**The Best of A.H.A.V.A.**

**By A.H.A.V.A. Students of 2016**



**A unique collection of poems, compositions, and other excerpts**

Ma'ale Adumim 2nd graders:

Happiness is having a baby sister. **Devorah** **Belaciano**

Happiness is reading comics in "Otiyot" **Mevasser Morali**

Happiness is going to a hotel. **Michael Warshawsky**

Happiness is being strong. **Yahel** **Misgav**

Happiness is having an ice cream party. **Elchai** **Levi**

Happiness is going for a walk with my family. **Ayelet** **Bar El**

Mitzpe Yericho, 2nd graders:

Happiness is to play with my friend every day. **Elazar** **Gerstein**

Happiness is learning English. **Shoshana** **Mintz**

Happiness is having a birthday. **Shira** Mirsky

Happiness is going swimming. **Nehorai** **Weinberger**

Happiness is going to America. **Temima** **Herskovitz**

Happiness is going to the zoo. **Yakov** **Barak**

Happiness is when I caress my rabbit. **Eliyah** **Zerbib**

Mitzpe Yericho 3rd-6th grade:

Happiness is hugging my parents. **Menuchah** **Weiss**

Happiness is playing soccer. **Elishama** **Paz**

Happiness is getting tickled. **Shalhevet** **Herskovitz**

Happiness is when Abba and I learn Torah. **Sarah** **Kenigsberg**

Happiness is talking to my friend. **Gidon** **Yoselis**

Happiness is going home. **Shalem** **Deston**

Happiness is going to English class. **Naami**

Maale Adumim, 3rd-6th grade:

I am flying! Help!  
Bye bye! I’m going to die.  
I’m dead. No!! I lived! Ouch.

**Tzahola Pomerantz**

The flowers are nice  
I like to smell them so much.  
NO! I have a cold!

**Shenhav Bitton**

I went to the park  
I saw a cat in the park.  
She slid down the slide.

**Nitzan Morali**

My room is messy  
Now I need to clean it up.  
I’ll do it later.

**Ayelet Plaskow**

I went to Ein Gedi  
I hiked a whole lot and then,  
I saw the waterfall.

**Isaac Berman**

The sun is shining.  
The bees come to the flowers.  
I’m very happy.

**Malka Horowitz**

Class Haiku of Maale Adummim, 3rd-6th grade:

The class is locked tight.  
We can go home right away.  
Oh no! Found the key.

Kfar Adumim, 8th grade:

**A**wesome  
**M**agnificent  
**I**ncredible  
**T**remendous

**Amit Turner**

**S**mart!  
**H**andsome!  
**A**wesome!  
**C**ontrolled!  
**H**appy!  
**A**rtistic!  
**R**eliable!

**Shachar Richman**

**I**ntelligent  
**N**ice  
**B**eautiful  
**A**wesome  
**L**udicrous

**Inbal Amedy**

**T**all  
**A**wesome  
**L**ucky  
**Y**outhful  
**A**thletic

**Talya Friedman**

**E**xcellent  
**Y**oung  
**T**hankful  
**A**mazing  
**N**ice  
  
**B**oy

**Eytan Berman**

Mitzpeh Yericho, 1st grade:

 I like pajama parties.

**Miryam Frank**

I like to swim in the beach. I like to fly a kite. I like to eat ice cream.

**Gilad Mintz**

Every Friday I get ice cream.

**Shimon Kenigsberg**

Vanilla is my best ice cream.

**Moshe Pilichowsky**

I like to go to the beach.

**Yiska Tessler**

I like to go to the beach and have ice cream.

**Tzuriel Gutman**

I like to go to the pool.

**Yisroel Moskowitz**

Kfar Adumim, 3rd grade:

I help at home. …I help my mother by cleaning the house. I help my father by building things for the garden. I like to help.

**Nativ Phillips**

I help at home. I take out the things in the washing machine…That’s how I help.

**Roi Shoval**

I help at home. I help clean rooms. I help do dishes… I also help my grandmother. I like to help at home.

**Aviel Gazit**

I had fun on Pesach. … We went to the north and went camping. We had a barbecue. We went to the beach. I had a great Pesach.

**Lavie Morad**

I had a great Pesach. … We went to Disney World. I went to Typhoon Lagoon. I went to a baseball game. It was great.

**Netzach Gordon**

*I woke up one night and looked out the window. …*Two little aliens stepped out of the ship. They looked very weird. … They had weird ears too, and six legs. In the end they had big fat tushies with dots all over them….

**Inbar Merchavy**

On Pesach we did a lot of things. … I saw Inbar. I was skating in Cinema City. I saw Harry Potter. We went to the pool. I had a very fun Pesach.

**Shira Isaak**

*I woke up one night and looked out the window. …The door of the ship opened* and I saw 4 red suns… “Who are you?” I said. “We are the suns of space,” said one sun, “but my name is Pluto.” …

**Tamar Hacohen**

I had a good Pesach. For Lel HaSeder we went to our grandparents. We went on a hike with my family … We also went to our other grandparents. It was fun!

**Be'eri Sadeh**

On my vacation I went to a hotel in Eilat… I saw fish and big sharks and turtles. I went to the sea and I touched a jellyfish. I had a great Pesach.

**Avigail Asch**

Kfar Adumim, 4th grade:

My House by Arava Brand

My house is really big, with three floors. … My house is ten years old. In comparison to the house I lived in America this is a young house because the house we lived in there was one hundred and fifty years old.

My Favorite Vacation by Matan Kabalo

In summer 2015, my family and I flew to Georgia. First we went to Tbilisi. … At last we went to Batomi and there we went to a beach. From there we flew back home. I enjoyed the vacation!

