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Looking Ahead

Monday, October 12 - NO SCHOOL - Columbus Day

V'zot Habracha

By: Rose Scheer, sixth grade



Before Moses passed away, he blessed the children of Israel. Then he went up to the summit of Mount Nebo. There God told him, "This is the land which I swore to Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. To your descendants I will give it. I let you see it with your eyes but you will not go there." Then Moses died on top of Mount Nebo. He was 120. God buried Moses in the land of Moab and no one knows where. Joshua then took over the leader of the Jewish people. The Jewish people mourned for 30 days. Moses was the only person to see God

face to face.

The Torah describes Moses as a servant of God. I think this means that Moses carried out God's commandments even if he didn't want to. God told Moses to go back to Egypt and free the Jewish people even though Moses didn't want to but, he knew it was the right thing to do. I think we are all servants of God because we follow His commandments. Some things we do are honoring our parents, treating others with respect and observing Shabbat. We follow these commandments because they are mitzvot. Following these commandments help make us better people.

Shabbat Shalom and Chag Sameach!

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Coronavirus (COVID-19)

COVID-19 Testing Onondaga County Health Department as of 9/21/2020

Anyone can now get tested for COVID-19, even if you have no symptoms. Walk-up and drive-thru testing is available without an appointment at Syracuse Community Health Center; 819 South Salina Street in Syracuse, every Monday-Friday, 9am-5pm (closed 12-1 for lunch). Testing is also available at primary care offices, call for details.

NEW! Testing for Schools

Onondaga County, Upstate Medical University, and Nascentia Health are pleased to offer symptomatic testing for students and school staff:

Monday-Friday, 9am-1pm beginning Monday, September 21st
NBT Bank Stadium, 1 Tex Simone Drive, Syracuse

Registration required. Call Upstate's COVID-19 Hotline at **315.464.2582**, select option #4.

This will be saliva-based testing with an average turnaround time of 24-36 hours, and results will be available through an online portal.

Important information that MUST be followed for testing:

- Children under the age of 18 must be accompanied by a parent/guardian.
- Do not eat or drink anything, including chewing gum, mints, or lozenges for 30 minutes prior to the test
- Do not brush teeth or use mouthwash for three hours prior to the test.
- Do not smoke, vape, or use smokeless tobacco products for 30 minutes prior to the test.

The mission of the Syracuse Hebrew Day School (SHDS) is to teach, inspire, and nurture future leaders of our Jewish community through an unparalleled academic experience guided by Jewish studies and values.

Return to School

Student Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Grade: _____

Health Care Provider must complete the next two sections.

Testing:

- Student was tested for COVID-19 on __/__/____; **result negative**
- Student was tested for COVID-19 on __/__/____; **result positive**

Return To School:

Students must have documentation of a medical consultation with their Health Care Provider, a negative COVID test, and be fever-free and symptom-free for 72 hours without any fever suppressants. Students returning to school with symptoms of illness for known medical conditions including but not limited to allergies and asthma will need to visit their doctor periodically to continue to help manage their symptoms while in school due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the exclusion policies recommended by our local health department.

- Student may return when symptoms have resolved, and student is fever-free for 72 hours without fever suppressants.
- Student may return on __/__/____. However, if student continues to have symptoms related to a documented medical history of _____, he/she needs to be re-evaluated by __/__/____.
- Student may return when cleared by the local health department

Physician Signature

Date

Physician Name (Print)

Telephone Number

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[Download the SHDS Return to School Form](#)

Kindergarten

Quinn wanted to research what dolphins eat. Here she is acting out her findings with a toy dolphin and science video on the viewsonic.



Kindergarten Hebrew

Kindergarten began their study of the letter BET, which is the first letter in the word BALON (balloon)! We had fun making our balloon faces and naming our balloons.





Anna sang about the Torah as she showed off her flag for Simchat Torah!

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1st Grade

Ava and Eliana in their masks.

