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After a beautiful Yom Tov of Shavuos, the children returned excited to share their experiences and continue growing together through meaningful conversations and learning opportunities. This week, the classes enjoyed hands-on projects, puzzles, and stories that made learning both engaging and fun! Welcome Ben Rabhan to the Cheder Miami Family!



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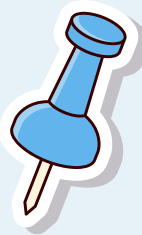
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This week in Nursery...



Dear Parents,

It was so nice to see everyone after Shavuos! Each friend had the opportunity to share how he or she celebrated. It has been so beautiful to watch the progress the children are making. The friends are getting much better at taking turns, listening to one another, feeling happy for their friends when they have a chance to share and engage in conversations together. This is such an exciting milestone to see!

This week, we continued on our Aleph-Bais journey, focusing on the letter Dalet, which makes the “d-d-d” sound. We learned several words that begin with Dalet, including dreidel, dag (fish), and deles (door).

The friends also enjoyed making special projects connected to our learning.

In Afternoon Nursery, we are working on the letter I and numbers 7 and 8. It is wonderful to see the children so excited about learning new things! They love doing projects, worksheets, puzzles, and so much more.

This week, we are beginning to make simple sentences using the letter of the week. Our sentence this week is:

“The Iguana Is In the Igloo.”

Our favorite CD story is Curious George, and one of the children’s favorite books is Curious George Has a New Bike.

Wishing everyone a wonderful Shabbos!



Nursery Pictures





PEEK INTO PLAYGROUP

ALL ABOUT ME

THIS WEEK WE STARTED OUR END OF YEAR ALL ABOUT ME BOOK

ON MONDAY, WE HAD SO MUCH FUN DECORATING OUR FAVORITE FOOD PAGE!

ON TUESDAY, WE PAINTED OUR FAVORITE COLOR PAGE!

ON WEDNESDAY, WE HAD SO MUCH FUN PUTTING GEMS ON OUR FAVORITE ACTIVITY PAGE!

ON THURSDAY, WE DECORATED WHAT OUR FAVORITE THING TO LEARN ABOUT WAS PAGE!

**ON FRIDAY, WE HAD SUCH A FUN SHABBOS PARTY
WHERE SARA L WAS OUR SHABBOS IMMA AND YISACHAR WAS OUR SHABBOS ABBA!
WE EVEN BRAIDED OUR OWN CHALLAH TO TAKE HOME FOR SHABBOS!**

LOOKING FORWARD TO MORE FUN NEXT WEEK! HAVE AN AMAZING SHABBOS!

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

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Please treat this newsletter with proper respect.
 Please do not read during *davening* or *Krias HaTorah*.

Q I Used to Love Yeshivah...

I started *mesivta* in Elul. There's one kid, Menashe, who really bothers me. He seems to feel that there's some kind

of competition between us. Several times, he's come over to my table and grabbed my notes, looking to find something wrong or to



see if I'm working more slowly than he is. If he sees that he's ahead, he gloats about it. Now he's doing the same thing in math and science. I really love yeshivah and I've always loved learning Torah, but Menashe's competitiveness is making it miserable for me, especially in Gemara. Can I tell my *rebbe* how Menashe's been harassing me, and how he gloats when he sees that he's ahead of me?

—Yedidya

What's the Psak?

Do you know the halachah?

A No.
 It's all *loshon hora*, and it will give the *rebbe* a bad impression of Menashe.

B Yes.
 Make sure to stay within the rules of *to'eles*.

C No.
 Yedidya should practice overlooking annoyances.

Say Just Enough

Even though wholesale *loshon hora* is forbidden, you are allowed to protect yourself and speak to someone who can help you when someone is causing you harm or loss.¹ Still, there is a proper way to go about it.

First, Yedidya should try to deal directly with Menashe. He should explain that Menashe is bothering him and that there is no competition between them. If that is too difficult or uncomfortable to do, Yedidya may tell the *rebbe*, because there is no alternative.

