

Dear Parents,

We have had such a busy week! The children are very excited to be using our new system of collecting tokens for each of the tasks they complete. They are now attempting more challenging levels which is lovely to see! The favourite activities this week have been drawing their own modes of transport and labelling or writing a sentence about these. They have used their wonderful imaginations to create lovely pictures and sentences.

This week, the children have been really excited looking at different coins (1p, 2p and 5p). This has been helping the children to count in 2, 5 and 10s, we have also been pretending to buy objects from our class shop. The children have been making lovely tickets for our next school holiday in our Etz Chaim Airport and have been writing lots on the paper.

In maths this week, the children created a shape shop and an ice cream van. They had to make price labels and add coins together to see how much their shopping would cost. We are going to continue learning about coins next week as it was a little confusing that there were no 3p or 4p coins.

As the weather was mild at the beginning of the week, the children made cakes and pies in the outside kitchen. The children have been busy writing and drawing what they have been making. The children are being very creative with their ideas.

The children were so excited about our different PE lessons, they had a special guest to help them with their cricket skills. The children said it was a really fun lesson and they hope they can do it again!

We have been focussing on our Hebrew letters this week and will continue with this for the rest of the term. There has been revision with Hebrew letters on JI Tap. Please look through the Home School Liaison book for your JI Tap login details. The revised letters this week have been vav (ו) and zayin (ז).

This week Reception started learning to say אֵשׁ - esh (fire), מְדוּרָה - medura (Bonfire), תְּפוּחַיִּים - tapu'ac adama (potatos), פִּיטָה - pitta, חוּמוּס - Hummus, סָלַט - salad (salat) and עוּגָה - cake (uga), for Lag Ba'omer.

Reception began learning the song Esh bo'eret - מִירֵב הָאוּסֵמֶן / שִׁיר ילדים לל"ג בעומר אש בוערת/ <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3ICguENW9so>

Our week's attendance was 98.40%. Weekly attendance needs to be over 96%.

Shabbat Shalom,

Reception Team