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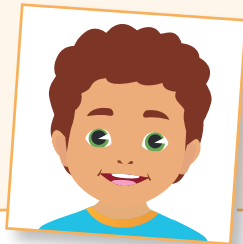
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Year 5 and Year 6 Jewish school pupils' views on Shabbat

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'My favourite Shabbat food is challah, because it's warm and crinkly. Shabbat means to me that I go to shul and play games like board games, and when I am eating chicken soup at my house I feel like I am connecting with Hashem.'

Zac (Year 5)



'I go to something called youth club and you do lots of stuff. Shabbat means a lot because it brings people together and we celebrate the one day that Hashem rested.'

Calum



'My favourite food is chicken soup at Shabbat. For me I can spend time with my family, and I like playing board games with my family.'

Kobe (Year 5)



'My favourite meal at Shabbat is my mum's roast potatoes and my grandma's chicken soup. Also for dessert I like ice cream and biscuits. Shabbat for me means spending time with my family, and most of the time every Shabbos we go outside and play football, cricket and loads of other games.'

Eli (Year 6)



'It depends whether we have guests or not. I love my mum's chicken soup. If we have guests, the next day we might have salads, and I like them. I like my mum's challah as well. For me Shabbos means family time as during the week we don't usually get so much time after school and my mum teaches piano. So when it's Shabbos we play games together and spend time together. Shabbos means spending the day together.'

Leora (Year 6)



'We have homemade challah and it's really nice and warm. We have a really nice chicken soup, which we only have on Friday night, and really nice stuffing and gravy. Shabbat means spending time with my family, and I get to go over to my cousins.'

Tzvia (Year 6)

