

# Seder Shopping List 2021

*Quantities are for one seder. If you are doing two seders, you will likely need to purchase more.*

## **Matzah**

3 Whole Pieces per Seder Plate + 1 Piece per Guest

## **Seder Plate**

#Basic: Any Large Plate

#Great: Fancy Seder Plate; One (Paper) Plate Per Person

#Upgrade: [Decorative, Plastic Plate per Guest](#)

## **Matzah Covers/Afikoman Bags**

#Basic: Any Napkin or Paper Towel

#Great: Handmade or Hand-decorated cover

#Upgrade: Purchase Special Matzah Bag w/ 3 compartments

## **Wine and/or Grape Juice**

Enough wine for four cups per person, plus enough to fill Elijah's cup

#Basic: Box; Manischewitz/Magen David

#Great: Bottles

#Upgrade: Israeli and/or #SupportLocal Wines

## **Miriam's Cup and/or Elijah's Cup**

#Basic: Red Solo Cups

#Great: Wine Glasses

#Upgrade: Specific Miriam's Cup and Elijah's Cup

## **Karpas Vegetable (Usually Parsley or Celery, but other customs exist)**

One Sprig/Piece per Person

## **Salt Water for Karpas**

#ProTip: Multiple small bowls are easier to pass and less prone to a making a mess

## **Zeroah (Roasted Shank Bone)**

1 For Main Seder Plate (ask the butcher/meat counter)

#VegetarianUpgrade: Use a roasted beet

#ProTip: You can freeze your Shank Bone in a Ziploc bag and reuse it next year.

## **Beitza (Egg)**

1 For Main Seder Plate (typically roasted)

#Basic: Hardboiled Egg

#Great: Roasted Egg

#VeganUpgrade: Spring Flower

## **Maror (Bitter Herbs)**

#Basic: Prepared Red Horseradish (preserved in Beets)

#Great: Prepared White Horseradish (preserved in Vinegar)

#Upgrade: Hand Grated, Fresh Horseradish

## **Hazeret ([The Other] Bitter Herb - found on some seder plates)**

#Basic: Romaine Lettuce

#Great: Arugula

#Upgrade: Endive

## **Charoset**

#Basic: One Charoset Recipe

#Great: Two Charoset Recipes

#Upgrade: Charoset Tasting of 3+ Recipes

## **Holiday Candles (At Least 2)**

#Basic: Two Tea Lights

#Great: Use Candlesticks; Add One Candle per Guest

#Upgrade: Do Havdalah at the first seder with a Havdalah set or makeshift one.

## **Seder Plate #Upgrade:**

Many people love to add modern additions to their seder table and/or plate. These new rituals can bring marginalized groups to the foreground, acknowledge social justice issues in our world, and more. At our Temple Beth-El Community Seder and Women's Seder, we will include the following, which you can choose to add to your seder plate as well:

- Orange
- Fair-Trade Chocolate
- Potato
- Banana
- Cashews

If you are interested in learning more about these before our seder, see <https://reformjudaism.org/modern-additions-seder-plate>.

## **Seder Plate #ProTip:**

If you are unable to get any of the above items, you can create your own creative seder plate with things found in your home! Check out the [Creative Seder Plate](#) compiled by Rabbi Yergin.

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