

Where Do Foods Come From?

Introduction to Brachos

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Grade Level: Early Childhood, Elementary

Description:

When your students make brachos on foods, do they know what “fruit of the earth” actually means? And in what way is bread “brought out of the land?” These vivid pictures will clearly illustrate the origin of each food that we eat and hence explain the words of each bracha. Photos illustrate the various stages of growth for fruits, vegetables, and grains, and also depict foods from the hamotzi, hagafen, and shehakol groups. Additionally, there is a supplementary section that illustrates the production of shmura matzah from start to finish. Print the pictures and bind them to create a book that will enhance our appreciation for all the foods we eat.

What to Download:

- Download the print-ready PDF file (includes lesson plan/instructions).
- OPTIONAL: Download the zipfile for the editable Publisher files (does not include lesson plan/ instructions).

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Goals/Objectives:

Students will visualize the origins of various foods and will pronounce brachos with greater appreciation.

Materials Needed:

- Attached file
- Coil for binding
- OPTIONAL: laminating machine

Instructions:

1. Print the pictures.
2. OPTIONAL: Laminate.
3. Bind.
4. Use the book when teaching about brachos.

Additional Tips:

Put the book in a center and allow children to look at it and discuss it. Allow the children to look at the book while eating snack.

Varations:

Take the children on a trip to a farm to really visualize the growth stages of fruits and vegetables!

