



Welcome to Nursery 3!

## **NURSERY 3**

### **Children must be three years old by September 1st**

In Nursery 3 our goal is to foster a positive self image in each child because a positive sense of self inspires both a love of learning and of love of school. Through our hands-on and child centered curriculum, and the use of multiple teaching methods, your child will have the opportunity to learn and grow in a natural manner to him or to her. To support language development, group discussions are encouraged and are often inspired by books, show and tell and your child's curiosity. Creative dramatics, music and movement and strong literature based activities are used in the classroom to encourage free expression and allow your child's imagination to surface. In our nursery three classroom your child will learn in a child-driven, dynamic and warm environment.

### **Daily Activities**

- **Tephilot** – *Modeh Ani, Torah Tziva, Tzitzit, Ma Tov, Adon Olam, Asher Yatzar, As Yashir, Shema...*and gradually growing upon the entire year; with an emphasis on punctuation
- **Calendar**
- **Parshiot**
- **Outdoor Play**
- **Ivrit Immersion**

### **Weekly Activities**

- **Gym**
- **Yoga**
- **Library**
- **Shabbat Party**
- **Enrichment**
- **Cooking**

**Here is our daily schedule:** *(subject to change based on specials and other events)*

**8:15** *morning arrival and free play*

**9:00** *clean up*

**9:15** *davening and circle time*

**9:45** *bathroom, wash and snack*

**10:00** *projects, theme work, free play*

- 10:50** *clean up*
- 11:00** *Outdoor play (weather permitting) or gross motor room*
- 11:25** *wash, lunch, birkat hamazon & rest*
- 1:10** *calendar / circle time*
- 1:30** *enrichment / centers*
- 2:30** *snack, clean up & pack up*
- 3:00** *Outdoor play (weather permitting) or gross motor room*

**EXPLORING.....**

<b>September</b>	<i>All About Me / Rosh Hashana / Autumn</i>
<b>October</b>	<i>Sukkot / Creation /</i>
<b>November</b>	<i>Hibernation (Pajma Day)Thanksgiving / Thank you Hashem</i>
<b>December</b>	<i>Winter / Chanukah</i>
<b>January</b>	<i>Brachot Unit</i>
<b>February</b>	<i>Brach Unit (continued) culminating with a trip to Jerusalem Pizza community Helpers, Tu’B’sevhat</i>
<b>March</b>	<i>Purim</i>
<b>April</b>	<i>Spring / Pesach – Multi-sensory approach to living and experience s Pesach and the Pesach Seder</i>
<b>May</b>	<i>Farm Animals, Baby animals &amp; Zoo Animals</i>
<b>June</b>	<i>Summer</i>

In our Ivrit Immersion program, students develop their Hebrew language and literacy in a gradual, spiraled process, building new ideas and concepts atop of an expanding foundation of knowledge. The program gradually helps foster Jewish identity by allowing children to explore their Jewish roots and traditions in a fun and exciting manner.