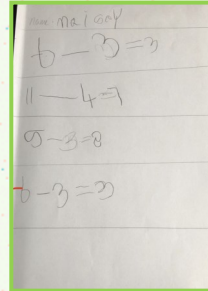
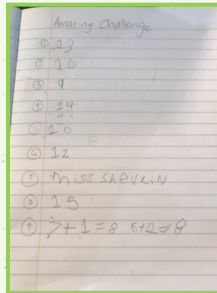
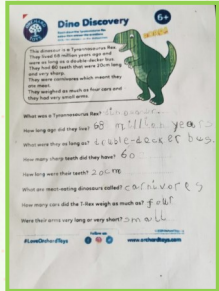


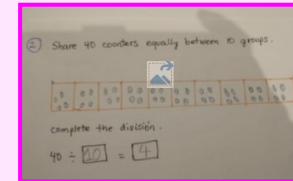
### Wheat Aleph and Wheat Bet

This week Reception have been thinking all about Tu B'Shevat and the Rainbow Fish! We were very impressed with their amazing adjectives to describe the rainbow fish on Monday and all the fruit the children tried for Tu B'Shevat. There were some amazing experiments discovering how water travels through trees and some brilliant tree artwork! It was lovely to see the children's memories tables. Well done Reception, what a great week!

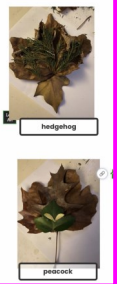
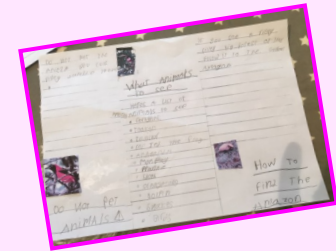


### Olive Aleph

Year 2 have had a fantastic week learning about Tu B'Shevat and making trees and creating pictures with natural items. In English, we have done an amazing job transforming rhetorical questions into subheadings to use on our



Brazil leaflets. In Maths we have been dividing, drawing tallies and creating pictograms. We even had time for a bit of salsa dancing!

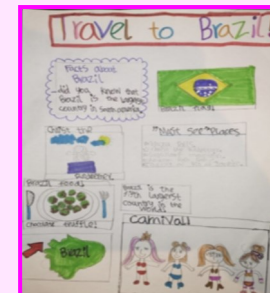
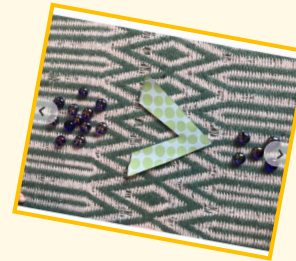
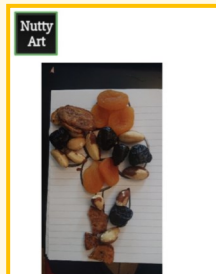
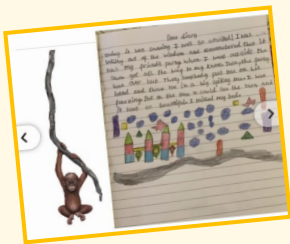
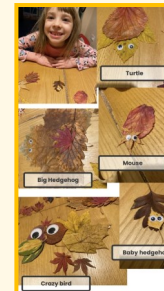


### Year 1

### Barley Aleph and Barley Bet

In Year 1 this week we have been getting really into nature! We have been celebrating the birthday of the trees which is called Tu B'Shevat. In English we have been creating posters for Floyd from our class story 'Stuck' telling him how to look after trees a little better. We have also been thinking about our memories and why they are important for us. In History we have been learning about wild and wacky transports from all over the world and thinking about which one we think is the safest and least safe. In Maths we have been doing HUMUNGIOUS counting and we have been amazed by the different things the children used to count at home. Mr Barker and Miss Cohen are also blown away by all of the extra creative learning that the children are doing, it is so special!

Nature is our classroom!



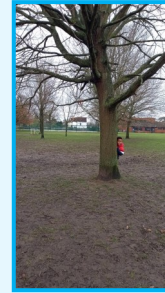




## Fig Aleph

Year 3 have had a really busy week! In Maths we finished pounds and pence using partitioning and part-whole models to solve real world problems. We moved onto statistics in which we compared and constructed tally charts. In English we enjoyed our book 'Anansi the Spider', introducing our own characters and their powers using adjectives and adverbs. We can't wait to find out what happens to 'Anansi' each day. In Art we celebrated Tu B'Shevat creating '4 Season Trees' and in Music we have been trying out our rhythms in African drumming. Fig Class explored two fiction texts each week - 'Lost in Space' and 'The Abominables' in which lots of exciting and