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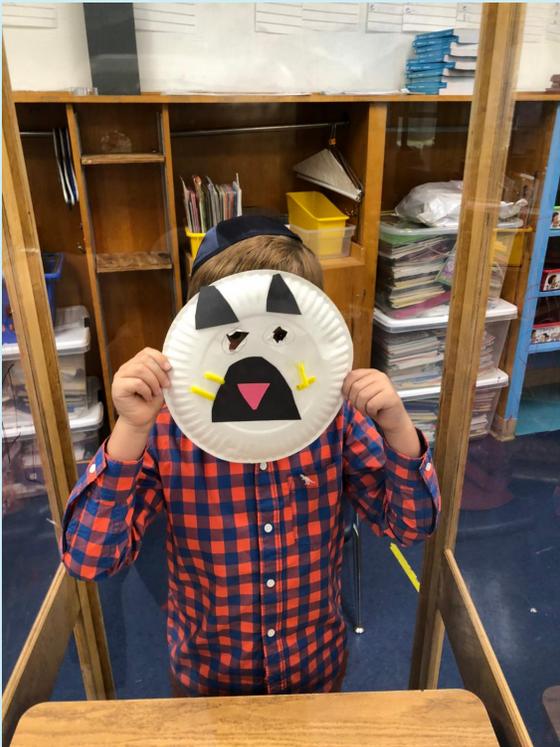
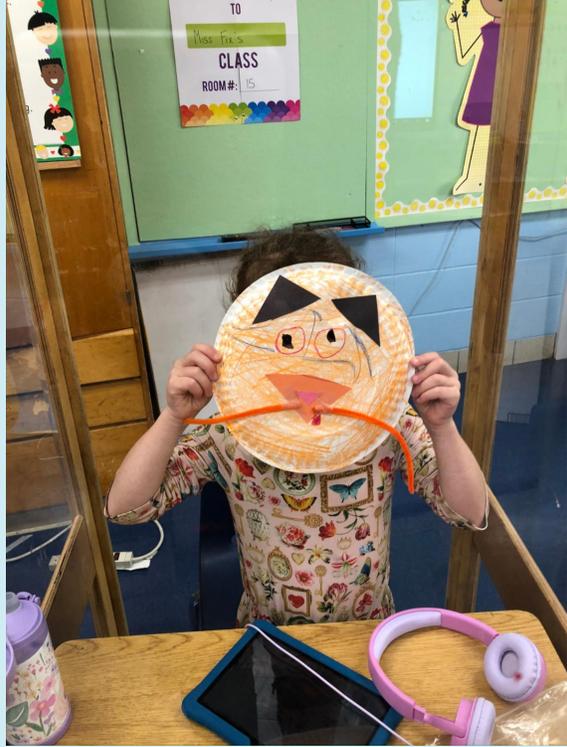
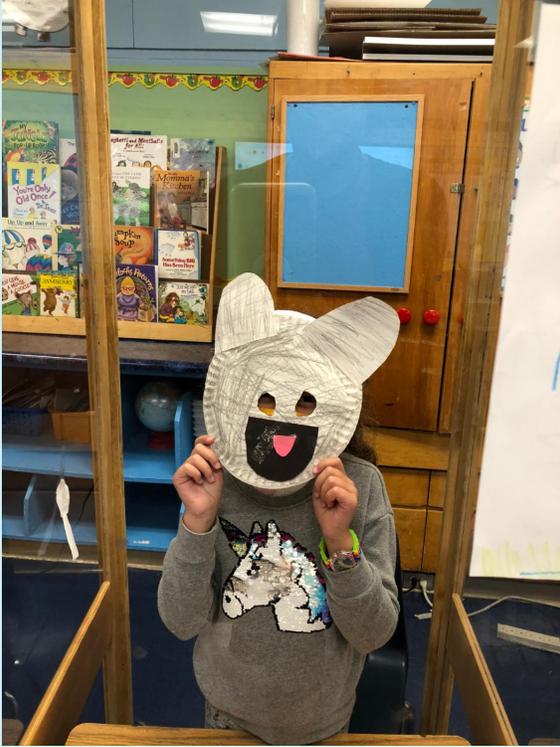


First graders learned all about mammals this week. For their Science Friday activity they each made an animal mask.

