

What's New in Grade 1?

מה חדש בכתה א?

Thursday, May 9, 2019/4 Iyar 5779

We had a wonderful week of school! Some things we did were:

- ELA-completed our Unit 10 Foundations review and played a game using to, too and two
- Math -began our unit on telling time using analog clock
- Hebrew-learned cursive letters: *lamed*, *mem/mem sofite*
- Judaics-continued *Yom Ha'atzmaut* (Israel's Independence Day): learned more Hebrew songs about the holiday, learned the different parts of the *semel* (flag) in Hebrew through a song, made our own symbols, played games
- Art-Learned about Israeli artist Hanoch Piven and created faces of important people in Israel's history in Piven's style (by using random materials creatively)

Ask your child:

- What is on the *semel* (symbol) of Israel? (a menorah, olive branches, and the word "yisrael")
- What kinds of materials does artist Hanoch Piven use in his art?
- Can you explain the difference between "to", "too", and "two"?
- Which is more; $\frac{1}{2}$ or $\frac{1}{4}$?

Reminders:

- Fri., 5/10: CLASSROOM KABBALAT SHABBAT (this was changed from originally being an all-school Kabbalat Shabbat)
- Fri., 5/17: **Description of Recyclable Fashion Show** outfit is **due**
- Wed., 5/22: 1st Grade Recyclable Fashion Show, 9:15-10 a.m.~Music Room
(please feel free to come for *Tefillah* starting at 8:30 a.m.)
- Thurs., 5/23: Arts Night-6:30-8 (students arrive at 6)
- Fri., 5/24: Butterfly Release-1:30-2:20
- Tues., 5/28: Color Run~3:30-4:15
- Thurs., 5/30: 6th Grade Graduation~7-8:30 p.m.
- Fri., 5/31: *Kadima* (end of year) Assembly~10:45-12 NOON DISMISSAL & LAST DAY of SCHOOL

