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STUDENTS TAKE PART IN IN-DEPTH STUDY OF KASHRUT

Recently, the seventh and eighth grade chumash classes learned about kashrut. They learned what makes an animal, bird and fish kosher and how to identify different species of birds. Students discussed the kashrut of giraffe, swordfish and turkey and the concept of mesorah, tradition, with regards to kashrut. They also discussed the importance of kashrut and some of the challenges we face in the 21 century. At the end of the unit, the students had the opportunity to hear from Rabbi Avraham Stone, a Senior Rabbinic Field Representative with OU Kashrus who explained to them the process of kashrut supervision. The students had excellent questions and were fascinated by the process of kashrut in commercial facilities.

