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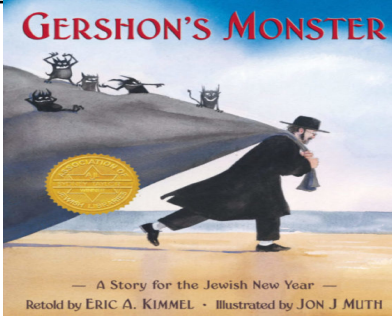
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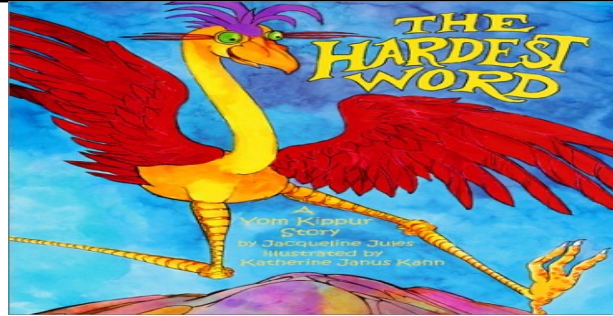
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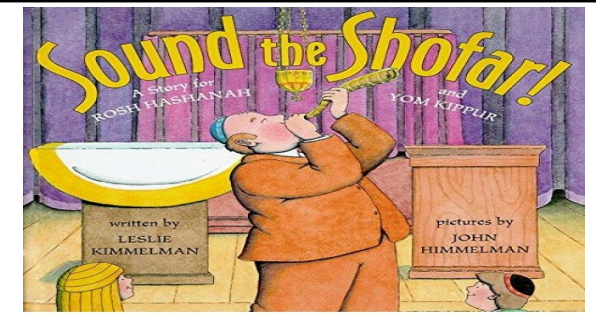
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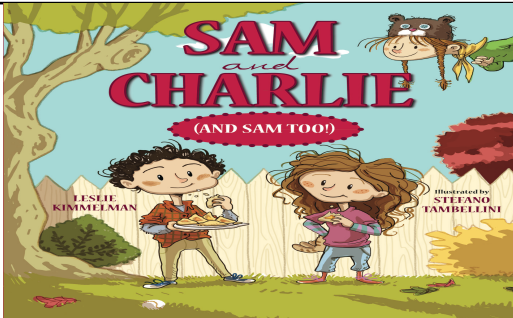
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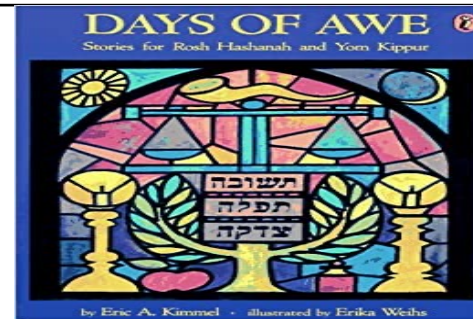
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Literature: The Hardest Word: A Yom Kippur Story, by: Jaqueline Jules



3. About Yom Kippur:
Literature: Sound the Shofar! A Story for Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur, by: Leslie Kimmelman



