

Precious Possessions

NOTEBOOK PAGE

Materials:

- Cardstock - white
- Cotton fabric - white 12" x 12" piece (cut into (4) 4"W x 3"L rectangles)
- Yarn - tan or light brown
- Craft paint - brown
- Rubbing alcohol in spray bottle
- Ruler
- Felt or permanent markers - blue, purple, red, brown
- Double-sided tape
- Glue
- Scissors
- Optional: craft cutting board and rolling cutter for fabric, hair dryer to speed process of drying fabric
- Notebook Template: Main Page

Parent/Teacher Preparation:

- Print Notebook Main Page on cardstock.

Instructions for the Notebook Page:

- Cut the white cotton fabric into (4) 4"L x 3"W rectangle pieces. (P1a, P1b, P1c)

Woven Fabric

- Using a ruler and blue, purple and red fabric or permanent markers, make straight lines on one of the fabric pieces. (P2a, P2b)
- Spray the alcohol on the drawn areas of the handkerchief a little at a time - do not saturate the cloth. A blending action will begin to take place. (P3)
- Set aside to dry. If needed, use a hair dryer to dry the fabric.

Coverings for the Mishkan

Exodus 26:1-14; 36:8-19



P1a



P1b



P1c



P2a



P2b



P3

Instructions for the Notebook Page Cont'd:

Goat Hair

- Cut (8) 6" pieces of yarn - fold in half.
- Apply glue to the top of the 2nd white fabric piece and place the folded ends of the yarn over the glue. (P4a, P4b)
- Allow the glue to dry; then untwist the strands to create the look of goat hair. (P5a, P5b)
- Set aside.



P4a



P4b



P5a



P5b

Ram Skin Dyed Red

- Using a red felt or permanent marker, color the 3rd fabric piece completely.
- Spray the colored piece with rubbing alcohol to soften and bleed the color. (P6)
- Set aside to dry. If needed, use a hair dryer to dry the fabric.
- When dry you should have shading of reds. (P7)



P6



P7

Fine Leather

- Add brown paint to a bowl of water and make to desired color. This will be the dye for the final fabric piece.
- Dip the 4th cotton fabric piece into the diluted paint to dye the fabric. (You can also use an already colored fabric piece if desired and skip this step.) (P8)
- Set fabric piece aside to dry. You can also use a hair dryer to speed up the process.
- Once dry, draw spots on the fabric using brown felt or permanent marker to create the look of cow hide. (P9)
- Spray the whole piece with rubbing alcohol to soften and blend the spots. (P10)
- Set aside to dry. If needed, use a hair dryer to dry the fabric. (P11)



P8



P9



P10



P11

Instructions for the Notebook Page Cont'd:

Attaching to Main Page

- Starting at the 3rd covering rectangle, run a strip of double-sided tape under the bottom line. (P12)
- Adhere the 'leather' piece over the 4th covering rectangle. (P13)
- Run double-sided tape under the 2nd covering rectangle. (P14)
- Adhere the 'ram skin' piece over the 3rd covering rectangle. (P15)
- Run double-sided tape under the 1st covering rectangle. (P16)
- Adhere the 'goat hair' piece over the 2nd covering rectangle. (P17)
- Run double-sided tape above the 1st covering rectangle. (P18)
- Adhere the 'woven fabric' piece over the 1st covering rectangle. (P19)
- Each covering is now finished. (P19)



P12



P13



P14



P15



P16



P19



P17



P18

Hebrew Words

- Write the following directly on the Main Page or on a piece of colored cardstock:
 - 1) Yeriot 2) יריעת 3) Curtains (P20)
 - 1) Techelet 2) תכלת 3) Blue (P21)
 - 1) Argaman 2) ארגמן 3) Purple (P22)
 - 1) Shani 2) שני 3) Scarlet (P23)



P20



P21



P22



P23

You now have a visual representation of the 4 coverings that went over the Dwelling Place.