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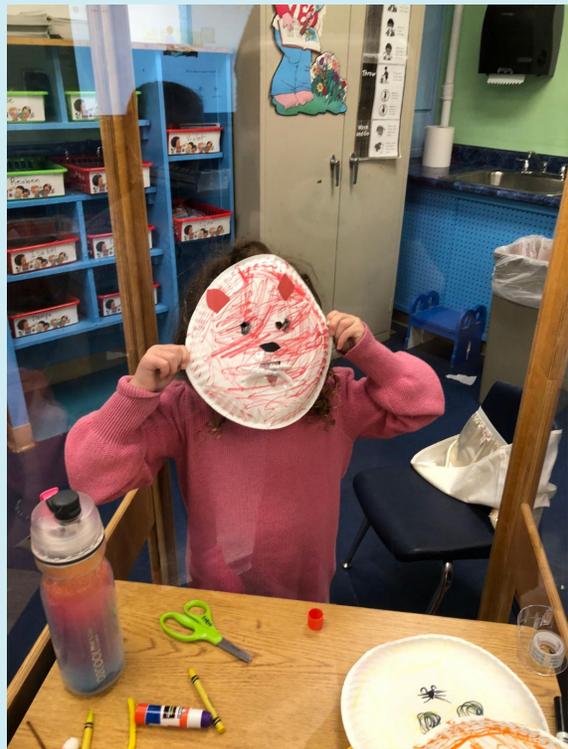
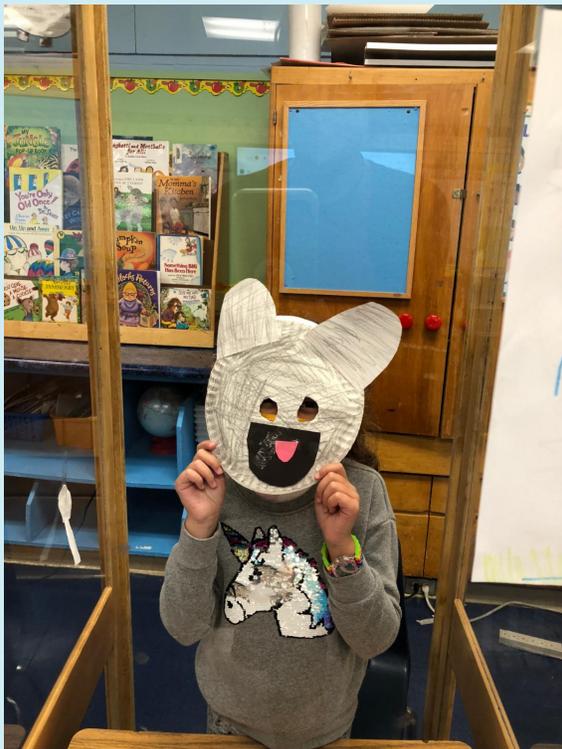
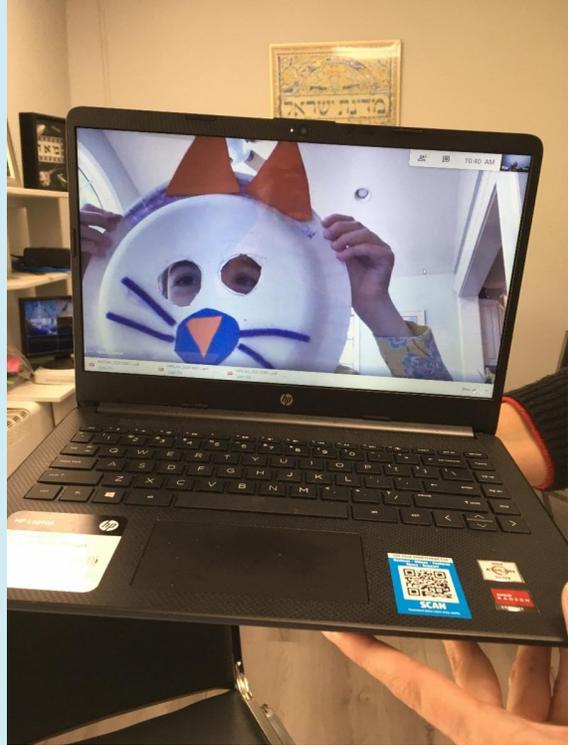
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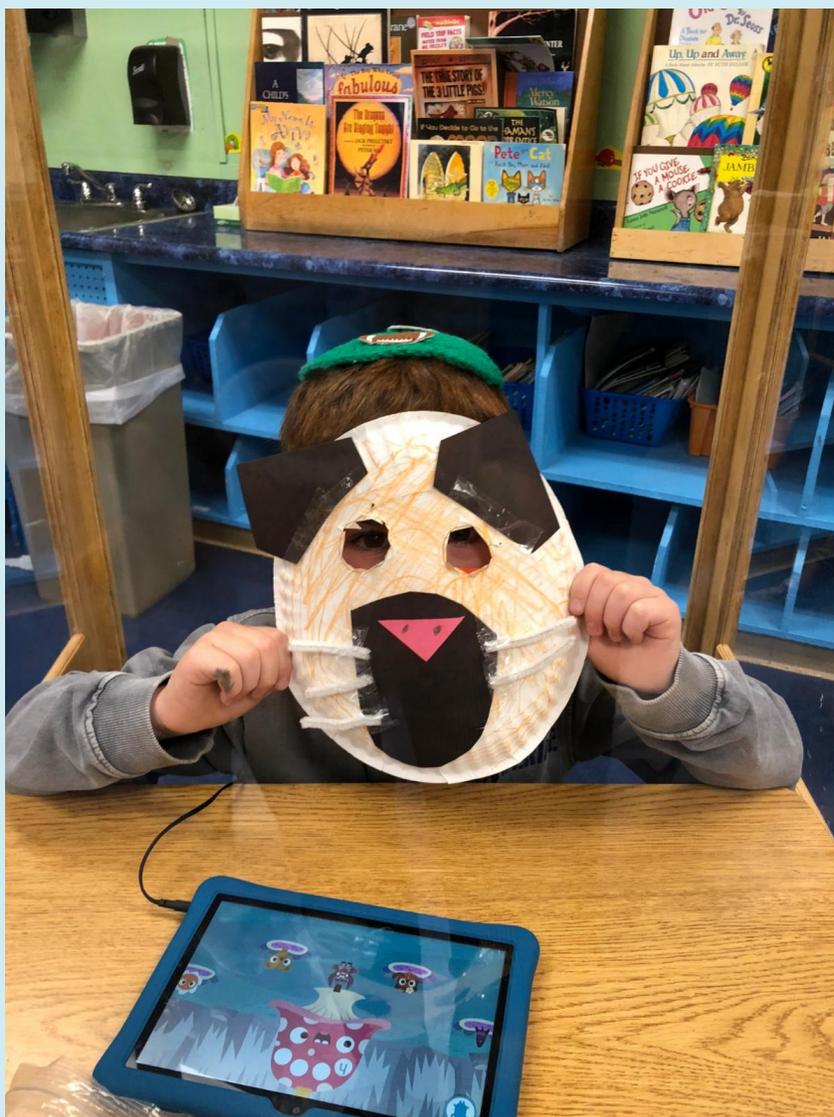
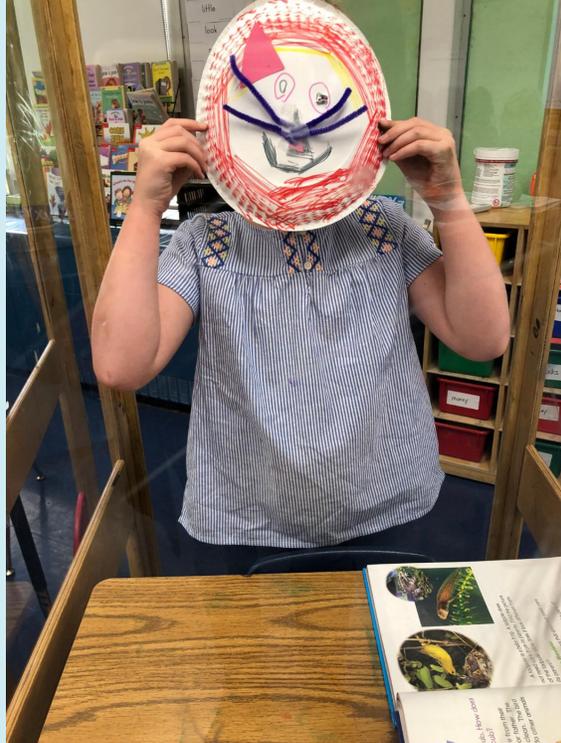
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Kiddush Corner

