

How we light the menorah



- 1 Put the menorah by a window or the door, so everyone outside can see the lights.
- 2 Set the candles from right to left: night 1 on the far right, adding one more to its left each night.
- 3 Light the shamash first.
- 4 Say the brachos: three on the first night, two on every other night.
- 5 Light the newest candle (on the left) first, then move to the right.
- 6 Sing Haneiros Halalu and Maoz Tzur.
- 7 Let the lights burn at least half an hour after nightfall, and don't use their light for anything.

On Friday, light the menorah before the Shabbos candles, with candles big enough to last.
Customs differ: follow your family's minhag.