

Shabbat Candle Lighting 4:19



Dear Parents,

There was so much fun and learning at school this week! We welcomed Morah Shari on Monday to our Jewish ELC family.

Judaic Circle: We learned about the Torah portion of 'Chayei Sarah' this week. Eliezer went to find a wife for Yitzchak, Avraham's son. He went to the well to look for a kind girl. Rivkah offered him water and water for the camels. He knew she would be a good wife for Yitzchak and gave her jewelry. We dressed up as Eliezer and Rivka and tried on so much fancy jewelry. In art this week, we made bracelets or jewelry out of pasta beads that we painted.

Social studies: We began to learn about Thanksgiving and read a wonderful book called "Thanksgiving Treat" by Catherine Stock. Everyone loved hearing about a little boy who wanted to help out for the Thanksgiving Feast. We also pretended we were Pilgrims traveling to America for freedom. We pretended we were on a ship. We looked at another book called "This is the Feast" by Diane Z. Shore that showed us how the native American Indians helped the Pilgrims through the hard winter and the feast they made for "Thanksgiving."

Science: We learned all about camels. We learned how their humps can absorb a lot of water so they can travel a long time in the dessert. We connected it to this week's story in the Torah Portion, talking about how Eliezer's camels were so thirsty after their long trip through the desert to find Rivka.

Yoga: Miss Jackie was back this week with more stretches and poses to our bodies, helping to keep us healthy.

Art: We started painting and cutting the different parts of a special Thanksgiving bulletin board. We also learned different types of strokes, when painting our pasta beads for the jewelry we made.

Shabbat Shalom,

Morah Shari and Morah Tamari ☺

P.S. Your junk is our treasure. Enclosed please find a list of items we would like you to please save and send in so we can recycle them for exciting and creative art projects. When in doubt, we will throw it out. Thank you!



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- Paper towel and toilet paper rolls
- Cardboard milk or juice cartons
- Oatmeal or salt canisters
- Cardboard egg cartons
- Plastic lids from aerosol cans, detergent, soda bottles,
- Crystal Light containers with cover
- Old puzzle pieces -wood or cardboard
- Cereal boxes
- Magazines and catalogues
- Corks from wine bottles
- Packaging peanuts
- Worn out corduroy clothing of any color
- Colorful wrapping paper
- Pringles cans
- Ribbon scraps
- Old maps
- Left over decorating samples of tile, flooring, wallpaper or fabric
- Coffee sleeves
- Cardboard from inside tights or stockings
- Old Men's Ties