

Cheder Miami

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בסוכות הושבתי את בני ישראל



These past weeks have been packed with Sukkos learning! Cheder Miami was the **ONLY** preschool/elementary school in the greater Miami area to remain open throughout the hurricane threat last week.

Not one minute of bitul Torah! Last week, the second grade was privileged to hear a beautiful story from guest speaker, Rabbi Tenenbaum.

On Monday, our talmidim learned about the daled minim at a special presentation given by expert Avi Goldblatt.



Calendar Reminders:

Tuesday 10/15-10/27

NO SCHOOL - SUKKOS BREAK

10/28- School resumes

8:35AM

Yahrtzeits:

י"ג תשרי - Rav Akiva Eiger

י"ט תשרי - The Vilna Goan



Message from the Menahel

Sukkos is *zecher* to the *ananei hakavod*. Remembering how Hashem protected us for 40 years in the *midbar* when we left *Mitzrayim*- which was after Pesach. So then what is Sukkos doing in the middle of *Tishrei*? The Vilna Goan says that Sukkos is actually connected to Yom Kippur.

After Klal Yisroel did the *chet ha'eigel*, we lost the *ananei hakavod*. They were taken away from us. But on Yom Kippur, Moshe came down with the second set of *luchos*, and we did *teshuva* for our sin. Five days later the *ananei hakavod* came back!

We see from this, that Sukkos is not just about remembering the *ananei hakavod* after Hashem took us out of *Mitzrayim*. Sukkos is about the *ananei hakavod* that was returned to us after we sinned and did *teshuva*.

Now that we have just gone through our own Yom Kippur and did *teshuva*, may we be *zoche* to have and feel the *shechina* constantly with us, just like in the *midbar*.

חג כשר ושמח!

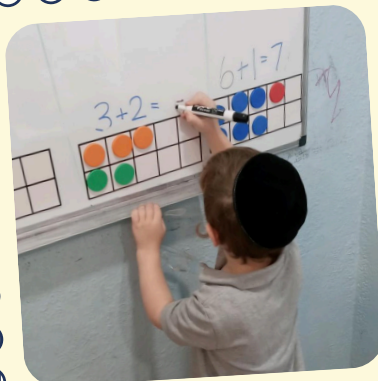
R Yaakov Burstyn



Morah Mindel's kindergarten has been non-stop learning about Sukkos and Simchas Torah! We made sukkah decorations and frames, and special Torah flags! The boys also started learning about Shabbos in their Shabbos unit and began a special Shabbos project. They have also continued their amazing keriyah learning!



Morah Rivkah's kindergarten is hard at work! They have been very busy practicing solving math problems! The boys are watering their plants and continuing to help them grow even bigger.



Enjoying our new playground!

Have a Chag Kasher v'Sameach!!



PLAYGROUP BLOG



SUKKOS/SIMCHAS TORAH



WE HAD SO MUCH LEARNING ALL ABOUT SUKKOS AND SIMCHAS TORAH IN PLAYGROUP!

HERE'S WHAT WE DID:

WE MADE OUR OWN 3D LULAV BY PAINTING IT BROWN AND GREEN AND ATTACHING HADAASIM AND ARAVOS.

WE CREATED OUR OWN 3D ESROG BY PAINTING IT YELLOW AND STUFFING IT WITH STUFFING!

WE BUILT OUR OWN SUKKAH USING BROWN POPSICLE STICKS, GREEN TISSUE PAPER, AND A PICTURE OF EACH CHILD HOLDING A LULAV AND ESROG. WE ALSO PUT A DOOR ON IT THAT WE CAN OPEN AND CLOSE!

WE DECORATED AN USHPIZEN CARD AND LEARNED ABOUT THE DIFFERENT GUESTS THAT WE HAVE ON SUKKOS!

WE LEARNT THE IMPORTANCE OF BEING HAPPY ON SUKKOS AND MADE OUR OWN SMILEY FACE ART!

WE HAD SO MUCH FUN LEARNING ABOUT SIMCHAS TORAH AND DECORATED OUR OWN FLAGS.

WE CREATED OUR OWN TORAH BY STUFFING AND DECORATING OUR MINI TORAHS WITH A PICTURE OF US HOLDING OUR OWN TORAH.

WE ALSO HAD SO MUCH FUN PLAYING A SUKKOS MATCHING GAME AND DANCING WITH OUR TORAHS!

PARENTS, PLEASE SEND TZEDAKA AND MITZVAH NOTES WITH YOUR CHILDREN TO HANG UP ON OUR MITZVAH TREE :)

HAVE AN AMAZING YOM TOV, AND WE CAN'T WAIT TO SEE EVERYONE BACK IN SCHOOL SOON!
MORAH ARIELLA , MORAH TAMAR AND MORAH ESTHER MALKA



סוכות

On Sukkos we have the special mitzva of shaking the Daled minim; Lulav, Esrog, Hadasim and Aravos.

Why do we take these 4 random things and tie them together?

The Medrash explains that the mitzva of the Daled Minim shows us the importance of Achdus, everyone coming together.

Each one the Daled Minim represent different types of yidden.

Lulav: The lulav comes from a date tree. Dates have a good taste but no smell. This represents the Yid who learns Torah but doesn't focus as much on the mitzvos.

Esrog: The Esrog has a good smell and a good taste. This represents the Yid who learns lots of Torah and does lots of mitzvos.

Hadasim: The Hadasim have a good smell but no taste. This represents the Yid who does mitzvos but doesn't focus as much on learning Torah.

Aravos: Aravos have no taste and no smell. This represents the Yid who does not focus on the mitzvos or on learning Torah.

On Sukkos we tie all the four types together to show that all the Yidden should come together as one. Even if we are different from each other and we don't think the same or act the same as our friends, the mitzva of Daled Minim is teaching us that we must come together as one and respect everyone no matter what!

Have a Great Yom Tov!

פרשת בראשית

When Hashem asked Adam why he ate from the eitz hadas, Adam responded, “The woman that **You** gave me, made me eat it”.

Rashi points out that Adam is not appreciating what Hashem gave him. Hashem gave him Chava so that he would not be all alone. But instead of being grateful, he was complaining. Adam should have said, “You're right, I did the wrong thing, I want to do Teshuva. Please forgive me.”

Whenever someone does a favor for us we must be careful to smile at them and say, “Thank you so much!” or “I really Appreciate it!”, not mumble a thank you or just leave it out altogether.

Let us all work on having Hakaras Hatov, and on that note:

Thank you so much Mommy/Mom/אמא for all the hard work you put in making this delicious Shabbos Seuda!!

Have a great Shabbos!

סוכות

SUKKOS TRIVIA

WHAT ARE THE DALED MINIM?

HOW MANY WALLS DOES A SUKKA
NEED?

WHEN DO YOU MAKE A BRACHA
OF לישב בסכה?

שמחת תורה

SIMCHAS TORAH TRIVIA

**WHAT ARE WE CELEBRATING
ON SIMCHAS TORAH?**

**WHO GETS AN ALIYA ON
SIMCHAS TORAH?**

**WHY DO WE LEIN FROM PARSHAS
BERISHES ON SIMCHAS TORAH?**

פרשת בראשית

PARSHA TRIVIA

**IN HOW MANY DAYS WAS THE
WORLD CREATED?**

**ON WHICH DAY WAS ADAM
CREATED?**

**WHAT WAS THE NAMES OF ADAM
AND CHAVAS 3 SONS?**