

The story of your child's creation.

What's New in Kindergarten?

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Thursday, December 13, 2018/5 Tevet 5779

This week:

- We have continued practice writing uppercase letters. We also played a “guess my word” game, in which Jessi would say several sounds that made up a word and each student would have to guess the word that she was trying to say.
- We practiced filling in a missing vowels page. Students would have a picture of an image with the word under it but missing the vowel. The students had to figure out which vowel was missing and write it in.
- We continued to learn about 3D shapes. We practiced the concepts “above, below, beside, behind” using the 3D shapes. Ask your child to name the 3D shapes we learned about (cone, cylinder, sphere, cube)
- We created a book: “Judah, Judah, What do you see?” for the last day of Hanukkah. Each page represented a different part of Hanukkah and the last page was chosen by each student. Ask your child to show you their book and why they chose the item for their last page.

- We celebrated Cayla and Ari's birthday during Tefillah!
- Hanging throughout the Kindergarten room are posters titled...Each time someone does something “good” he/she changes the world and makes it better. Here is what I can do... We generated lists about our environment, family, classroom, school and friends. Ask your child about these what things are on these lists. **Environment** (not stepping on ants and spiders, keeping ponds and lakes clean, do not hang from young tree branches); **Family** (listening to parents, being truthful, spiking kind words, helping siblings stay in the green zone); **Classroom** (wash tables, clean up our own mess, keep our emotions in the green zone); **School** (on the playground do not show off or brag, quietly walk thru halls on the right side, listen at recess, lunch, fire drills, lockdown drill, morning fitness). Just a sampling of the lists!

What's coming up?

- Monday, 12/24-Friday, 1/4: Winter Break No School
- Monday, 1/7: Classes Resume

Reminders: Please check your child's green Friday Folder for home learning, student work, and other information and return it empty on Monday!