First graders celebrated Izzy Raphael's birthday with tasty yogurt mixers!

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Kita Alef

To celebrate our first "Hachtavah" (writing assessment), Kita Alef made puzzles of the letter Alef! They were HARD to solve but we worked together and we did it!



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Kita Alef helped decorate the sukkah at the JCC!





Izzy reading the Alef story to Ms. Lavine!

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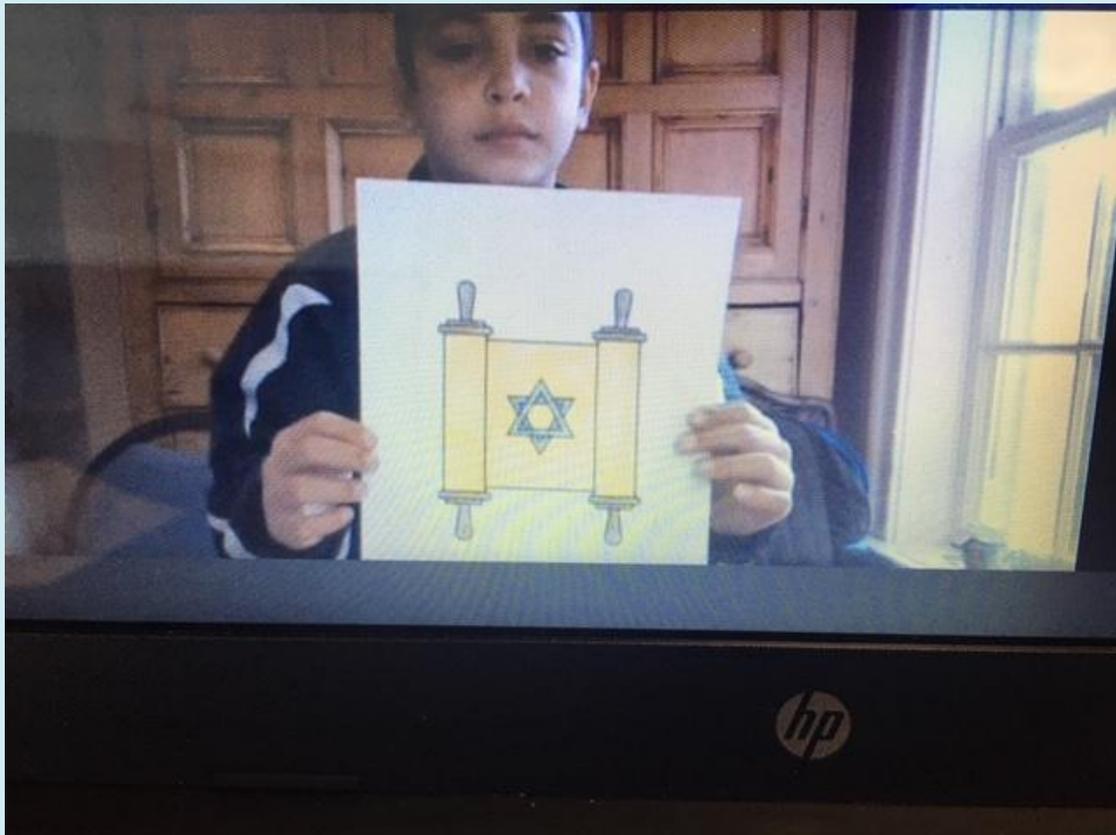


