

Precious Possessions

NOTEBOOK PAGE

Materials:

- Cardstock - white
- Felt - color of choice (for Main Page)
- Soft felt - white (full sheet)
- Stiff felt - white
- Double-sided tape
- Double-sided adhesive tape
- Permanent markers - red, blue, purple
- Alcohol spray (to blend the marker colors on the white felt)
- Ruler
- Gold sandwich ties (2)
- Glitter glue - gold (for bells on robe)
- Decorative tiny balls - red (for pomegranates on robe)
- Gems - 12 different colors (for breastplate) & 2 black (shoham stones for 2 shoulder pieces)
- Tweezers (for assistance in placement)
- Thin string - blue (for turban)
- Medium string - red, blue, purple (for sash)
- Yarn - blue (for breastplate)
- Hook & loop *Velcro* dots - small, medium, large
- Glue
- Hot glue
- Scissors
- Pen - black (for drawing folds in turban)
- Notebook Templates: Aharon & A (BW) or Aharon & B (color)

Parent/Teacher Preparation:

- Print Notebook Templates of choice on white cardstock.

Instructions for the Notebook Page:

- Cut out all Template pieces. (P1)
- Using red, blue, purple permanent markers and a ruler, make rows of straight lines on a full sheet of soft white felt. (P2)
- Spray alcohol on the markers to create blending. Start off lightly and add more as needed. (P3)
- Set felt piece aside to dry. (P4)

High Priest Garments

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Instructions for the Notebook Page cont'd:

Embellishing the Hem on the Blue Robe

- Using gold glitter glue, add dimension to the hem of Aharon's robe where the bells are. (P5)
- Apply glue on the pomegranates of Aharon's robe and place the red decorative balls on the glue using tweezers to assist in placement. (P6a, P6b)
- Set aside to dry.



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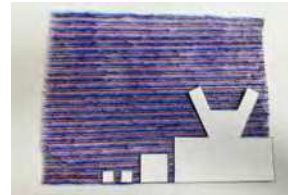
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Creating the Felt Garment Pieces

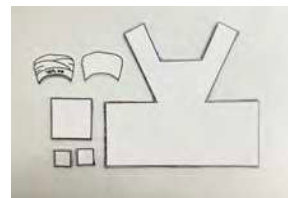
- First of all, set aside the gold breastplate square and gold plate.
- Using double-sided tape, adhere the cardstock ephod, white breastplate square, and 2 shoulder pieces templates to the red, blue and purple felt. (P7)
- Using double-sided tape, adhere the front and back cardstock turban templates to stiff white felt. (P8)
- Cut out all Template pieces. (P9)
- Remove cardstock templates from felt pieces. Keep the front turban template to assist in drawing. (P10)



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Shoulder Garment

- Place a medium *Velcro* dot 'hook side' on the back of Aharon's head and the bottom of his robe. (P11)
- Place a small *Velcro* dot 'hook side' on the front of both of Aharon's shoulders. (P12)
- You are now ready to start assembling the shoulder garment.
- Cut a medium *Velcro* dot 'hook side' in half and place both half circles on one side of the shoulder garment at the waist area on the front of the felt. (P13)
- Lay the shoulder garment behind Aharon and fold the fabric over his shoulders onto the *Velcro* dots. (P14a, P14b)
- Wrap the shoulder garment onto the *Velcro* dots at the waist. (P15)
- Aharon's shoulder garment is now complete. (P16)



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P14a



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Instructions for the Notebook Page cont'd:

Breastplate

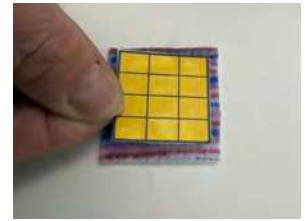
- Adhere a large *Velcro* dot 'hook side' to the back of the felt breastplate. (P17)
- Run double-sided adhesive tape on the back of the cardstock breastplate and place on the front of the felt breastplate. (P18a, P18b)
- Place a drop of glue in all the squares one row at a time and lay your 12 different colored gems in each square, using tweezers if needed for assistance in placement. (P19a, P19b)
- Allow to dry. (P20)
- Cut 2 pieces of blue yarn about 5" long. You can always trim them if you make them longer. (P21)
- On the back of the felt breastplate, apply a drop of hot glue at both ends at the bottom—then lay the 2 blue strands of yarn on the glue. (P22a, P22b)
- Aharon's breastplate now has the 2 blue cords connected at the bottom. (P23a, P23b)



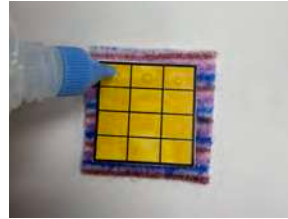
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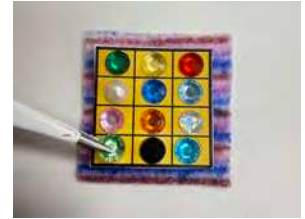
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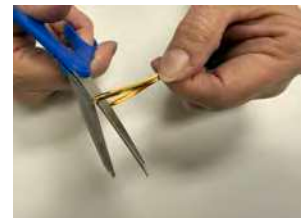
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2 Shoulder Pieces