4. About Yom Kippur:
Literature: Sam and Charlie (and Sam Too!), by: Leslie Kimmelman



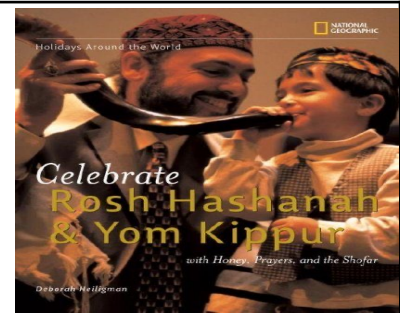
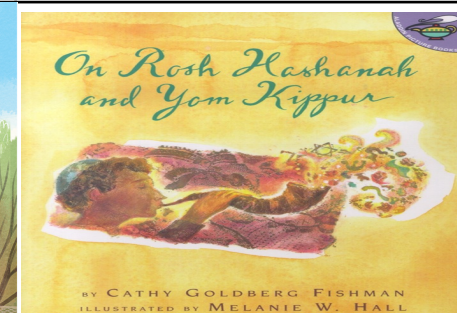
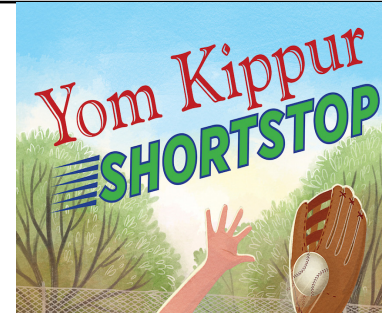
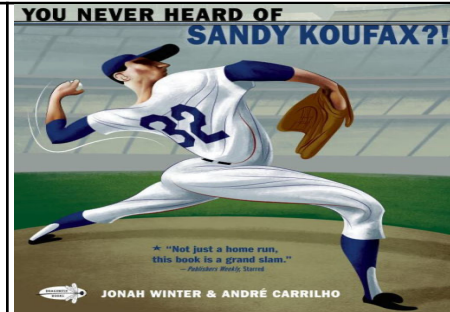
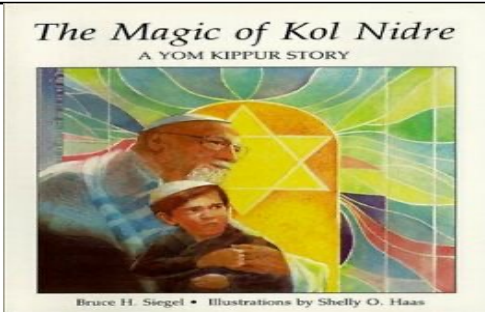
5. About Yom Kippur:
Literature: Days of Awe, by: Eric Kimmel



6. About Yom Kippur:
Literature: Talía and the Very Yum Kippur, by: Linda Marshall

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7. About Yom Kippur:

Literature: The Magic of Kol Nidre, A Yom Kippur Story by: Bruce H. Siegel

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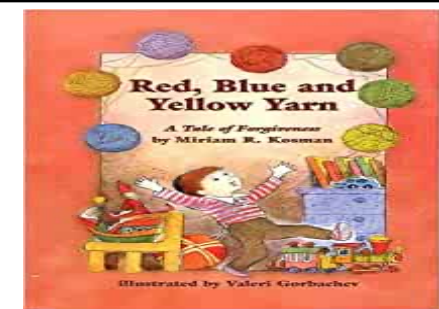
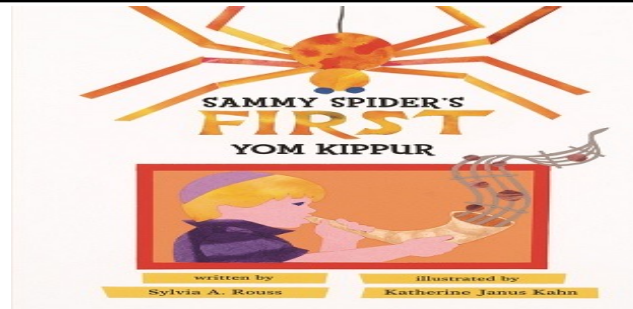
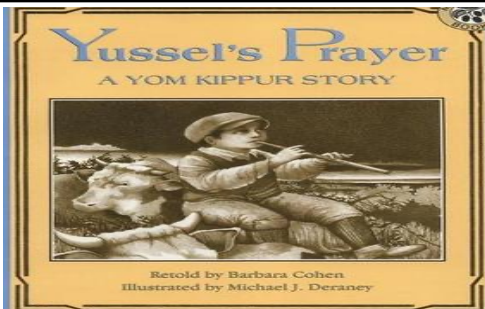
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9. About Yom Kippur:

Literature: On Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur, by: Cathy Goldberg Fishman

8b. Literature: Yom Kippur Shortstop, by: David A. Adler

9b. Literature: Celebrate Rosh Hashana and Yom Kippur: With Honey, Prayers and the Shofar, by: Deborah Heiligman



10. About Yom Kippur:

Literature: Yussel's Prayer, A Yom Kippur Story, by: Barbara Cohen

11. About Yom Kippur:

Literature: Sammy Spider's First Yom Kippur, by: Sylvia A. Rouss

12. About Yom Kippur:

Literature: Red, Blue, and Yellow Yarn, A Tale of Forgiveness, by: Miriam Kosman

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13. Yom Kippur About:

Click on the link to see Danit Schusterman's incredible Yom Kippur Activity Booklets!

