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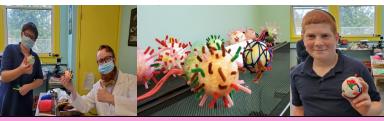


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Can you believe that the Yomin Noraim are beginning already? On behalf of the entire faculty and staff, we would like to wish you – all of our students, parents, supporters and friends – a כתיבה וחתימה טובה. May you be blessed in this new year with good health (NO Covid-19!), joy, prosperity and Yiddishe nachas from your children!

While we are on the subject of blessings and nachas, I wanted to let you know that we are so impressed with your children's resilience and excitement. We were concerned, like educators around the world, that our students would show very significant regression due to the pandemic and lack of in-person learning. However, Baruch Hashem, we are so pleased to report that our students have bounced back very impressively. They are taking their learning seriously and making great progress. We are so proud of them!

Speaking of hard work and pandemics, I'll bet you didn't realize that our students can make really scary bacteria, right? See below...



# Summer Homework Store

What fun! Students who worked on their summer packets went shopping on Friday at the Super Summer Homework Store. They bought

slime in all sizes, squishy toys, playing cards, puzzles, magnetic travel games, fancy pens and pencils, hacky sacks, bracelets and more!





### Calendar

- ~ Friday-Sunday, September:18-20: Rosh Hashana Break (no school)
- ~ Monday, September 21st: Tzom Gedalia (1 pm dismissal)
- ~ Monday, September 28th: Yom Kippur (no school)

- Chaim and Perel Mittel (DHR class of 2011) on the birth of a daughter, Chana Raizel.
- ~Rochel London (DHR class of 2013) upon her engagement to Chaim Shotkin.

## Condolences

We would like to express our condolences to the family of Mr. David Flaum, a great friend and supporter of DHR. There will be a special shloshim memorial event at DHR in David's memory next Thursday, September 24<sup>th</sup>. We will begin with davening at 7:30am, we'll use our Flaum Torah for leining and then please join us for a delicious breakfast. If you can join our minyan, please rsvp to: rabbichastain@derechhatorah.org.

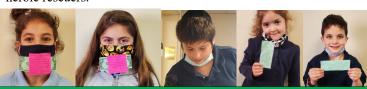




Raziel (1st grade) - His table had the most points at the end of the week. Great job following directions!

Michal (1st grade) - Instead of being upset that her table didn't win, Michal stood up and clapped for her friends who won! Ella N. (4/5G) - Mrs. Ribakow called everyone to come in from recess. Ella immediately got off her swing to line up. She didn't wait to finish her snack or conversation; she came right away. Batsheva H. (4/5G) - During lunch, a group of girls were asked to spread out to another table. They all wanted to stay with their friends, but Batsheva hopped up & found a new spot!

Benny D. (6/7B) - Benny shared a beautiful speech on 9/11 with the entire school. We also played a moving rendition of the National Anthem as a tribute to those who lost their lives and to the



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