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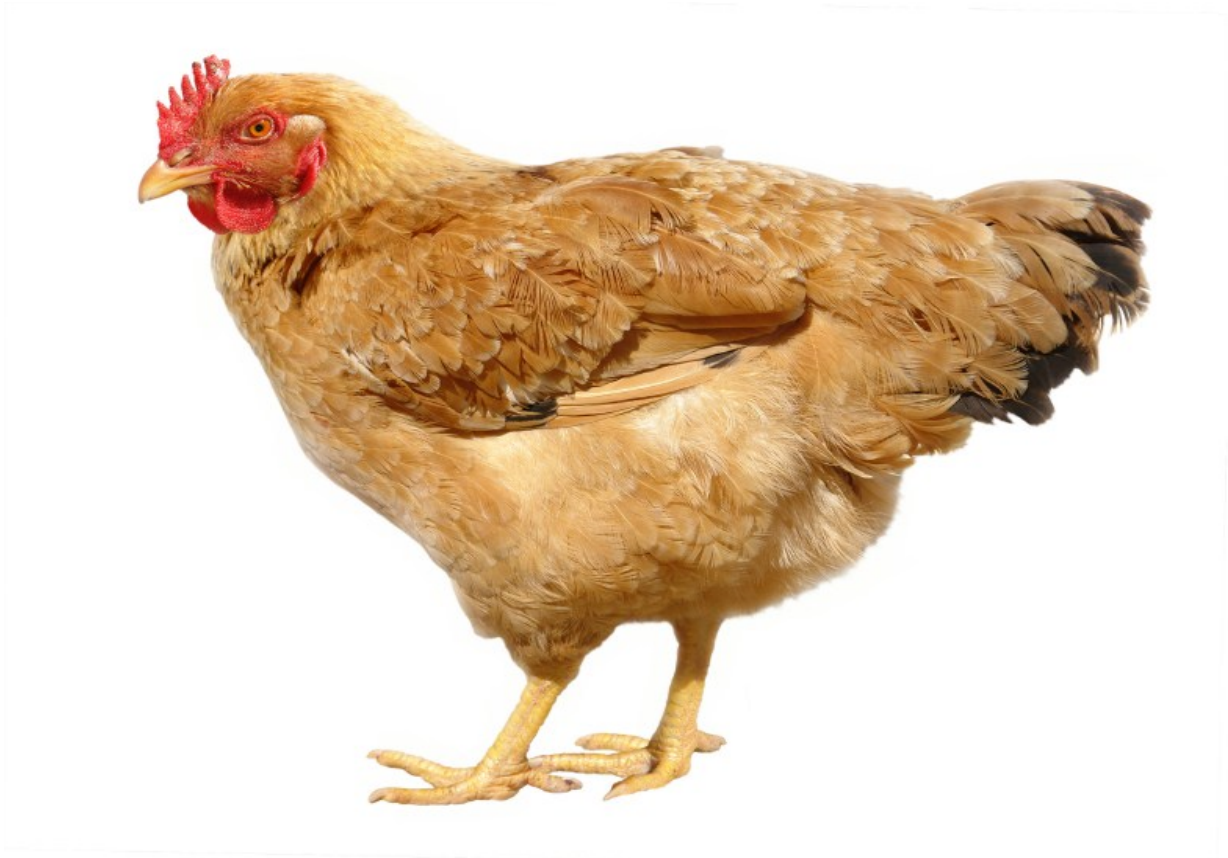
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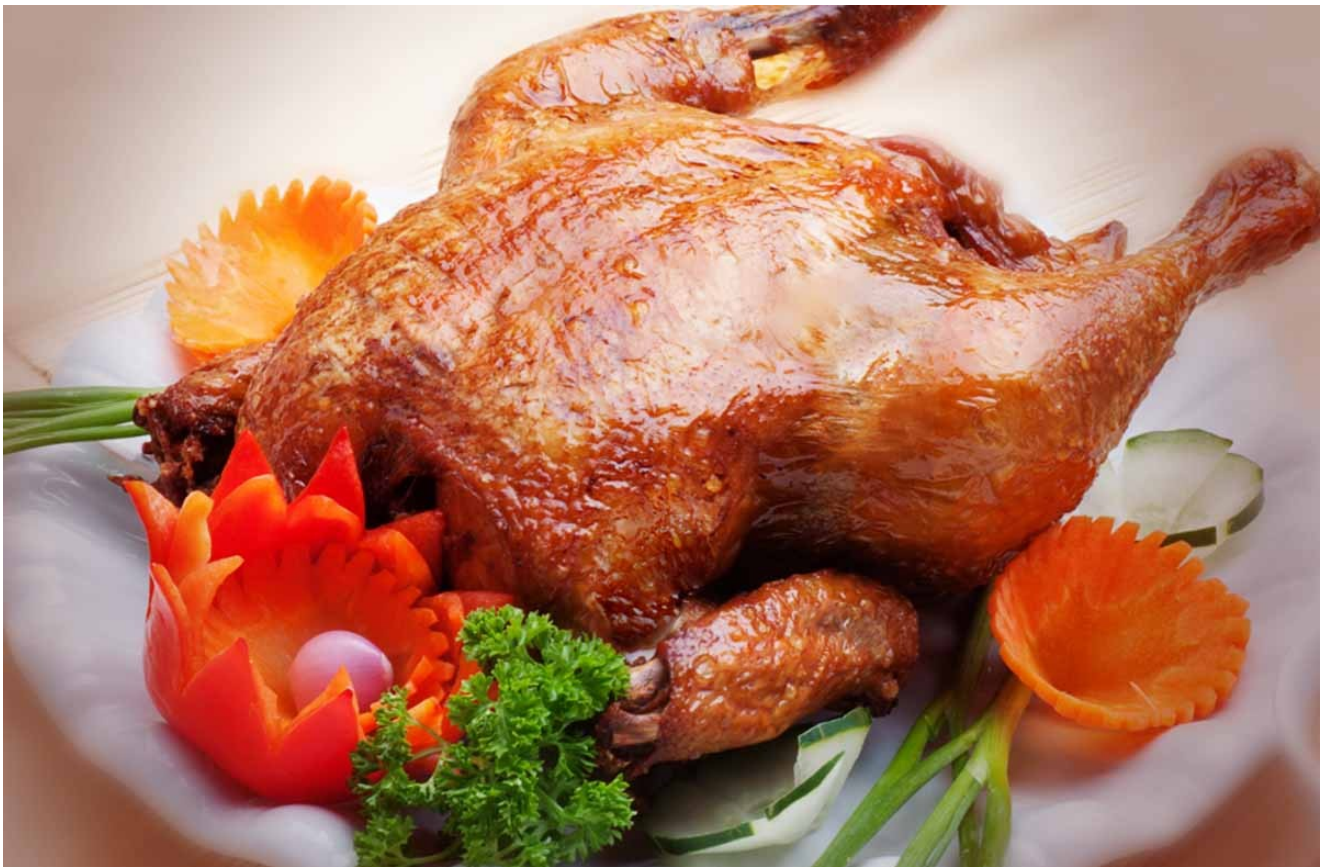