2nd & 3rd Grade

Takeshii's Science Experiment



Simchas Torah Flags in Rabbi Shore's class



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2nd - 5th Grade Hebrew

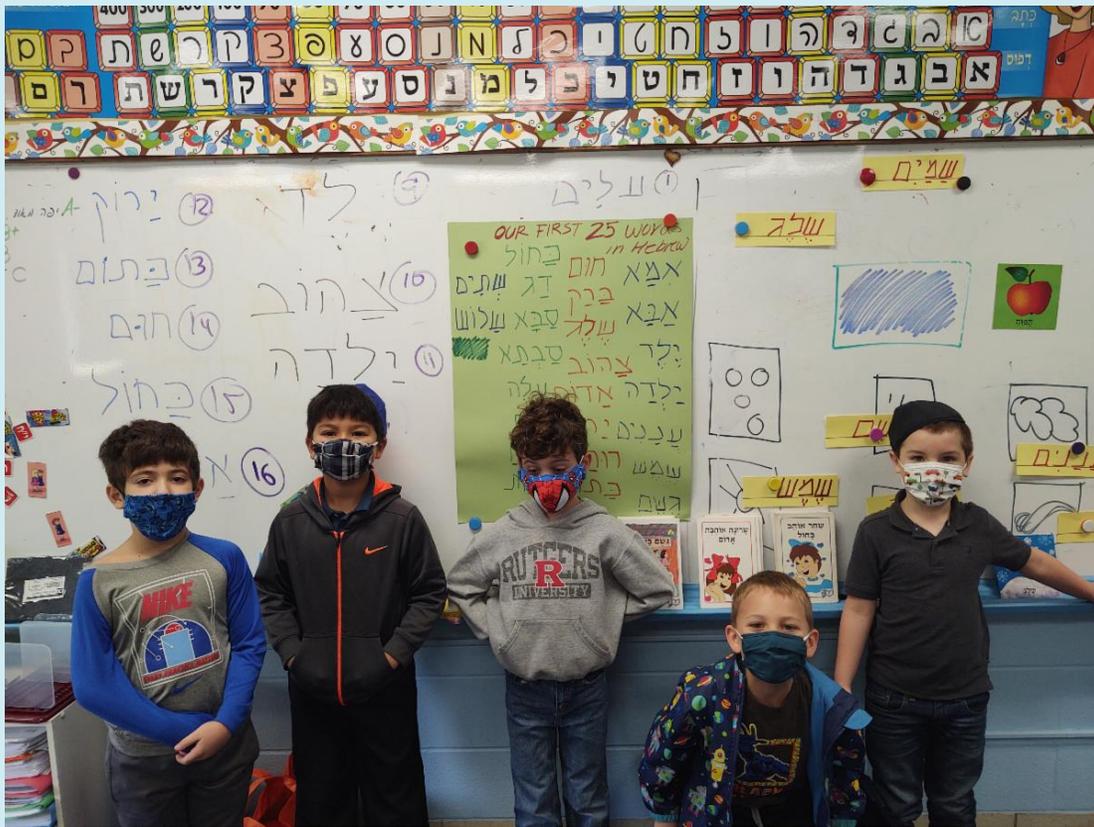
This was our 23rd day of Hebrew at SHDS. Gabe, Niko, Ethan, Ezra and Moshe are well on their

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way to reading Hebrew. They already know over then 25 words!!! Well done.



Students from the 2/3 class listened to a Simchat Torah story in the JCC sukkah with Mrs. Zames.



Second & third grade put up handmade decorations in the JCC sukkah! Chag sameach!



