

WORLD RELIGION

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WS: Talmud Handout

What is the purpose of **Oral Law**?

The **Oral Law** was not meant to be written down, it was to be fluid"...Why?

What role did the **Sanhedrin** play in **Oral Law**?

What was **Rabbi HaNasi's** writing down of the **Oral Law** called?

List 3 factors that caused Rabbi's to feel the **Mishnah** needed greater explanation:

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What was the *agadata*?

Describe the Jewish teaching of an "eye for an eye?"

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What is your best explanation as to what the Talmud is and why it was developed? (Write on back if needed)