

What's New in Grade 5?

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Thursday, May 2, 2019/ 27 Nisan 5779

This week, we

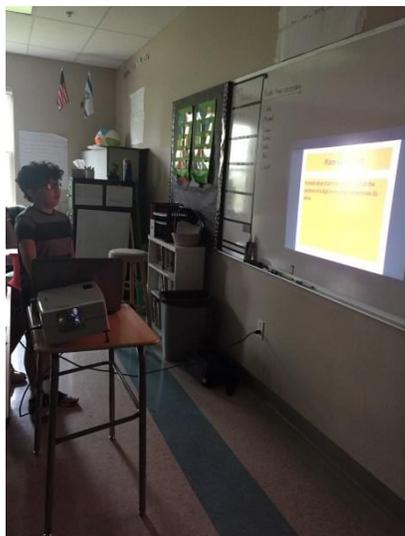
- Visited the Yom HaShoah memorial space and reflected (through drawing) upon this year's theme, "Listening to Each Other's Stories". We also participated in a Yom HaShoah memorial service.
- Read in Hebrew the book, *Grandpa's Tallit*, a survivor's story of his experiences escaping the Nazis.
- Started reading *The City of Ember* by Jeanne DuPrau, a science fiction book about a city created as a safe haven.
- Learned about maps and regional characteristics in Social Studies. (Ask your child to explain what longitude and latitude mean.)
- Continued our study of Torah **trope** (the musical notes used for chanting) and received assignments for reading a verse of Torah at School Tefillah on May 23.
- Started a new module in math and began exploring volume.
- Studied the story of Ya'akov wrestling with "G-d", generating questions (Why Was Yaakov alone and not with his family? Who was the "man" who attacked him? Why did he attack him?), and hypothesizing answers. Next week we will read some traditional responses to these same questions.
- Went fishing during P.E.!

Of Special Note:

- **Thursday, May 9:** Yom HaZikaron Ceremony 8:30 a.m.-9:15 a.m.; Yom Ha'Atzmaut Celebration 2:00 p.m.-3:15 p.m.

More information to follow.

- **Sunday, May 19:** CJDS Drama Club presents *The Jungle Book* Kids, 4:00p.m.
- **Thursday, May 23:** CJDS Arts Night 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.
- **Friday, May 24:** Memorial Day Assembly 11:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
- **Friday, May 24:** CJDS Annual Butterfly Release 1:30 p.m.-2:20 p.m.
- **Monday, May 27:** Memorial Day **NO SCHOOL**



Caleb shows off his math dictionary project.



"We solved it!"



At the Yom HaShoah Memorial Space



Reading stories from the Shoah



Learning about present-day peoples in crisis: "Never Again!"

Shabbat Shalom!
Ms. V and Yehudit