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4th & 5th Grade

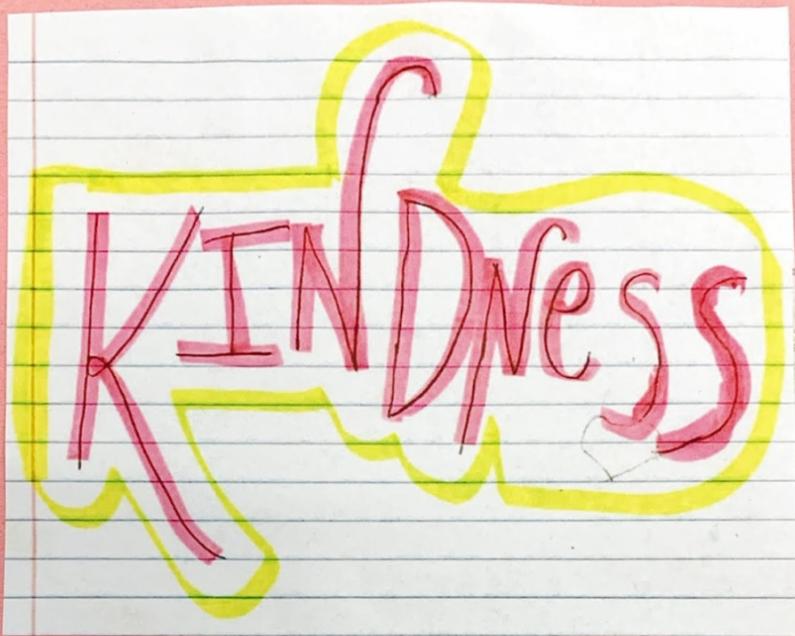
May the 4th and 5th grade be with you!

We have been enjoying reading the book Wonder so much that we wrote poems and paragraphs about the need to be kind. Enjoy!