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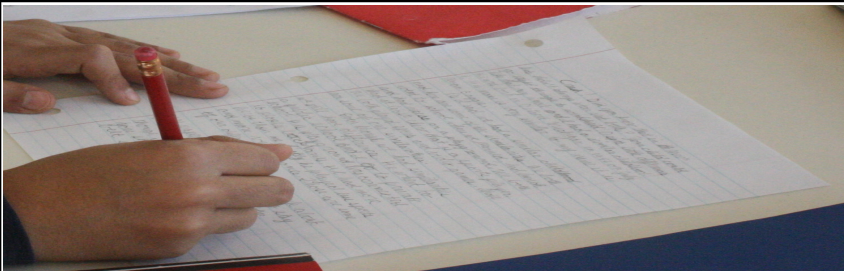
Math: Calendar, 10 Tishrei

Using the Hebrew mobile *Alef-Bet/* alphabet write the date of Yom Kippur: 10th of Tishrei/ *Yud Tishrei*

15. Yom Kippur About:

Math: Calendar, 10 Tishrei.

What date on the Gregorian calendar does *Yom Kippur* come out this year?



16. Yom Kippur About:

What do the words *Yom Kippur* Mean?

History: Why does Yom Kippur represent a Day of Atonement/Forgiveness?

After the sin of the Golden Calf, Moshe ascended another 40 days and nights to pray for forgiveness on behalf of the Jewish people. On the 10th of Tishrei, 40 days/nights later, Moshe descended Har Sinai with the Second set of the Ten Commandments, demonstrating Hashem's forgiving the Nation of Israel, from then on representing the Day of Forgiveness. (*Sefer Shemot, Parshat Ki Tisa* 31;18 -34;35)

Language: Write about what you'd like to be forgiven for.

17. Yom Kippur About:

"U' Teshuva, U' Tefilah, U' Tzedahka Maavirin a Roa Hagezerirah,"

Three steps to break a harsh decree:
Repentance, Prayer and Charity

Language: Use the mobile alphabet in English/ Hebrew to write the three keys to forgiveness

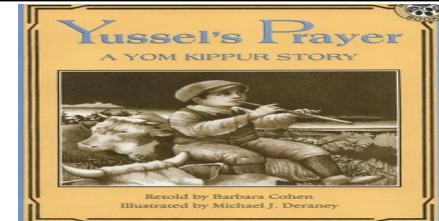
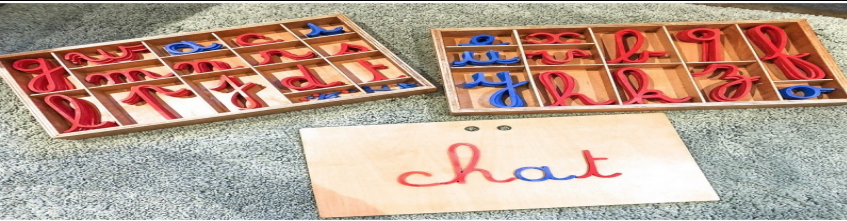
18. Yom Kippur About:

Yom Kippur is the key time to genuinely ask for forgiveness and be completely forgiven!

Practical Life: Lock and key.

