



**The Ladybugs**  
**Week of September 19<sup>th</sup> - September 23<sup>rd</sup>**

This week we continued talking about Rosh Hashanah, apples, and the seasons. We enjoyed our apple tasting, and baking the world cupcakes for a birthday party next week!

**Literacy**

- Read the book “Once Upon a Shabbos” and “Happy Birthday to the World”
- Read books about Rosh Hashanah
- Reminded our class of our classroom rules
- Sang our morning song
- Learned that Rosh Hashanah is the birthday of the world
- Discussed Shabbat and its significance
- Learned about the Shofar
- Found our names on the Ani Po/Lo Po chart
- Miss. Tobi came in for our first week of library to read to the class
- Determined the day of week and found the correct corresponding sign to hang in our classroom
- Found our names during morning circle
  - Continued to reinforce the words: Tapuach - Apples, Red - Adom, Yellow - Tashov, and Green - Yarok

**Math**

- Counted how many boys and girls are in our classroom
- Counted how many children are allowed in each center
- Counted to the date during calendar
- Recognized shapes during calendar and learned that our shapes are in a pattern
- Counted to 10 in Hebrew and English before snack
- Counted how many apples the class tried in our apple tasting
- Counted how many eggs we used to bake our cupcakes
- Counted how many seasons there are

**Science**

- Determined the weather daily by looking outside and then finding the corresponding sign to post in our room
- Poured ingredients together to make our cupcakes
  - Watered our class plants
  - Learned about the star being inside an apple

**Gross Motor**

- Did the Hokey Pokey in class

- Played a version of “Simon Says”
- Played pillow polo in gym with Miss. Alisa
- Chased our friends on the playground
- Played football and catch with our friends on the playground
- Climbed the playground steps and rode the bicycles on the bike path.
- Danced with Miss Beth during music

### **Fine Motor**

- Used the mouse and computer keys during center time
- Used scissors to cut out pieces of our basket for our bulletin board
- Painted and used glitter to decorate our apples according to the color we liked best
- Played with blocks in the block center
- Used the tweezers in our manipulative center to pick up rubber spiders
- Played at the lego wall
- Used the magnet board with letters
  - Used dominoes
  - Used instruments while we danced with Miss Beth
  - Used a sponge stamp to complete our Rosh Hashanah cards

### **Social/Self Help**

- Continued to learn our morning routine which include unpacking backpacks, putting snacks in the bins, and putting lunch boxes into cubbies and putting backpacks away.
- Continued to learn our afternoon routine of packing up our lunch boxes, putting them into our backpacks, putting our folder in our backpacks and zipping up our backpacks.
- Washing our hands when we walk in the room, before snack, after playground, before lunch and whenever necessary
- Had lunch with the Elephant class

Thank you to our Ma'lachim Leah and Casey for the yummy snacks this week!

Shabbat Shalom,

Morah Karen and Morah Jacki