

**P7/6 Week of 15.02.21**

*We are continuing to follow our planned Religious and Moral Education Programme. This term P7/6's RME topic is Purim.*

## **Lesson 4: Celebration of Purim**

### **Significance of Purim in the synagogue and the importance of the scroll**

For Jews Purim is a special and joyous occasion. In the synagogue the reading of the Megillah or scroll is central and there is a pantomime atmosphere with hissing, booing and stamping of feet every time Haman's name is mentioned.

Watch this clip and make a Purim Greggar.

[https://www.chabad.org/kids/article\\_cdo/aid/3439851/jewish/Make-a-Purim-Grogger.htm?qclid=CjwKCAiAgJWABhArEiwAmNVTB-fAWgUKEi0yb3O8lVwC3i1fR3pXuTz0jGPoDtrPudK0USCZsIQazBoCqa8QAvD\\_BwE](https://www.chabad.org/kids/article_cdo/aid/3439851/jewish/Make-a-Purim-Grogger.htm?qclid=CjwKCAiAgJWABhArEiwAmNVTB-fAWgUKEi0yb3O8lVwC3i1fR3pXuTz0jGPoDtrPudK0USCZsIQazBoCqa8QAvD_BwE)

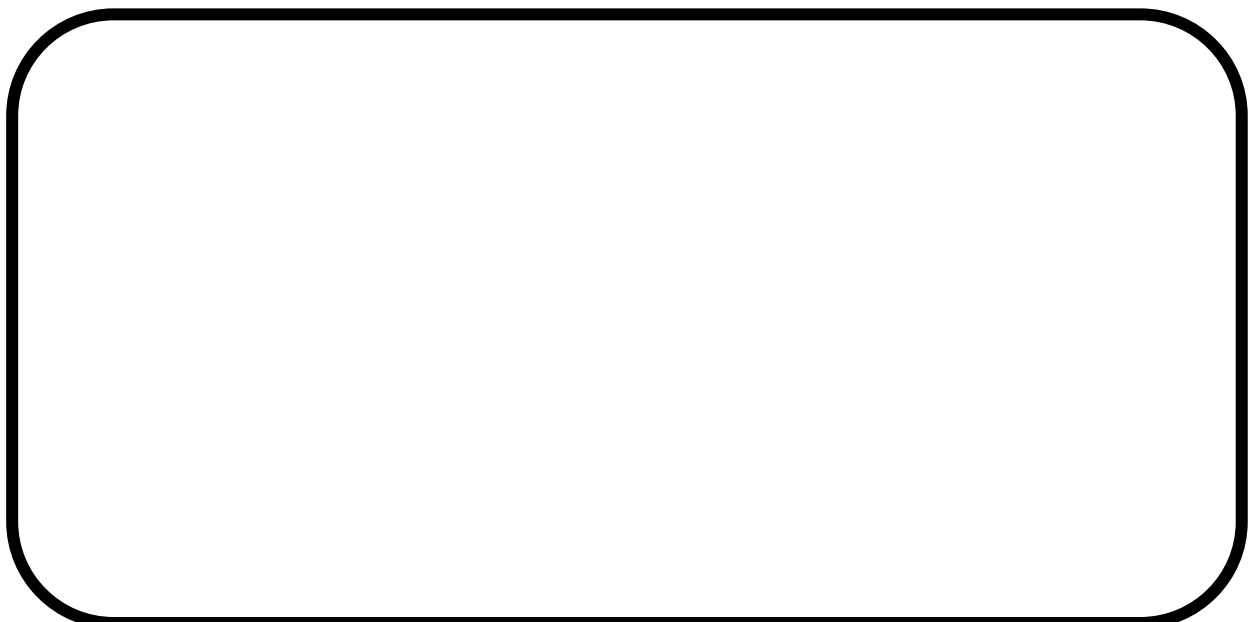
The day before Purim is a fast day.

What is fasting?

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Write or draw what would you find difficult to give up?



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Part of the celebration is giving gifts to the poor in society.

Make a list of all the charities you know.

What sort of help does a charity provide?

Charity Name	What this charity does

Make persuasive posters to assist fundraising for a chosen charity.