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19. Yom Kippur (Vayikrah 16; 29-31)
Three steps to break a harsh decree:
Repentance, Prayer and Charity:
Three steps of *Teshuvah*, repentance. The three R's
1. *Recognize* what I did was wrong
2. *Regret*- apologize
3. *Reform*- change my ways that I won't do it again in the future.
Language: Using the mobile alphabet write the three steps of repentance

20. Yom Kippur (Vayikrah 16; 29-31)
Three steps to break a harsh decree:
Repentance, Prayer and Charity:
Three steps of *Teshuvah*, repentance- *B'lvrit* in Hebrew
1. *Viduy*- confess, recognize, admit what I did was wrong
2. *Charatah*- regret
3. *Kabalah al Haatid*- set my mind that I won't do it again in the future
Language: Using the Hebrew mobile alphabet write the three steps of repentance in Hebrew

21. Yom Kippur About: Three steps to break a harsh decree: Repentance, Prayer and Charity: **Prayer**
Literature: Story: "There is another lovely Jewish [tale](#) of a boy who wanted to pray but didn't know how. He sat in the synagogue with his father, heard the beautiful prayers chanted, and wanted to join in. He began to sing the *alef-bet*, the Hebrew alphabet. His father tried to quiet him, but the child only sang louder. At last he ran to the *bima*, and called out, "Please, dear God, take these letters of the alphabet and rearrange them to form the words that mean what I want to say to you and what is in my heart."

https://www.chabad.org/library/article_cdo/aid/3793120/jewish/The-Boy-Who-Did-Not-Know-How-to-Pray.htm



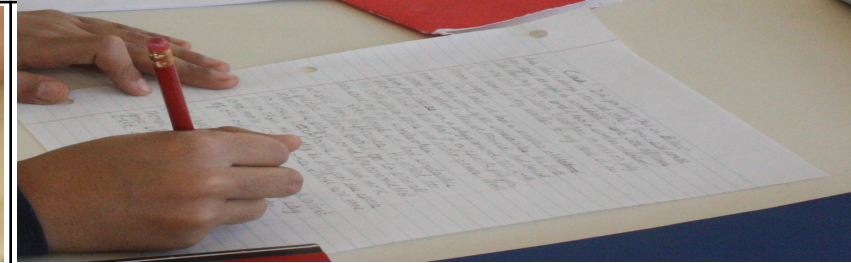
22. Yom Kippur About:
Three steps to break a harsh decree:
Repentance, Prayer and Charity:
Tefillah, prayer. Pray from your heart
Literature: Another Story: Boy didnt know how to pray said Alef Bet from his heart and it was the most precious prayer!

23. Yom Kippur About:
Three steps to break a harsh decree:
Repentance, Prayer and Charity:
Neilah, the final prayer of Yom Kippur. Our last chance to make a heartfelt plea for forgiveness on Yom Kippur.
Language: Use the Hebrew/English mobile alphabet write the word *Neilah*

24. Yom Kippur Custom/ Traditions:
Tekiah Gedolah or *Teruah Gedolah*
a Long blast of the Shofar is blown escorting and connoting the departing of Yom Kippur
Practical Life: For how long can you blow a shofar blast?

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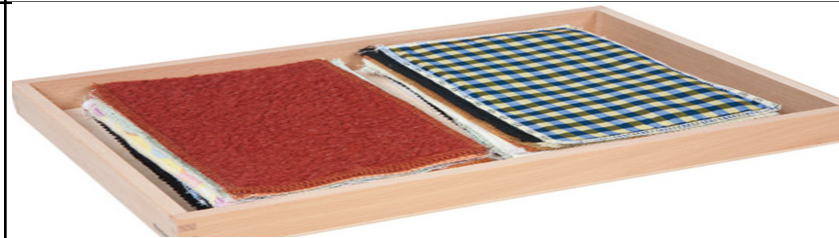
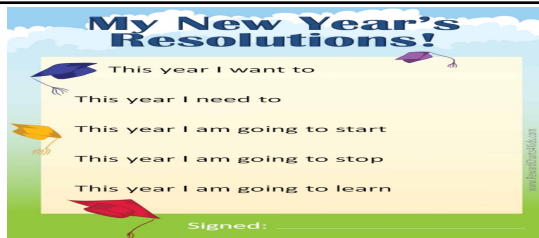
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25. Yom Kippur Custom/ Traditions: *Kaparot*
Ceremony and prayer of atonement by giving extra *tzedakah*, charity. Some perform *kaparot* with a chicken and give the chicken as charity to the poor
Three steps to break a harsh decree:
Repentance, Prayer and Charity: **Charity**
Practical Life: Place the coins in the *Tzedakah*, charity box

