Shavuot is a very happy day. We might have parties or celebrations with treats and dancing. We might have parties at home or at the synagogue.



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If I don't feel like dancing or partying, I can celebrate Shavuot by reading books about Moses and the Israelites. I can also eat yummy treats like ice cream or cheesecake.



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Friends who can't eat  
dairy might have  
yummy vegan ice  
cream or cookies and  
cake instead!



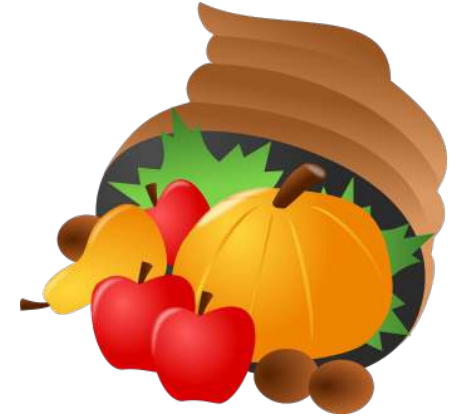
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Shavuot is also the time of year that we make sure to give thanks to G-d for the first of the summer harvests.

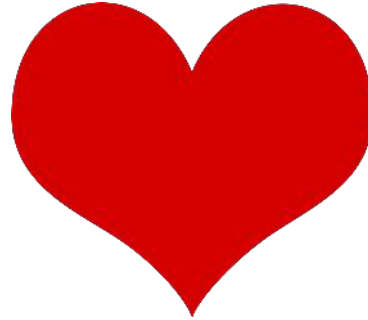
I can celebrate by eating fresh fruits and spending time in nature. I might even decorate my house with flowers and leaves!



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Shavuot is an important Jewish holiday. It reminds us of the history of our people and our relationship with G-d.



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