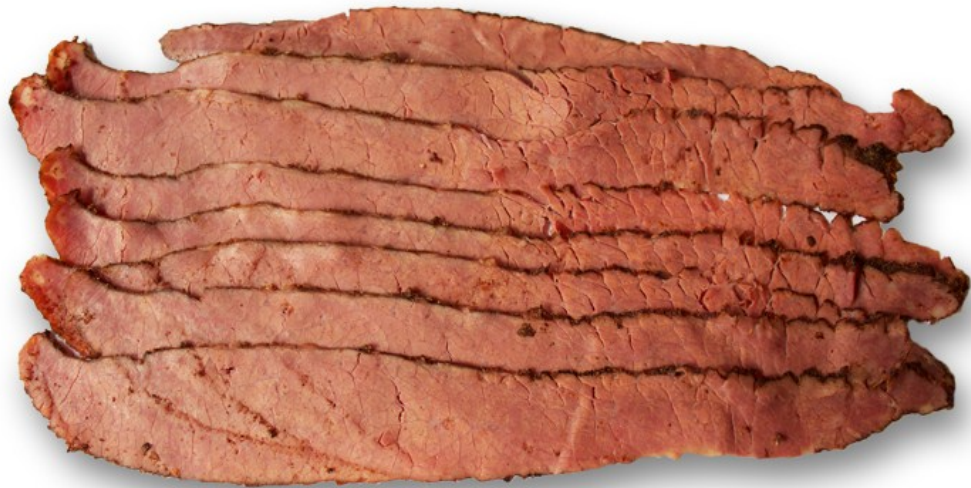








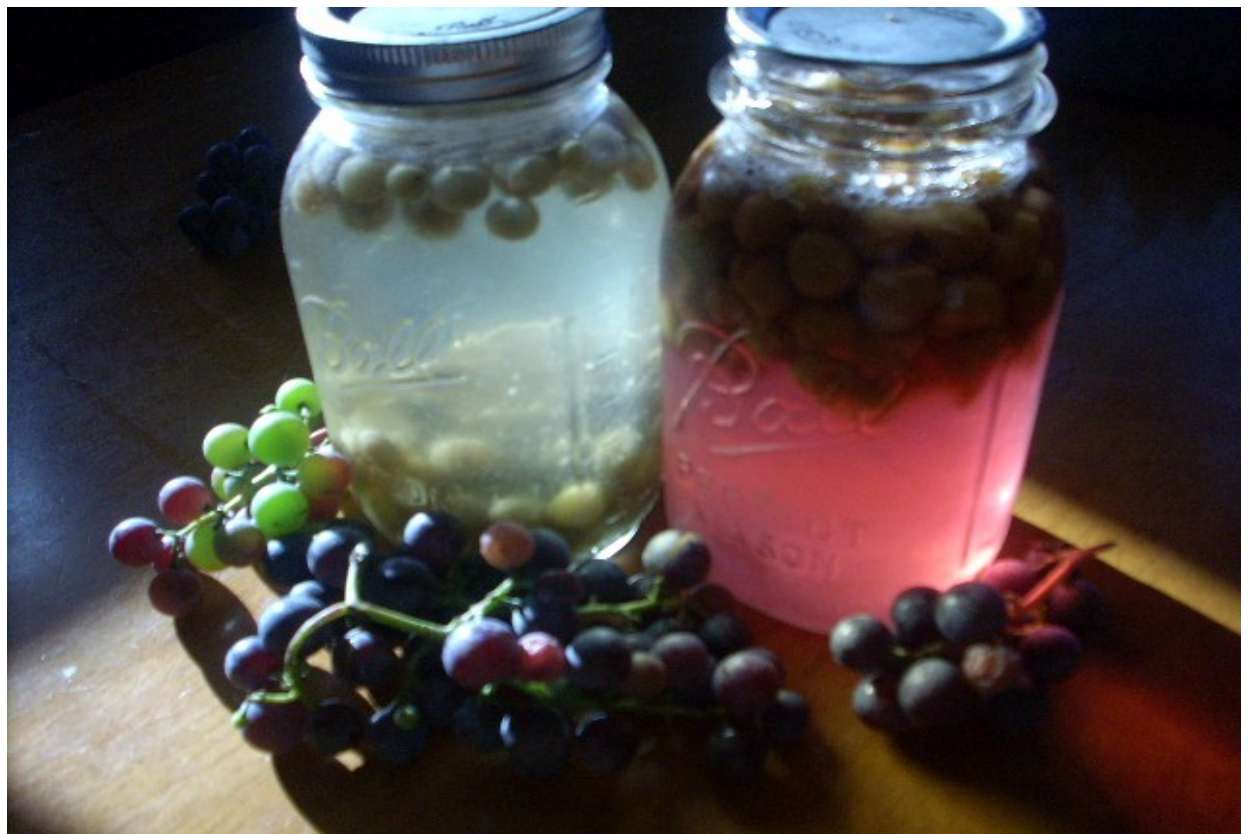




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