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1. On what day of the week were Bnai Yisrael not allowed to build the Mishkan? SHABAT
2. How many kinds of work were needed to build the Mishkan? 39
3. If the sentence is one of the 39 kinds of work, say yes. If not, say no.
 - **Baking and cooking. YES
 - **Honoring parents. NO
 - **Tying or untying a permanent knot. YES
 - **Being nice to pets. NO
 - **Tearing paper. YES
 - **Hitting someone. NO
 - **Lighting a fire. YES
 - **Playing with a computer. No
 - **Carrying from inside a building to outside. YES
 - **Watching TV. NO
 - **Erasing. YES
 - **Tying your shoes. NO
 - **Building a building. YES
 - **Playing with Legos. NO
 - **Putting out a fire. YES
 - **Walking to the *beit hakneset* (synagogue) on *Shabat*. No
 - **Tearing down a building. YES
4. If a Jew did any one of the 39 kinds of work after being told by two people not to do it, what could have been his punishment in the time of the Bait Hamikdash? DEATH BY THE JEWISH COURT
5. If a Jew did one of the 39 kinds of work by accident, what could his punishment have been in the time of the Bait Hamikdash? HE HAD TO BRING A CERTAIN SACRIFICE
6. How do Jews today celebrate Shabat? BY NOT DOING ANY OF THE 39 KINDS OF WORK NECESSARY TO BUILD OR TAKE DOWN THE MISHKAN
7. Moshe asked Bnai Yisrael to give things to build the Mishkan. Did Moshe force Jews to give things? NO
8. Was the *airev rav* allowed to give or collect things to build the Mishkan? GIVE
9. Did the Jews like to give things to build the Mishkan? YES
10. They gave so much that the people who collected had to tell them to stop giving after how many days? TWO
11. By giving things to build the Mishkan, the Bnai Yisrael show they were sorry for building the GOLDEN CALF
12. The leaders of the Tribes didn't give things like the other Jews. They decided to wait and give whatever the other Jews didn't give. Was that good or bad and why? BAD, BECAUSE THEY SHOULD HAVE GIVEN JUST LIKE THE OTHER JEWS

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13. **EXTRA CREDIT:** What did the leaders give in the end? DIAMONDS FOR THE CHOSHEN AND EFOD, AS WELL AS SPICES AND OLIVE OIL

14. Where did the leaders get diamonds in a desert? THEY CAME WITH THEIR MANN

15. **EXTRA CREDIT:** Who was in charge of building the Mishkan and what was his helper's name? BETZALEL AND AHOLIAV

16. According to some rabbis, what did Betzalel build all by himself? THE ARON

17. Right before the first Bait Hamikdash was destroyed, where did King Yoshiyahu hide the aron? UNDER THE BAIT HAMIKDASH

18. When will we see it again? WHEN MASHIACH COMES

19. Moshe invited men and women to make things for the Mishkan. Who made sure no mistakes were made in the things being made? MOSHE

20. Who gave special wisdom to Bnai Yisrael who wanted to help make the things? HASHEM