

The Ladybugs/Ha Mushiot

Week of October 3rd – October 6th

We hope everyone had a wonderful Rosh Hashanah and a Happy and Healthy New Year. This week we continued to talk about Rosh Hashanah and about Yom Kippur. We hope everyone has an easy fast!

Literacy

- Read books about Yom Kippur
- Reminded our class of our classroom rules
- Sang our morning song
- Learned about Tashlich
- Learned about the Shofar
- Found our names on the Ani Po/Lo Po chart
- Had a volunteer come in to read “Llama Llama Red Pajama” as part of The Children’s Literacy Program – to support early childhood literacy
- Determined the day of week and found the correct corresponding sign to hang in our classroom
- Found our names during morning circle
- Talked about the words: Tashlich, Shofar, and Yom Kippur

- Talked about our poor choices and “threw them away”

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 times we blew our shofars
- Counted how many eggs we used to bake our cupcakes
- Counted how many seasons there are in the year

Science

- Determined the weather daily by looking outside and then finding the corresponding sign to post in our room
- Watered our class plants
- Talked about the water for Tashlich and discussed how fish live in the water

Gross Motor

- Did the Hokey Pokey in class
- Went on a “Bear Hunt”
- Played kick ball in gym with Miss. Alisa
- Chased our friends on the playground
- Played 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 dot markers to decorate our Shofars
- Used sponge stamps to add fish to our Tashlich picture
- Played with blocks in the block center
- Used the tweezers in our manipulative center to pick up rubber spiders
- Played with the dominoes
- Used the thistle blocks
- Finger painted our water for our Tashlich big book

- Used instruments while we danced with Miss Beth
- Used scissors to cut paper

Social/Self Help

- Continued to work on our morning routine which include unpacking backpacks, putting snacks in the bins, and putting lunch boxes into cubbies and putting backpacks away.
- Continued to work on 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
- Enjoyed our World Birthday Party last week with the other three year old classes
- We were introduced to Sammy the Spider which will be joining our room in the weeks to come to share our day with us

REMINDERS:

Monday is picture day. Please remember to return your picture day request form if you have not already done so.

Shabbat Shalom,

Morah Karen and Morah Lynette