26. Yom Kippur Custom/ Traditions:
Hatarat Nedarim, ceremony and prayer to Nullify vows-promises. Additionally, the first prarer commencing Yom Kippur is about the annulment of vows- *Kol Nidrei*
Language: Make sure to keep your word, promises.
What promise have you made that you still need to fulfill?
Better not to make promises in general, just do whatever you set out to do without promising.

27. Yom Kippur Custom/ Traditions:
Language: Ask forgiveness from family and friends and/ or write a letter of apology.



see *Athlete's Observance*:
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Yom_Kippur

28. Yom Kippur Custom/ Traditions:
New Year Resolution: We show we have a plan, of what we'd like to improve in ourselves to help us become better throughout the year.
Language: Write your top 5 New Year Resolutions for self-improvement for this year; from this Rosh Hashana to next Rosh HaShana? Covering these four topics. For example;
Spiritually- Think of 3 good things that happened to me today and thank Hashem for them.
Emotionally- I will speak more calmly, wait my turn, give the benefit of the doubt, I will be thoughtful of others, etc.
Physically- I will eat at least 3 healthy foods a day, I will sleep earlier, I will exercise to keep healthy, etc.
Financially- I will give 10% of my money to charity, I will save my money to buy something I really want, i will work/ do chores to earn money, ...

29. Yom Kippur Custom/ Traditions:
It is customary to wear white to symbolize purity, a fresh clean new start
Sensorial: Choose all the white fabrics from the fabric box.

30. Yom Kippur:
History & Literature:
Did You Know? Famous people who gave up an important opportunity because it was more important for them to observe Yom Kippur?!
Literature: In link see *Athlete's Observance*.
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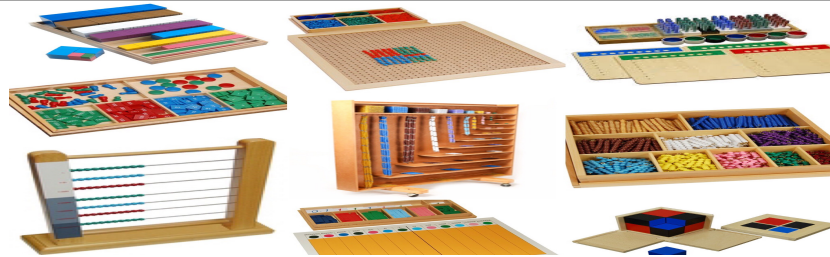
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31. Yom Kippur About:
Songs about Yom Kippur from
Danit Schusterman's Activity Booklets

32. Yom Kippur Customs/ Traditions:
Like on Shabbat, we light the Holiday candles
and say a special Prayer for the Yom Kippur:
*"...Lehadlik Ner Shel Yom HaKippurim," ...to
light for the Day of Yom Kippur.*
Practical Life: Set the candles in the candelabra

33. Yom Kippur Customs/ Traditions:
We light a memorial candles for loved one's
who passed on.
Practical Life: Place the wick in the float, pour
the water, oil in the bowl and place the wick
on top of the oil



34. Yom Kippur About:
On Yom Kippur it is commanded from the
Torah that one of the ways we show
Atonement is by fasting. Not eating or drinking
Practical Life: Use tongs to clear the plate from
food- representing fasting and return it to the
basket.

35. Yom Kippur About:
Fasting is only permitted and mandatory for
girls who are *Bat-Mitzvah*, 12 years old and
older and boys who are *Bar-Mitzvah*, 13 years
old and older.
Math: Numbers 12, 13, in digital and written
form.