- Cut 1 gold sandwich tie in half. (P24)
- On the back of the 2 felt shoulder pieces do the following: (P25a, P25b)
 - lay the 2 gold ties vertically and centered equally top and bottom
 - place a small *Velcro* dot 'hook side' onto the felt to connect them
- Your 2 shoulder pieces now have their 'gold chains' and are ready to add the black shoham stones. (P26)
- On the front of the 2 felt shoulder pieces, apply a drop of hot glue and lay the 2 black shoham stones onto the glue. (P27a, P27b)



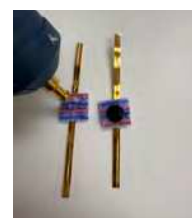
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P27a



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Instructions for the Notebook Page cont'd:

Connecting the 2 Shoulder Pieces to the Breastplate

- On the back of the felt breastplate, apply a drop of hot glue at both ends at the top— then lay the 2 shoulder pieces 'gold chains' on the glue making sure that the felt pieces with the shoham stones are at the top and facing away from you. (P28a, P28b)
- Aharon's breastplate is now ready to be placed on him. (P29)
- Place breastplate on Aharon by bending the gold ties over his shoulders and tying the blue yarn in the back. (P30a, P30b)
- Aharon's breastplate is now complete. (P31)



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P30a



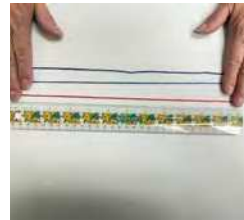
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Sash

- Cut one medium red, blue, and purple string about 12" each. (P32)
- Beginning at one end, make a few knots close to the end. (P33)
- Now, braid the 3 strands about $\frac{3}{4}$ down to the other end. (P34)
- Make a few knots on the other end of the braid close to the end. (P35)
- Your sash is now finished. (P36)
- Tie the sash around Aharon's waist. (P37)



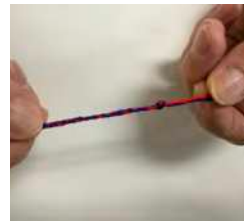
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Turban and Gold Plate

- Using gold glitter glue, add dimension to the cardstock gold plate template. (P38)
- Allow to dry.
- Using a black pen, draw fold lines on the front felt turban piece as shown in the cardstock template. (P39)
- Cut 2 thin blue strings about 3" long. (P40)
- Run double-sided adhesive tape along the edges on the front side of the felt back turban. (P41)
- Place the front felt turban piece over the adhesive to connect the front and back turban pieces so that the turban can slide over Aharon's head. (P42)
- Lay the 2 thin blue strings on the front and sides of the turban. (P43)



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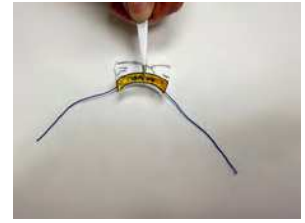
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Instructions for the Notebook Page cont'd:

- Run double-sided adhesive tape on the back of the cardstock gold plate and place over the strings, using tweezers if needed for assistance in placement. (P44a, P44b)
- Aharon's turban is now ready to be placed on him. (P45)
- Slide the turban over Aharon's head and tie the strings in the back. (P46a, P46b)
- Aharon is now fully dressed in his set-apart garments. (P47)



P44a



P44b



P45



P46a



P46b

Adding the Set-apart Garments to the Felt Main Page

- * Please note that we have included our pictures with the Hebrew Words already next to the clothing pieces so that you can have a visual of how we laid it out.
- Undress Aharon and adhere 2 medium *Velcro* dots 'loop side' to the 'hook side' on the back of Aharon's head and the bottom of his robe. (P48a, P48b)
- Place Aharon on one side of a full sheet of felt color of choice. (P49)
- When you remove Aharon the 'loop side' should remain on the felt so that you can easily remove or add him to the felt page. (P50)
- You can make a bar to hold the sash by cutting a piece of felt about 2" long x 1/2 " wide. (P51a, P51b)
- Attach the felt bar to the Main Page by placing 2 small *Velcro* dots 'hook side' on the Main Page at both ends of the felt bar. (P52a, P52b)



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P48a



P48b



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P51a



P51b



P52a



P52b

Instructions for the Notebook Page cont'd:

- Hang the sash from the bar. (P53)
- Place a small *Velcro* dot 'hook side' on the Main Page to the right of the felt bar and place the turban on the *Velcro* dot. (P54a, P54b)
- Place the breastplate on the Main Page below the sash and turban. It should secure to the page as is because it already has a *Velcro* dot 'hook side' on the back of it. (P55)
- Lastly, place a large *Velcro* dot 'hook side' below the breastplate and place the shoulder garment on the *Velcro* dot. (P56a, P56b)



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P54a



P54b



P55



P56a



P56b

Hebrew Words

- Write the following on a piece of white cardstock and place on the Main Page next to the clothing pieces:
 - 1) **Avnet**
 - 2) **אבנט**
 - 3) **Girdle** (P57)
 - 1) **Mitznefet**
 - 2) **מצנפת**
 - 3) **Turban** (P58)
 - 1) **Choshen**
 - 2) **חשן**
 - 3) **Breastplate** (P59)
 - 1) **Meil**
 - 2) **מעיל**
 - 3) **Robe** (P60)
 - 1) **Ephod**
 - 2) **אפוד**
 - 3) **Shoulder Garment** (P61)
 - 1) **Ketonet**
 - 2) **כתנת**
 - 3) **Long Shirt/Tunic** (P62)
 - 1) **Kohen**
 - 2) **כהן**
 - 3) **Priest** (P63)



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You now have a visual representation of Aharon's set-apart garments that he was commanded to wear in serving the priesthood.