

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- 13th February– Tu B'Shevat smoothies sale after school
- 14th February– school closes at 1.30pm for half term and re-opens Monday 24th February
- 13th March– Staff Purim performance 2.15pm (more information to follow)
- 27th March– Parents evening

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Friday 24th January 2025

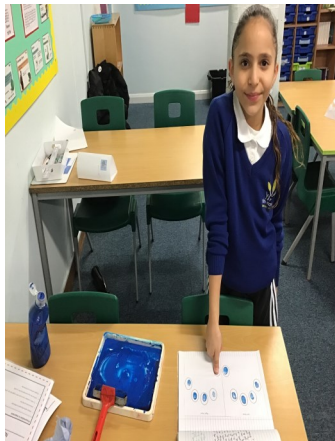
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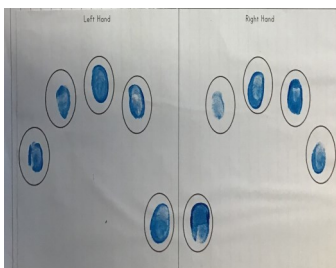
**Shabbat time: Starts Friday at 16.20 and ends Saturday at 17.28**

When is it ever not busy! So much learning and fun activities have been happening all across our school.

This term we launched our Extra Curricular Curriculum and it has been a blast!



Our first piece of work involved 'fingerprints', we discovered that we all had unique fingerprint patterns, our fingers also had subtle differences. We learned about how this was very useful in identifying people and the police use this method all the time.



Yesterday we invited parents and significant adults into school. This is always a fun morning and pupils love that you watch and join them with their work in their classrooms.

In year 1 and 2 parents and pupils were working with money.



Year 5 parents had a taste of philosophy then maths work.



Year 4 parents had a taste of Ivrit lessons.



When you are in Early years you have to be ready for everything!



A huge Thank You to everyone that joined us!

**Ms Metin and the  
Simon Marks Team**