## **Dear Parents**

The children have had a great Enterprise Week! They have been making slime, ready to sell next week. The children created lovely posters of what the slime is going to look like, whether it was glittery, rainbow or with charms.

In maths this week the children have been looking at dominoes, they've been counting and estimating the dots, adding them together and talking about what would happen if we took one away and added one more. The children were using great mathematical language.

The children have been loving sitting in the book area and reading stories to each other. They have started to talk to each other about the pictures that they see in the books and talk about what they liked and disliked about the stories.

The children have been stretching whilst painting. The teachers taught the children that they can use lots of different things to paint with, from paintbrushes to fingers to toothbrushes. The children have painted on large scales and used their bodies to stretch across the paper.

This week we have been discussing how no matter how small we are we can make a difference. We have been reading the story David and the Akavish. This is telling the story of how David HaMelech (King David) was once kind to a spider and many years later the spider helped David HaMelech. We made spider web paintings and had wonderful conversations as to how we can help and how we are important. The highlight of the week was 'The Ugly Duckling' play in Ivrit. The children sat so beautifully even though they did not understand all the words they knew the story very well and this helped them to enjoy the experience.

Another highlight of the week was the Chief Rabbi, Rabbi Mirvis, 'visiting' the school via Teams. He spoke very kindly to the children and answered questions they asked him. The Chief Rabbi was very impressed with the interesting questions the children came up with!

Shabbat Shalom

Miss Genn and Mrs Talisman