



## K-5 Hebrew Language Overview

### Kindergarten

By the end of Kindergarten, students will:

- Transfer auditory to written sounds
- Form letters correctly
- Print right to left
- Recognize letter and sound of letter
- Pronounce sound of letters and vowels
- Blend sounds to form words

### First Grade

By the end of First Grade, students will:

- Spell, understand and speak approximately 180 vocabulary words
- Follow class directions given in Hebrew
- Have mastered site and sound recognition of aleph-bet letters and vowels (nekudot)
- Read aloud with fluency and expression
- Be introduced to cursive letters; write 2-3 word sentences

### Second Grade

By the end of Second Grade, students will:

- Write simple and complex Hebrew sentences
- Write short compositions in Hebrew
- Answer questions in Hebrew based on text reading
- Follow classroom instructions given in Hebrew
- Read and follow prayer in siddur

### Third Grade

By the end of Third Grade, students will:

- Write short Hebrew compositions
- Use Hebrew grammar and vocabulary appropriate to 3<sup>rd</sup> grade
- Read and comprehend grade-level Hebrew books/stories

## **Fourth Grade**

By the end of Fourth Grade, students will:

- Write short Hebrew compositions using grade-level vocabulary and grammar
- Comprehend Hebrew books/stories
- Follow Hebrew instructions in both written and verbal format

## **Fifth Grade**

By the end of Fifth Grade, students will:

- Write short Hebrew compositions using appropriate grammar and vocabulary
- Read and understand grade-level books/stories
- Follow verbal and written instructions in Hebrew