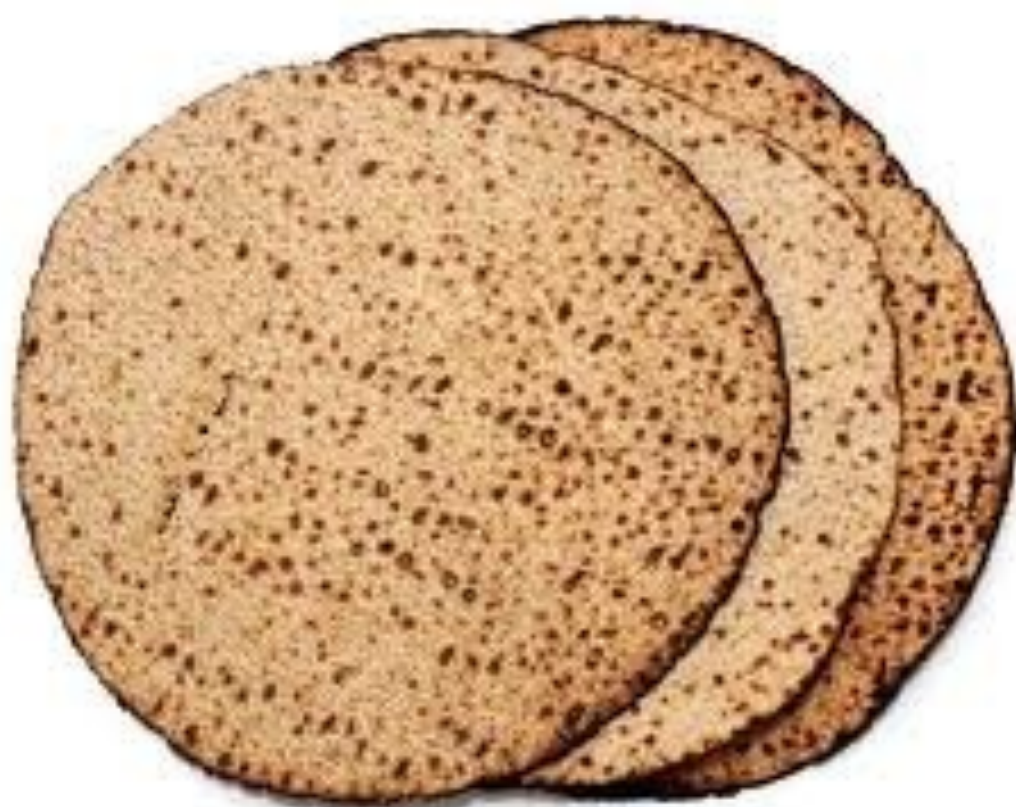


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