But Yedidya must relate only necessary information. He can tell the *rebbe* that Menashe regularly comes to his table to check on his progress and compete with him, which bothers him. But he should not tell the *rebbe* that Menashe gloats when he sees that he's ahead, because the *rebbe* can solve the issue without that

knowledge. This is an important condition for *to'eles*: **We must not offer any more negative information than is necessary to achieve the constructive purpose.**² Furthermore, offering more information than necessary is considered getting enjoyment from revealing the flaws of another!

Yedidya also must be sure to fulfill the other conditions of *to'eles*. He should try to speak with constructive intentions, not to get Menashe in trouble, and he should report only the facts he knows firsthand, without exaggerating.³

Answer: The halachah is **B**.

Reviewed by **Rabbi Moshe Mordechai Lowy**

Rav Pam, *zi"l*, advised great caution when presenting halachic scenarios to the public, as each situation is unique. This *shailah* is for discussion only; actual halachic decisions should be made by a *rav* or halachic expert on a case-by-case basis.

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1. See: Chofetz Chaim, *Minchas Shimon*, 2:107; *Shemesh Samur*, 2:107; *Chofetz Chaim*, *Hilchos*

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Say the good

word power

Eliezer and his wife spent a long, difficult week caring for their her situation had improved enough for her to go home. With a large family waiting for them and various friends and relatives stepping in to help, the couple could hardly wait to walk out the door with their daughter.

But their excitement was soon squashed by the sour face of the head nurse who had walked into the room. "Don't expect to be discharged for at least another four hours," she warned them. "The doctors are busy. They'll get to it when they can."

The nurse left no doubt that she did not want to hear from them about the wait. But four hours to sign a few papers? Everyone was expecting

them back home!

Well, That's Different!

"Hashem, please help me through this," Eliezer whispered.

Just then, an idea occurred to him. He asked the head nurse for a stack of paper.

"A whole stack?" she asked.

"Yes," he said. "I want to write thank-you notes to all the staff who cared for my daughter this past week."

She reached into the printer tray and handed him a sizable stack of papers. Then, with a noticeably softer expression on her face, the nurse said, "Let me see what I can do for you."

About two minutes later, the doctor and the head nurse were standing at the door, ready to proceed with the discharge.

As soon as they sensed that even a small dose of appreciation was coming their way, everything changed. Half an hour later, the family was walking out of the hospital, and before long, they were back home with their children. The door had opened, and a small dose of gratitude was the key.

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participant who submitted the article

The funeral parlor was packed. In the room were crying along with

See the good Real Story?

The *niftar* was loved and hundreds of people Well, I've Never

felt the need to be

Seen Such

Yosef, the *niftar's* cousin Eli glanced

that highlighted his times when someone who seemed to be an ordinary Jew was revealed to have been far more than that. Inspiring *hespedim* Rudeness! Yosef sat up front, just a few rows back from the immediate family. Speaker after

when he noticed Yosef. Yosef was talking while the speaker gave his *hesped*, and only a couple of rows behind his grieving family. And it wasn't just a quick,

whispered comment. Eli couldn't hear it, but he could see that Yosef was in deep conversation!

In fact, Eli noticed that Yosef didn't even have the decency to turn his eyes to the podium. Instead, he sat facing the man next to him, talking away as if they were enjoying a friendly cup of coffee together. The other man didn't seem to mind. Couldn't it wait? How could he be so clueless, so rude?

Can you Crack the case?

speaker rose to the podium. Their voices were choked with emotion, and many

mouth every word of each *hesped* so that Shia, who was a proficient lip-reader, could "hear" what was being said. It was a stressful task, but Yosef kept it up, trying hard to hear and relay each word, and to keep his own emotions in check so that he could continue to "tell" his deaf friend every word.

As a *zechus* for our children Dedicated by Mr. Yosef and Dr. Shani Herman

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