Dear Parents,

Music

It has certainly been a musical week. On Monday, the children sang and played their recorders in the School Music Concert. On Thursday, the children excelled themselves in the Barnet Music Festival which was enjoyed by all. Well done to Year 4!

Sport

Wednesday was the School's Sports Day. The weather held in the morning and the children had a great time in their races. It was delightful to see all of the children showing real sportsmanship and entering into the true spirit of the day by supporting each other.

Science

Having recently been learning about bones, this week the children have been learning about muscles. They have been identifying muscles in the body, finding out where they are in the body and what actions they perform - all useful information with our 'Shaping Up' topic!

Maths

In Maths this week, Year 4 have started learning about using coordinates, including how to plot coordinates on a chart to make geometric shapes.

Jewish Studies

In Jewish Studies we started our new Chumash unit, Unit 5, where Avraham sends his servant (eved) to find a wife for Yitzchak from the land where he came from. We looked at the specific instructions given to the eved and learnt some new keywords. We also looked at the events from Avraham's life so far and linked them to objects and the children were then challenged to choose objects that represent their own lives. We continued working on our fluency in Hebrew reading as well.

<u>lvrit</u>

Year 4 has started learning a new topic – בית הספר שלי My school. The key words of the topic are: הָּתְעַמְלוּת (Hitamlut – PE) מַּלְשָׁבִים (Machshevim – computers) מַּדָעִים (Madaim – science), אָמָנוּת (Omanut – art) מוּלֶדֶת (Moledet – history of Israel (עִבְּרִית) עִבְּרִית) (Ivrit – Hebrew), אַנְגְלִית (Muzika – music) אַנְגְלִית (Anglit – English) לוֹמֶדֶת (Cheshbon – maths), לוֹמֶד, (Lomed – studying, masculine) לוֹמֶדֶת

The class began learning the song שיעור מולדת which you can find on the link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LFJG5U ivPc

Reminders

- The attendance this week was 97.08%. Weekly attendance needs to be over 96%.
- Please ensure that your child brings in his or her PE kit on Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Please also make a note in the green home liaison book if your child is unable to take part in PE for some reason.
- Library books can be changed each week during our library session on Monday. Please remind your child to bring in his or her library book.
- Please continue to read with your child and ask them questions to develop their comprehension skills.
- Please be reminded there are lots of photos on the school website photo gallery, where you can see what the children have been doing and learning.
- Barnet have asked all parents to be reminded about children travelling to and from school safely. Please remind your children of the 'stranger danger' rules and to tell a trusted adult if they do not feel safe.

Shabbat Shalom,

The Year 4 Team