Dear parents,

We have had a great week I Nursery this week! We started with our new topic, Sand and Water, and the children have really enjoyed our mini indoor beach as well as the ice-cream parlour. These have given them a great new opportunities to continue learning while roleplaying and we have seen lovely examples of counting, creating new ice cream flavours, taking turns, creating sea-side stories and communicating with 'customers'. Another favourite activity has been junk modelling where the children use recycling resources to create anything they like. It would be great if you could send in some boxes (different sizes), toilet or kitchen rolls, cereal boxes or any other interesting materials. We could also use some fabrics or sello-tape.

This week in Jewish Studies we have been learning about the minhagim of Shavuot. We have been making our own flowers like on Har Sinai and we have been sorting foods into milky and meaty. We have been counting the Omer and we are so excited to get to number 49 as this is Shavuot when we received the Torah. We also really loved making cheesecake on Thursday with some yummy sprinkles on top. This week Nursery learnt to say צהריים אחר - achar tzahara'im tovim (Good afternoon), שוֹנָה /שוֹנֶה /שוֹנֶה - אוֹכֶלׁת - ochel/ochelet (eat m/f), אוֹכֶל - chalav (milk), יוֹגוּרְט - יוֹגוּרְט - yogurt (yogurt), גְּלִידָה - glidah (ice cream), גְּלִידָה - gvinah (cheese) for Shavuot. They began learning the song Eretz tzavat chalav udvash ודבש חלב זבת ארץ for Shavuot: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ijFPzN6oGE8

We would like to remind you to read the green books as we share important information with you, for example the dates of the Focus meetings. Please also remember the official uniform for summer: green sweatshirt with logo, white/green polo shirt with logo. Boys can wear dark grey/black shorts. As part of the boys' uniform we ask them to wear a school kippah. Girls can wear a green gingham summer dress with white socks. We hope you have a lovely Shavuot and we wish you a chag sameach

