

The Parent Connection



Guide for: ***And Shira Imagined*** by Giora Carmi

Child's Name

Date Completed:

Understanding the Story

1. Where did Shira and her family visit?
2. How did Shira's imagination help her on her trip?

Words to Watch

Kibbutz, Knesset

Jewish Concepts

1. Knowing history is a way of knowing about ourselves.
2. It has taken a lot of hard work to make Israel the place it is today.

Beyond the Book

1. How would you like to live on a Kibbutz where it's "like one big family" with each person sharing the work?
2. Tell about a time you used your imagination when someone has told you about a place you've never seen or a person you haven't met.

Complementary Activities

1. Find Israel on a globe or map of the world. What continent is Israel in? Can you find the "port city" of Caesarea? Can you find Massada? Can you find the Red Sea?
2. Find a family member or friend who has visited Israel and ask them to describe a place in the book for you while you imagine it in your mind or draw a picture of it.

✓ ***Please check those activities completed.***