

Kitah Alef (First Grade) Learning Objectives

Upon completion of the school year, the students will have mastered the following objectives:

Israel:

To state that Jerusalem is the capital of Israel, that the Western Wall is located in Jerusalem and the only remaining part of the Temple.

To name one fact about Tel Aviv, Eilat and Haifa

Holidays:

To name the Jewish *chagim* (holidays) and one way in which the holiday is celebrated including: *Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur, Sukkot, Simchat Torah, Hanukkah, Tu B'Shevat, Purim, Pesach, and Yom Ha'Atzmaut*

Parsha:

To share parts of the various weekly *parshiyot* in *Bereshit* (Book of Genesis)

Community/Lifecycle:

To state their Hebrew name and describe the different ways to celebrate a Jewish child's naming

Mitzvot:

To participate in the mitzvah of *Ahavat ha-briyot* (loving concern for others)

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Tefillah:

To be able to sing along with the group to the following prayers:

Modeh Ani

Mah Tov

Barchu

Shema

V'ahavta (first two lines)

Oseh Shalom

Havdalah Brachot/ Hanukkah Brachot/ Mah Nishtana