36. Yom Kippur About:
Before fasting on the 10th of Tishrei, Yom
Kippur, it is customary to have a festive
meal the day before, on the 9th of Tishrei
Practical Life: Set the table

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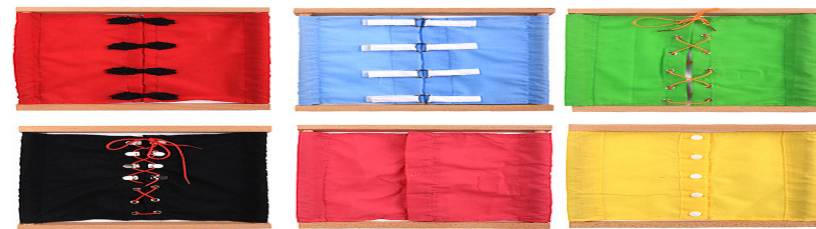
*"On Yom Kippur we don't eat
We don't wear leather shoes on our feet
We don't wash or wear cream that's a rule
All day we daven in the shul
Please Hashem forgive me, I'll be good yes You will see
Please grant me a Shana Tova U'metukah
For me and my whole family."*



37. Yom Kippur About:
Literature: Mini Book
By Danit Schusterman

38. Yom Kippur About: Songs about Yom Kippur
Music: Song; Five things we refrain from on Yom Kippur. Coloring page link
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39. Yom Kippur About:
We wear non-leather shoes.
Craft: Make your own non-leather shoes



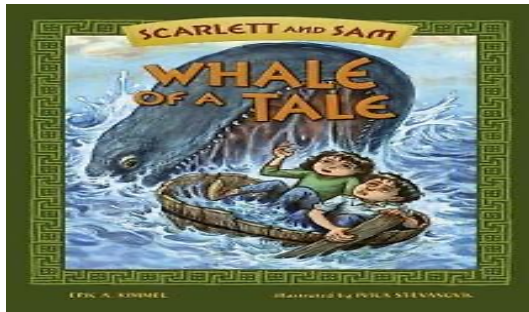
40. Yom Kippur About:
History: The *Kohen Gadol*, High Priest changed clothes many times during the performance of the High Holiday Yom Kippur service.
Practical Life: Dressing frames

41. Yom Kippur About:
Ketoret HaSamim (16:12) Incense was brought on by the *Kohen Gadol*, High Priest on Yom Kippur
Sensorial: Eight cylinder smell test of four different spices. Name the spice.
Science, Botany: Match the spice to its source-original picture

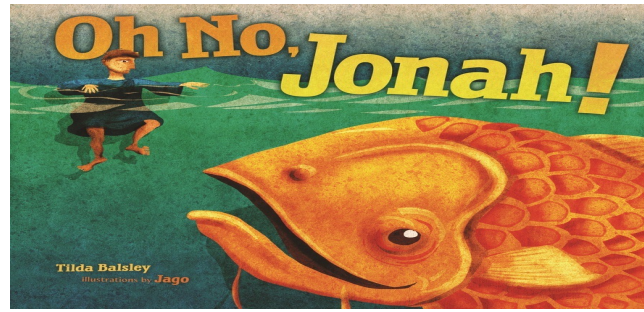
42. Yom Kippur Customs/ Traditions: *Torah Reading*: Laws of 'privacy' (Vayikrah 18) Good touch vs. Bad touch - understand bathing suit rule- whatever bathing suit covers is your own private part and no one has the right to touch. Parts of the body puzzle
Practical Life: Our body belongs to us. Privacy, modesty. Children's books explaining the difference between 'good touch and bad touch.'
<https://b-inspiredmama.com/10-tips-for-teaching-kids-about-good/>