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Kindness

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Nice to others

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Doing nice things
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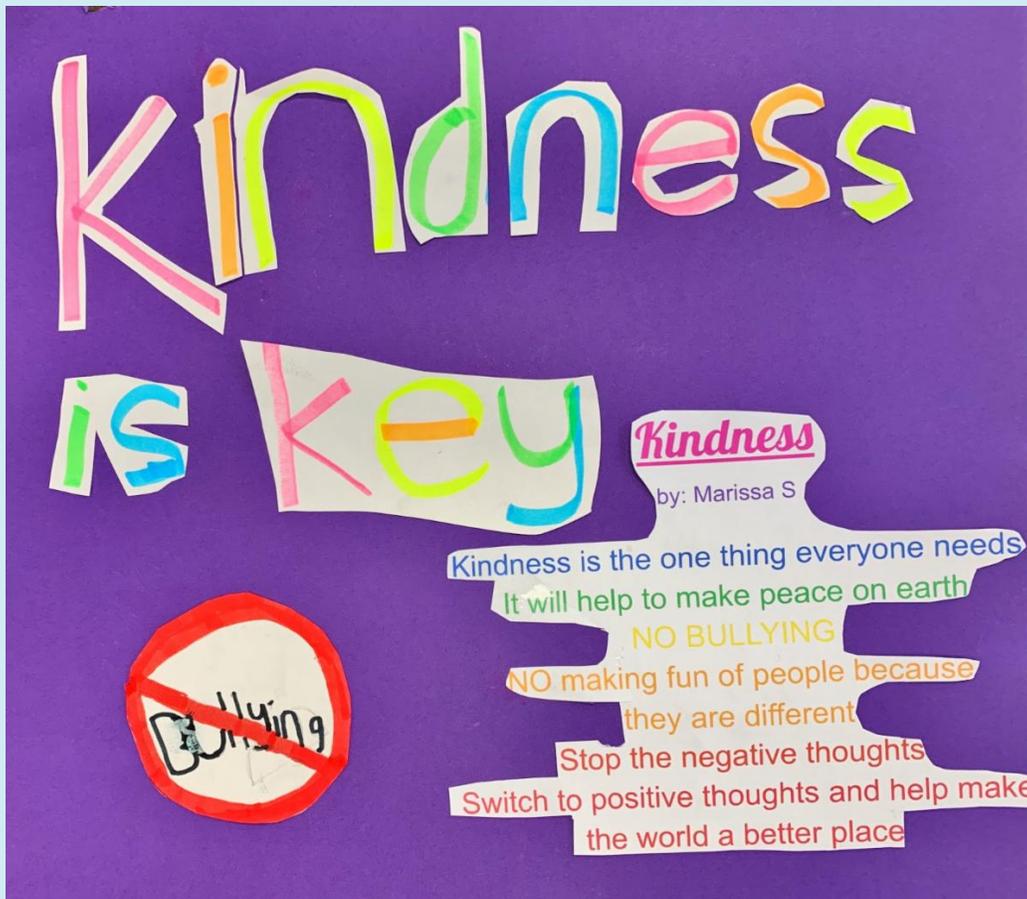
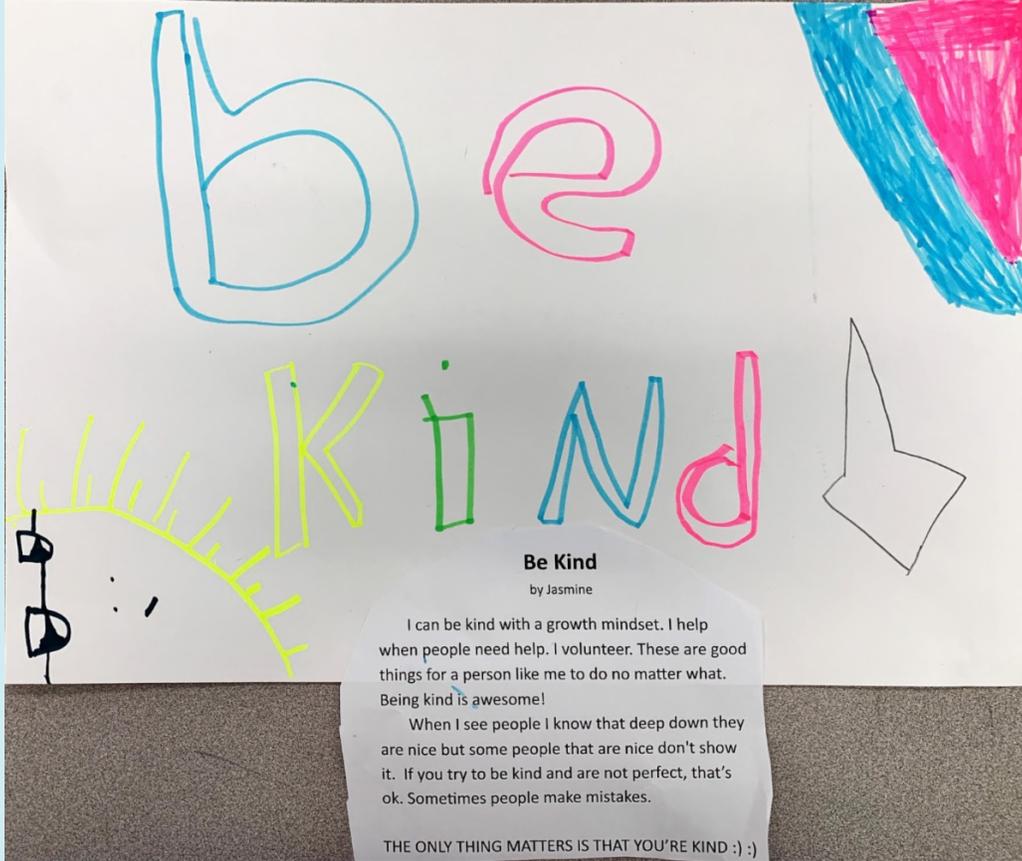
Kindness is love and happiness.

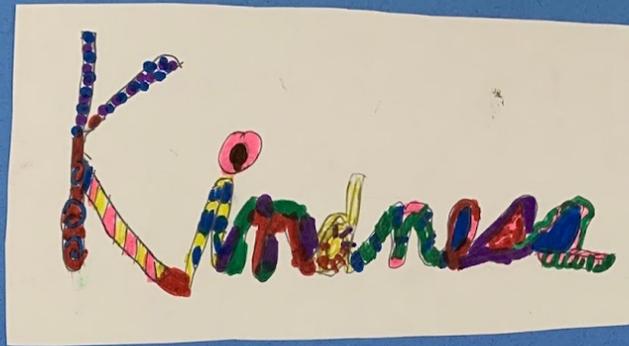
Kindness is like a big book that marks down everything positive you did.

It can tell your story and all the good things you did to others.

You can do **ANYTHING** with the power of kindness.







The Need for Kindness

By Tammy

Wonder is a book about a kid who looks different and people are mean to him. The kid's name is August and he talks about how he looks different but does not feel different. This book is told in different people's perspectives which shows how different people can show kindness to August.

This book reminds me to always be kind because when people are mean to August you can see how hurt he is and how bad he feels. I think it's always good to show kindness to others.

Kindness
by Eliana

KINDNESS IS MAGIC!!!!

Kindness to me means sharing and a lot of caring. Caring is part of kindness. You can see kindness like when I broke my ankle and my friends made sure I was okay and helped me with things. That is kindness and good friendship.

Kindness should be the magic of the world.

Kindness is Important

by Galil

I think kindness is important. If you are nice to someone you are being kind to that person. You should be kind to everyone even to people you don't like. You should also be kind to animals because they have feelings too.

