

Mishna Sukkah Project

Last month, my daughter had the privilege to work on the Mishna Sukkah project in her Jewish Studies class lead by Ms. Kantrowitz. My daughter enjoyed learning more details about Sukkot and specifically what makes a sukkah kosher or not kosher. The best part of this project was that she was learning this information while collaborating with her classmates on the actual building of their design. She conveyed that she enjoyed the trial and error of the actual building design and that their project turned out quite differently than their original design. She learned a great deal about the holiday, the design process as well as working collaboratively within a group. She talked about this project frequently at home and was always thinking of ways to improve their design. She even built a cardboard kosher sukkot, with hanging fruit toys, at home for her bunny. Through this project, she gained valuable Jewish insight, building and design skills and teamwork.

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