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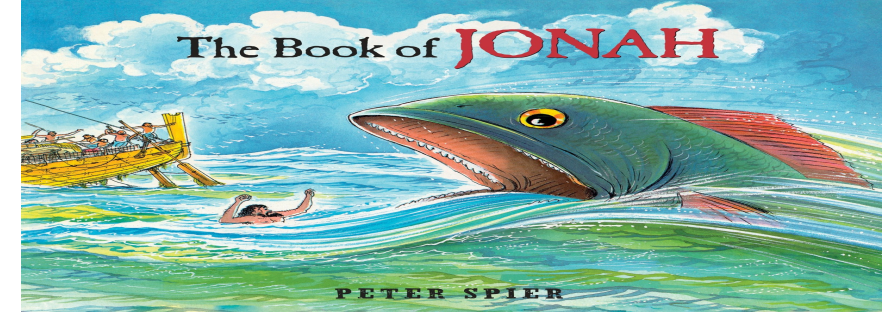
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43. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
Literature: *Whale of a Tale*, by: Eric A. Kimmel



44. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
Literature: *Oh No, Jonah!* by: Tilda Balsey

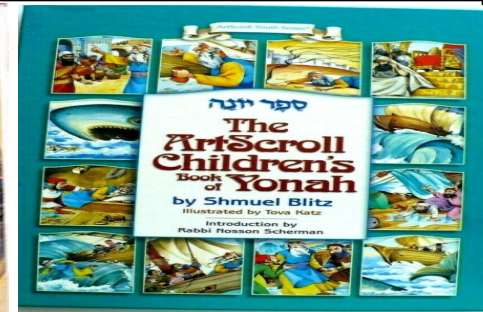


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Literature: *The Book Of Jonah*, by: Peter E. Spier

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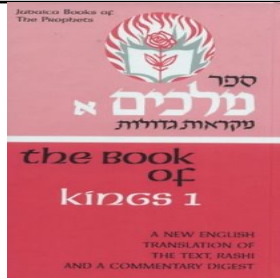


47. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
Literature: *Sefer Yonah*, the Book of Yonah, is found in the book of *Trei Asar*, The Book of the Twelve Prophets, Yonah is book five of twelve and has just 4 chapters! Read *Sefer Yonah*.




48. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
Literature: *The Twelve Prophets: Yonah/ Jonah*, a translation with commentary anthologized from Talmudic, Midrashic and Rabbinoc sources, by: Artscroll.

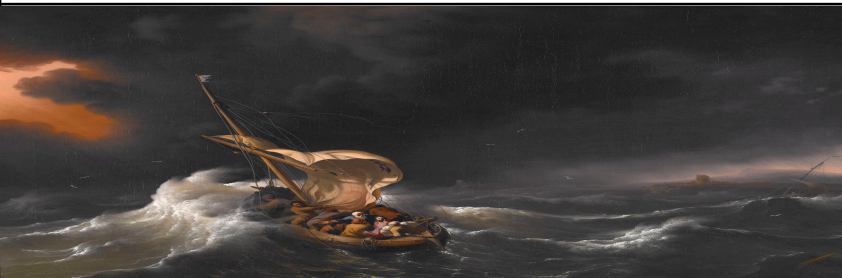
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49. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
History & Literature: Who was *Yonah*, Jonah?
According to *Rashi* and *Pirkei D'Rabi Eliezer*
Yonah was the son of the Shunamitte woman
who was saved by *Eliyahu Hanavi*, Elijah the
prophet.
Literature: Read the story in *Sefer Melachim* 1,
17, Kings Book 1, Chapter 17

50. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
History: In which time period did the
story of Yonah take place?
Make a Timeline of Jewish History and
plot Yonah on the timeline.
Investigate & Research

51. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
Geography: Where does the story of
Yonah take place? *Tarshish*, *Ninveh*,
What countries are they today?
Locate on world map 



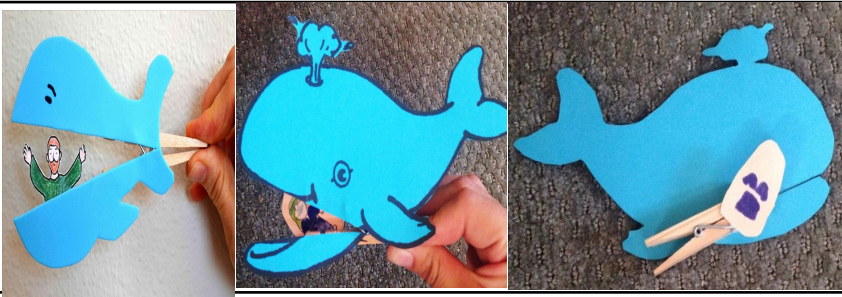
52. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
Science, Oceanography: Learn about
storms on the ocean
Language: Make an informational booklet
about ocean storms

53. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
Practice Life: Using tongs to unload the
boats' heavy barrels to make it lighter
and try to save the boat from sinking, as
the sailors did during the storm of Yonah

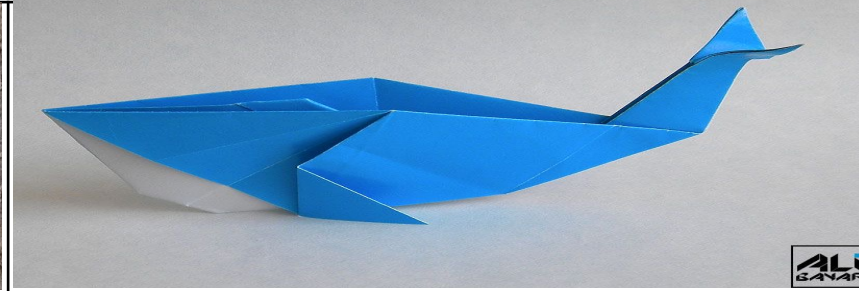
54. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
Science: Why type of whale swallowed Yonah?
Why do you think so? Investigate. [Probably a
whale shark/ baleen whale- without teeth]
Language: Information booklet about the
whale you choose.

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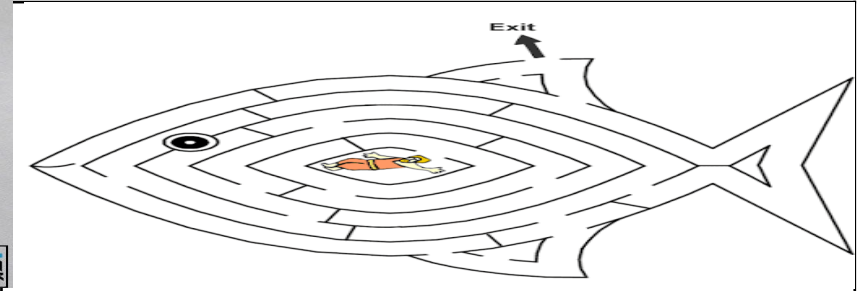
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55. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
Craft: Whale craft



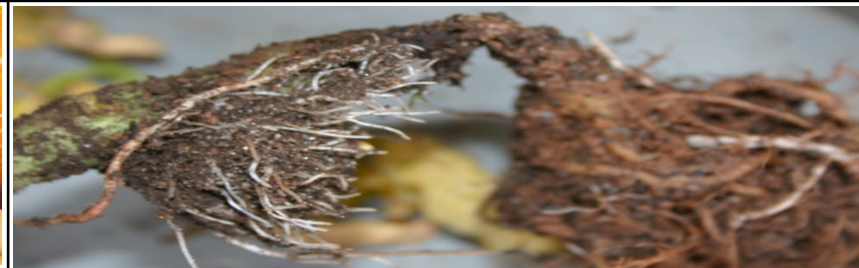
56. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
Art: Origami whale



57. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
Maze: Help Yonah out of the Whale's stomach



58. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
Science & Weather: *Chamsin*, heat wave, learn about, investigate. What happens to Yonah when there's a *Chamsin*?
Language: Write an informational booklet about *Chamsins*, heat waves.



59. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
Science: What happens when a worm eats the root of the tree providing shade for Yonah during the Chamsin? Why?
Language: Infomational book on tree roots and worms that eat them. Invesitgate.



60. Yom Kippur, Yonah and the whale:
Practical Life & History: Why do we read *Sefer Yonah* on Yom Kippur? To teach us about the Power or Prayer, Hashem's abundance of forgiveness, how we are given opportunities for second chances and the importance to start anew
Language: Write about what you'd like to have a second chance for to be better