

What's New in Grade 5?

מה חדש בקנה ה'?

Friday, October 5, 2018/ 26 Tishrei 5779

This week, we

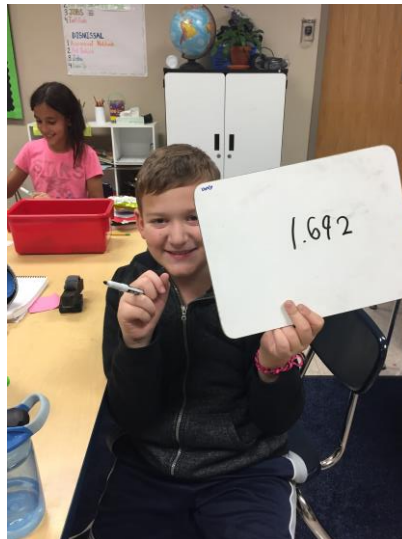
- Finished reading *Number the Stars*. Next week, we will start a writing assignment about the book. Students will choose a character who exemplified leadership and give evidence of that quality.
- Read lots of picture books to determine "themes". (Ask your child the theme of the book, *The Paper Bag Princess*.)
- Prepared skits enacting some famous legends told about Rashi. What makes a Jewish hero?
- Started learning in math how to multiply decimals.
- Discussed the differences between external and internal characteristics, and then described in Hebrew some of our own personality traits of both types.
- Examined an interpretation by artist Hillel Smith of this week's Torah portion, *Breishit*. Ask your children to show you the reproduction (in their Friday folders) and explain the insights they saw in it.

Of Special Note:

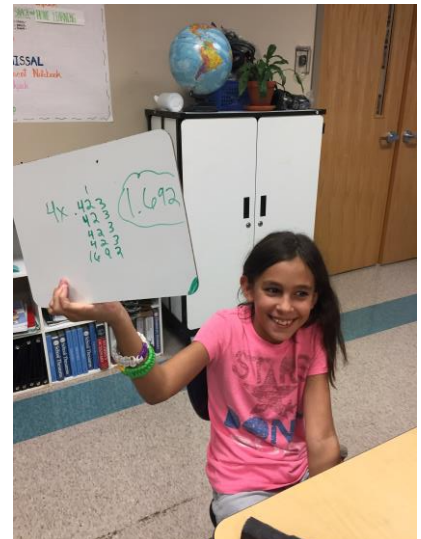
- **Friday, October 12:** All School Kabbalat Shabbat 1:40 p.m.-2:20 p.m.
- **Wednesday, October 17:** Picture Day Students Wear CJDS Polo
- **Friday, October 19:** Professional Development Day NO STUDENTS



Ethan has a "eureka moment" in math!



I did it! I can multiply with decimals!



Here's how I did it!

Shabbat Shalom !
Ms. V and Yehudit