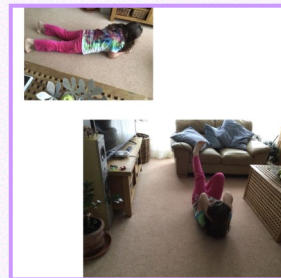
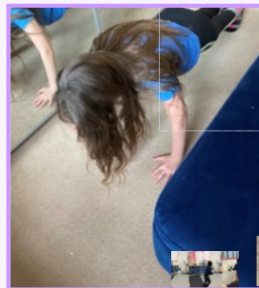
adventurous happenings take place. In Topic we have been analysing how plants grow, discovering this through experiments using sunlight, water and temperature as well as challenging ourselves to a 60 second read on the 'Galapagos Islands'. Year 3 also participated in activities such as reflecting on their own memories and remembering Holocaust Memorial Day.






## Year 4

## Pomegranate Aleph and Pomegranate Bet

This week Year 4 were up skilling in English, looking closely at grammar and reading skills. For Maths we started our new topic on fractions which so far Year 4 have been great at identifying unit and non-unit fractions. Activities on Tu B'Shevat have also taken place and students shared some great items that meant something to them in reflection of Holocaust Memorial Day. Year 4 also did PE with Miss Zubonja which they loved.



Change these examples to either Direct Speech or Indirect Speech:

	The machines threatened to destroy all humans.
Direct Speech: "Destroy all humans!" yelled the machine.	
	The man told another man that he had eaten his lunch.
Direct Speech: "That was for my lunch!" shouted the man.	
	"Go away!" screamed the monster.
Indirect Speech: The monster screamed at the man.	

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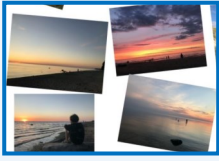
## Olive Aleph

This week we have been focusing on fractions in Maths! We have been looking at equivalent fractions and adding and subtracting them. In English, we have been looking at how memories are important and have written letters to ourselves to remind us of the good things we have discovered during living through the pandemic. We have been learning about food chains in Science and how plants are the beginning of most chains. We have also been doing lots of activities connected to Tu B'Shevat and learning more about the Holocaust through Holocaust Memorial Day. We saw so much hard work this week that Miss Evans had to give two stars of the week! Myla and Emily were the lucky recipients!



## Date Aleph

This week, Year 6 have continued learning about World War 2 throughout the curriculum. In Art, we produced amazing art inspired by the blitz. It was quite a messy process with lots of smudging and blending but we think you'll agree that the final outcome was amazing! This Wednesday was HMD and we learnt about memorial and the importance of memories. We shared our own memories and explained why they were so precious to us. You can see some of our treasured moments and items in the photos. We also discussed the importance of inclusivity and acceptance and came up with some brilliant ideas of how we can continue to build an awareness of the many diverse communities and beliefs that exist today. We all agreed that whilst it's brilliant to stand up for your own rights, it's also really important to stand up for everyone else too. For Tu B'Shevat, we learnt all about the environment and how to have our own mini seder at home - thanks Torah Team!



## Achievements

Teachers will be choosing children for their names to appear here soon.

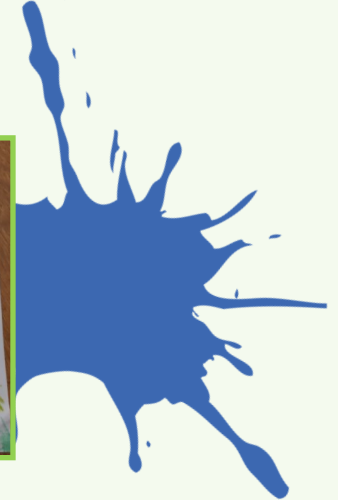


## Mazel Tov

## Key Stage One

Justus from Grape Bet for creating an amazing rainforest picture. Justus drew lots of different plants and animals and made his jungle picture bright and lively by using a range of colours.

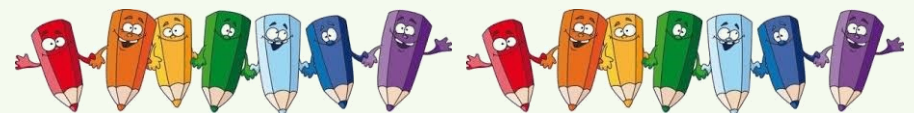
Great job Justus!



## Key Stage Two

Michele from Fig class for a fantastic fashion project. Michele created beautiful African Kente cloth and turned it into a gorgeous and fashionable dress for her doll.

Well done Michele!





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