

Dear Parents,

English – Year 5 have worked hard on Traditional Tales this week. As a class we explored the Tale of Old Mother Frost. We have written our own versions to share with other Year 5 children. In class we explored all the SPAG needed to create our tales alongside thorough planning.

Maths – Year 5 have continued to look at decimals and place value this week. The children have had lots of opportunity to look at Fluency, Reasoning and Problem Solving questions surrounding this topic.

Topic –In science the children continued to look at forces and conducted experiments in groups. The children continued with their Topic Fairground projects and learnt about grid references in geography.

Js- On Monday the children had a really interesting session with Bnei Akiva, looking at how the mitzvot applied to the different aspects of their characters. We continued our Hebrew Reading groups and it is great to see how children are making progress. We also prepared for Purim by choosing a Purim character and creating posters using the Fairground art techniques the children saw in Fred Fowle's work. It has been very exciting seeing their sketches and then the painted versions of their posters, which we plan to display on Purim.

Reminders -

The children must be reading their scheme books out loud every evening. Please ask them comprehension questions about the text they are reading and date and sign the blue diary each time. The children should also be reading their 'home' books as well. The school library books can be changed or renewed on Mondays or in Library Club on Wednesdays.

Please ensure your child has their blue diary each day. If they are being collected by someone else to usual, this must be recorded in the diary on the day.

All boys need a spare kippah in their tray and all children need a non-uniform cap in their tray too.

Children should be coming in to school in their PE kits on a Tuesday and Thursday morning. They should bring their school uniform in their PE bag to change into after PE.

Our week's attendance was 95.39%. Weekly attendance needs to be over 96%.

If anyone can donate a box of tissues to the school that would be appreciated

Shabbat Shalom

Mrs Gishen and the Year 5 team