All About Me by Lia Alshech

I am Lia. I live in Kfar Adumim. I am in 4th grade. I participate in chug drama. I was born in America. I have brown hair and brown eyes. …

Me by Amit Spivack

I am Amit Spivack. My favorite classes in school are math and music. In music I play the saxophone. I like my saxophone. …

My Birthday by Shaked Maman

My birthday is on the 7th of February by the Gregorian calendar. Every year I get surprises in the morning of my birthday. … This year we ate Chinese food. I got loads of presents and I had a Homer Simpson cake.

Kfar Adumim, 4th grade, continued:

All About Me by Boaz Berman

My name is Boaz. I am the youngest in my family. I have three siblings, one sister and two brothers. We live in Kfar Adumim in a wood house. I was born the day after Purim.

My Vacation by Naomi Muchtar

There are a lot of fun places in the world and I like to visit them. MY family and all of my dad’s side of the family went to Nachal Kibbutzim. … We had fun!

All About Me by Dror Bahat

I am Dror. I am ten years old. I live in Nofei Prat. I have three sisters. I have lots of friends. I have brown hair and green eyes…

My Room by Hodaya Shechter

Recently my mom rearranged the rooms in our house. My two older sisters moved into my room. It’s fun to speak with my sisters when I go to sleep…

My Favorite Food by Kerem Goldsmith

My favorite food is my grandma’s famous chocolate chip cookie brownies. I love chocolate chip cookies and I love brownies and when you put them together – DELICIOUS!...

Kfar Adumim, 4th grade, continued:

My Family by Maayan Solomon

My dad's works in computers and he travels a lot for his work. My mom works in high tech.  My big sister is a dancer and likes fashion.  Next is Hallel.  She has a beautiful voice and she is good at ceramics. Then is me and after me is my little sister Alma. She is very cute.

Kfar Adumim, 7th grade:

**Noa Ben Ari**  
Spring is wonderful  
The trees are giving fruit  
And the flowers bloom.

**Hallel Solomon**  
There are rainy days.  
Clouds are covering the sky.  
But today - there’s sun.

**Naomi Sternfield & Kerem Zentner**:

My house is yellow  
Like the sun in the morning.  
But I hate yellow.  
  
I really like the sky  
Because of its color.  
Blue like the ocean.

**Nadav Segal-Elad:**  
The bear is eating.  
When the heavy snow will fall  
He will go to sleep

**Beeri Segal:**Spring is rising  
And the flowers open up.  
The birds are waking.

**Matan Bina**The sun is shining.  
The trees are making shadows.  
The birds are singing.

**Eilon Estikangi:**  
The dog likes to run  
He ran quickly to the house.  
On the way, he died.

**Hallel Segal:**  
There are clouds in the sky.  
The flowers are colorful and shy  
Look up and see the love.

Kfar Adumim, 8th grade: **Blondie and the Vegan Lion, Vegetarian Bear and the Carnivore Bunny (***Parody on The Three Bears)* Lion, Bear and Bunny lived, peacefully, on a deserted island. They built a small house…   
 Blondie was a crazed little girl with brown hair. She rode her motorcycle through the deserted island and, after 10 seconds, got very hungry and had to stop… Blondie saw Lion, Bear and Bunny run out of their house. “Now I don’t have to eat this dirty marshmallow, I can go into the house and “borrow” some of the food,” Blondie thought to herself. …

She went into the kitchen and found a bowl of tofu, salad and a plate with lamb chops. She ate the tofu. Ugh, too chewy. But she still finished it.  
Next, Blondie tried the salad. Umm, too crispy. But she still finished. Last, she tried the lamb chops. It was so yummy so she ate the whole lamb (and the plate, too)…

Blondie … started playing with the playstation. Blondie played so hard that she broke the controller. She got so upset she kicked the chair and broke it. Blondie also hurt her toes when she kicked the chair so she decided to go lie down… Blondie tried Lion’s bed. It was too hard. She tried Bear’s bed. It was too soft.  
 In the end, she tried Bunny’s bed and it was just right. She fell asleep almost immediately. … Lion wanted the girl to stay with them, Bear wanted to send her away and Carnivore Bunny wanted to roast her and eat her.  
 Blondie woke up and was really scared when she heard what the animals wanted to do with her. She ran away, left her motorcycle and swam off the island.  
 Never again, did Blondie go into someone else’s house without permission (unless she was really hungry).  
**The End**.

Kfar Adumim, 5th grade:

Shabbat is a Jewish Holiday we celebrate every week.

On Friday night, the women light candles. Married women light at least 2 candles and girls sometimes light just one.

On Shabbat we go to the synagogue. We pray and read a section from the bible.

We need to eat three meals. We eat one at night and two during the day.

So, on Shabbat we light candles, pray and eat 3 feasts. I like Shabbat because it's a happy day.

Kfar Adumim, 6th grade:

Pesach is a holiday that Jews celebrate. We celebrate it to remember that God took us out of Egypt. It is celebrated on the 14th of Nissan.

Before Pesach we clean the house. We go through the house, clean and throw out the chametz. Usually, you also throw out a lot of other things you don't need or want anymore, too. We get rid of the chametz because when the Jews went out of Egypt their dough didn't have time to rise.

Part of cleaning is also switching the dishes. On Pesach, we don't use the same dishes and silverware that we use all year. We do this because there can't be any chametz left, even on the dishes.

On the first night of Pesach we have 'Leil Haseder'. It's the most special night of Pesach. We like the part when the dad hides the afikoman and the children try to find it.

Pesach is a wonderful holiday which we love to celebrate every single year.

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