Kindness

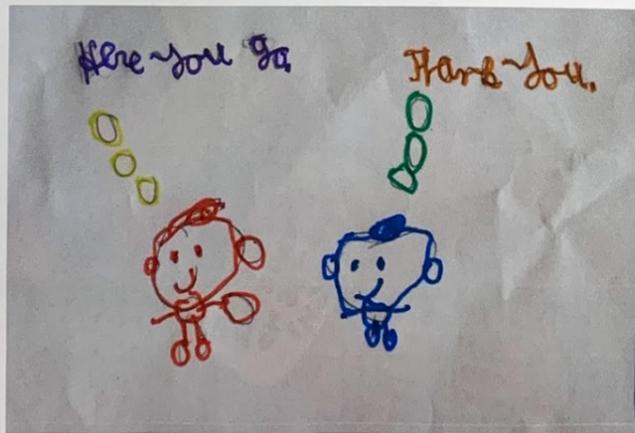
by Isaac

Kindness is very important to me. Kindness means how you can be nice to people, animals and plants. Kindness should make you happy because if you don't have kindness in your heart you won't be a happy person. If you do have kindness in your heart then you will be a happy person. Kindness equals giving of yourself.

If you see a person like a bully take someone's toy say kind things and do not get into a big fight. Kindness can work to help the situation.

If someone loses something, offer to help them look for it and if it can't be found, offer to share some of yours.

I love kindness.



6th Grade

This was a great week for the 6th Grade Hebrew class. They focused on their individual progress with the help of the 'Yesodot Ha'lashon' books and learned about the different climates in Israel. Next week they will refresh and expand the Hebrew vocabulary regarding the weather.

In the video below, which was shot just before the weekend, sixth graders sing the song "sador" ("fields"), a recent Israeli hit.

Shabbat shalom



4th-6th Grade Fall FUN



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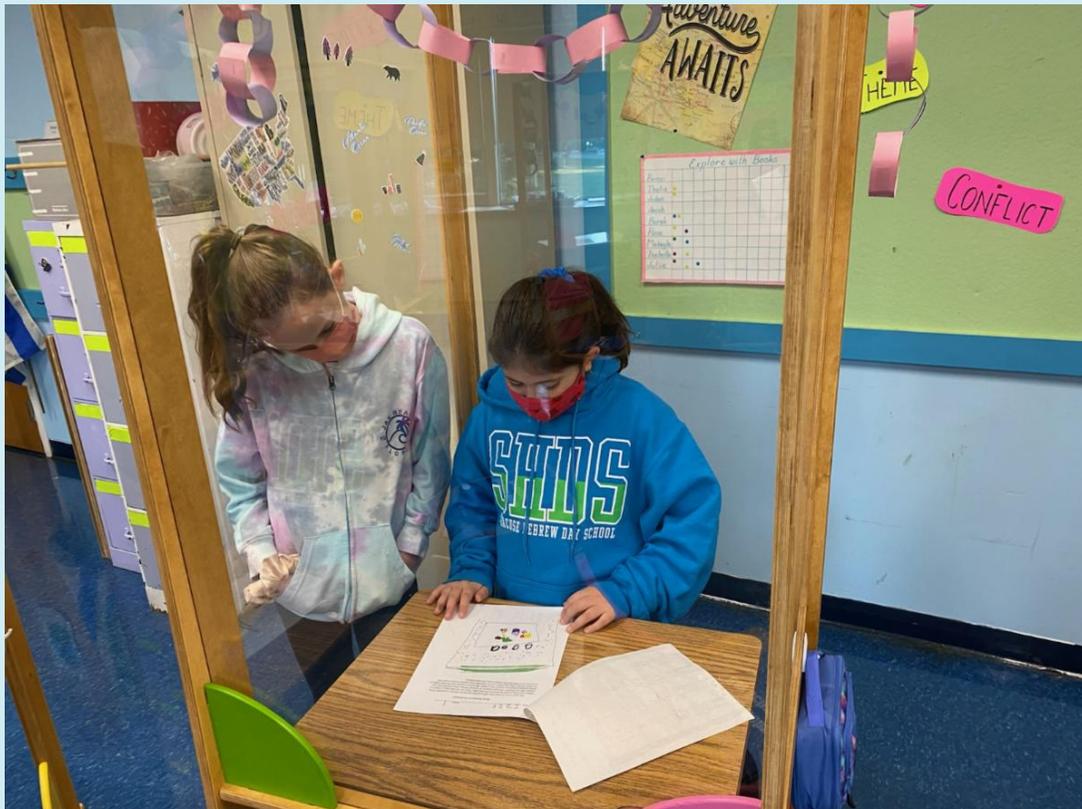
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Julia and Issy admiring Issy's study buddy Sukkot artwork!





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