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SHAAREI CHINUCH

PARSHAT SHOFTIM



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GIVE GET OPPORTUNITIES

- Washing hand towels for the school (this is something that needs to get done each week, from home).
- Helping to organize the kitchen and/or supply closet.



THANK YOU'S

- Ninveh Pomerantz for making the lunches.
- Shamai Weinberger for doing school shopping.
- Jennie Bercovich for toiveling the new dishes for school.
- All of the parents who attended the first Parents Night.
- Moshe Pomerantz, Jesse Goldberg, Benjamin Cohen, and Noam and Tani Nudell, for helping to assemble shelves and other furniture for the classroom.
- Matt Cohen and Moshe Kulek, for moving furniture for the school.
- Tal Adar for installing and changing locks, moving furniture, and helping get the school ready for the year.
- Ariella Sherman for organizing and recording school supplies that came in.
- The Sherman family, for providing breakfast for the teachers.
- Our incredible staff: Julie Cohen, Shira Glat, Alayna Angus, Frieda Schlesinger, Maria Hertado, Jessica Schneider, and Naomi Nudell for getting the school ready for an amazing year!
- Thank you to those who donated the new play ground outside! We look forward to seeing the plaque!



ELEMENTARY

MORAH DANIELLA, MORAH MUSHKY, & MORAH JESSICA

We learned about this week's Parsha, Parshas Shoftim. We discussed that Shofet means judge, and the Torah teaches us that we should have judges to help us keep the law. We discussed what it would mean to be fair judge, by telling scenarios and having the children think about how they would handle them if they were the judge. We also learned about another mitzvah in this Parsha, not to waste things. After the lesson, two children asked if they could prepare a Parsha skit for the class, which they performed at the end of the day to the childrens' delight

We are so excited to be back at school. the children started the year off with such excitement and eagerness to learn. We have a lot of new faces in our class this year so we spent the first day getting to know everyone. The children have all done such a great job making everyone feel welcomed. With new faces, we also have a new class pet, Fred the Bearded Dragon. In addition be being cute, Fred is giving the children an opportunity to learn how to hold and care for a new species of animal's. The children have loved learning with the new Montessori math works on our shelf! Our new classroom has brought on some changes to our lunch routine. We are now eating lunch in our classroom. This will allow the children to learn important life skills like sweeping, washing dishes & serving. After lunch the children go outside to play in our NEW outdoor play space! We look forward to this year and all the exciting learning and growing we are going to do!



LILAC'S

MORAH NAOMI, & MORAH FREEDA

We had such a great first week! We enjoyed hearing about everyone's exciting summer vacation. We jumped right in and started our Rosh Hashana learning. We learned how shofar's are made and Morah Naomi blew one for us! We also started learning some new Rosh Hashana songs.

New year brings new classroom tools. We have had so much fun opening our brand new works. Its like opening new present's every day.

This week we also started music & movement. Be sure to ask your child to show you their moves!

On Friday we welcomed Shabbos with making our very own Challah. The kids did such a great job braiding!





DAISY'S

MORAH MUSHKY & MORAH JULIE

We sang some fun and silly songs to help learn each other's names. We began reviewing/ learning the rules of the classroom, starting with how to take out a rug, ask for a lesson, ask a friend if we can join them or be after them, clean up our work when we're done, and come to circle time when we hear the music. We are working on our independence skills. The children are learning to choose works on their own, take their own snack and clean it up when they're done, clear their place after lunch, change their shoes, and tell us when they need to use the bathroom. We began singing songs and reading books about Elul and Rosh Hashana, and exploring works on the shelf related this. We will delve more into these topics in the coming weeks. We are really enjoying the new playground! The children are learning swinging, climbing, and monkey bars, while practicing their cooperative play skills, and enjoying fresh air and sunshine.

