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Rabbi Rawicki Introduces Third Graders to the Concept of Torah Shbal Peh



Mrs. Fuchs' Sixth Graders Wrap-Up Their Study of Agriculture and the Origins of Civilization.



Rabbi Lowy's Fourth Graders Review Bnei Yisroel's Journey from Mitzrayim to Har Sinai



Fourth Graders Study the Meaning of Brachos



Kindergarteners Emulate Chesed by Giving Cupcakes Baked by the Class to Third Graders Pictured Below: Meir and Shlomo Zalmen Cohen, Eliezer and Benjy Adams









Mesivta Open House

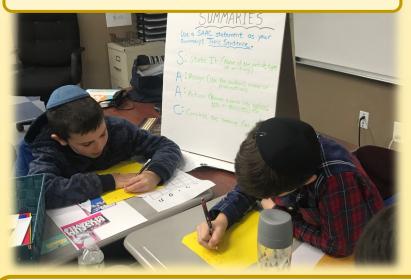
Motzei Shabbos, Parshas Vayechi December 22

We look forward to greeting you!

Talmidim Enjoying Last Week's Beautiful Weather



Mrs. Leibovic's Class Working on Summarizing Nonfiction Texts.



A Peek Into Yeshiva Ketana's Upcoming Events

Sunday, Nov. 11th-N'shei Tea

Monday Nov. 12th- No Transportation- Dismissal 3:00 Sunday, Nov.18th- Rebbeim-in-Service-Dismissal: 12:00

Thank you N'shei for this months Rosh Chodesh treat.
This months Rosh Chodesh Kis-

lev donuts was sponsored by:
The Singer family, in honor of
Morah Ayelet and Morah Deena,
wonderful Pre-1a morahs.

The Kurzman family bezechus refuah shleimah for Rafael Chaim

Dov ben Rissa Shoshana.



Mazel Tov

8th grader, **Tzvi Karp** on becoming a *Bar Mitzvah* 2nd grader, **Coby Spitz** on finishing *Sefer Tehillim* 1st and 3rd grader, **Yehuda and Dovid Ezra Stansky**, on becoming an uncle

Tzvi
Karp's Bar
Mitzvah

Menachem
Goldstein's
Birthday
Party

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Parenting in the Parsha

פרשת תולדות

One Way or Another

ויגדלו הנערים ויהי עשו איש ידע ציד איש שדה ויעקב איש תם ישב אהלים

When the boys grew up, Eisav became a skillful hunter, a man of the outdoors; but Yaakov was a mild man who stayed in camp.

חנך לנער על־פי דרכו

Educate a child according to his way

-Mishlei 22

Each child should be guided in accordance with the path intended especially for him, the path that suits the qualities and tendencies latent in his personality, and thus he should be educated both as a man and as a Jew.

Rav Shamshon Raphael Hirsch

"Since no Ralphs are just like their sisters and brothers, what's good for one Ralph might be bad for the others.

A Tale of Three Ralphs – a Children's story by Miriam Minkowitz

"If a child is poor in math but good at tennis, most people would hire a math tutor. I would rather hire a tennis coach."

Deepak Chopra

A Tale of Three Ralphs is an amusing short story for children with an important life-lesson for both children and adults. It tells of the ill-fated attempt of a couple who decide they will treat all of their children exactly alike, with no exceptions. That is how they end up with one boy and two girls all named Ralph, as the equal treatment of the two younger sisters meant that they would have the exact name of their older brother. The story tells of the folly of trying to treat children of different ages and different stages exactly alike, until the parents come to their senses and recognize their foolishness.

Rav Shamshon Raphael Hirsch tells us that we must all, as parents, be wary of falling into the trap of the three Ralphs. Rav Hirsch (in what is a provocative idea), based on *midrash*, contends that this misguided approach to parenting is what gave rise to the evil *Eisav* and, by extension, all subsequent tragedy wrought throughout history by Eisav and his descendants. In Rav Hirsch's view, had Yitzchok and Rivkah been sensitive to the differing needs and paths of Yaakov and Eisav, and had they offered Eisav an education tailored to his talents, abilities, and proclivities, things would have turned out quite different. While a discussion of the validity of such a perspective on the *avos* is beyond the scope of this work, Rav Hirsch's principle certainly rings true for all of us trying to raise our children.

No two people are alike, and that goes for children who grow up in the same house and share much of the same DNA. They have different challenges, different talents, divergent abilities, tastes and dislikes. An attempt to cookiecut our children and raise them exactly alike is a recipe for failure and disappointment.

In education, much is made about the need to differentiate instruction in the classroom. That differentiated instruction can sometimes take the form of setting different goals for different students, and can sometimes manifest in setting the same goals with unique paths for reaching those goals.

Our homes are in need of differentiated instruction as well. We need to set goals for each of our children in his way, and we need to lay out paths for each of them to reach his goals in his own way. Nurture your athlete's athleticism, your musician's musical ability, your artist's artistic talent and your student's academics. But, don't make the mistake of trying to make your artist into a student or your student into an artist. Nourish the abilities, talents and strengths of each of your precious children. Treat them with equal love, patience, kindness and attention. But, don't treat them exactly alike. Doing so is more than folly. It's tragedy.

Good Shabbos

Rabbi Yisroel Gottlieb







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\square 6 th Grade – 30 פסוקים					
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Erev Shabbos & Shabbos



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ON DECEMBER 16TH
IN ADDITION THERE WILL BE A
WEEKLY RAFFLE
FOR A \$25 GIFT CARD

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