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Fun facts about SOS

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In the whole SOS, there are students from 81 countries! (That's a lot)

Online School is almost 16 years old! (No students in online school this year are 16!!)

There used to be a 9th grade sometimes! Imagine not going away for high school!

There was even a program before blackboard!! (And we all thought that Blackboard was really old?)

G7 used to learn tanya and it was a completely different part of Tanya than they do now!

Bnos Chabad for the Girls started 6 years ago!

Online School spends about *3 million* dollars on teacher salaries!! (Crazy)

Day of celebration used to be on Thursday in Bais Rivka high school and we had classrooms!

The whole SOS has 66 grades! (WOAH!)

Morah Treitel was the first Bnos Chabad Head

There was an actual snow day in SOS (How?!)

The girls SOS has gone through 3 girls principals! (current one is Morah Notik)

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If you can add a feature to SOS what would it be?

To be able to send files in the chat.

-Gita
2nd Grade

More Raffles
-Mushka Refson
3rd Grade

Office Moderator would be able to actually answer chats!
-Rosie Hecht
4th Grade

The teachers wouldn't see your screen through the monitoring system
Mushka Johnson
5th grade

I wish Online School would give you lunch every day!!
Anonymous
6th Grade

Music pauses when you unmute and resumes when you muted
- Moussia Cohen
7th Grade

More makeup features!!
-Sheva Cunin
8th Grade



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Zebra Cookies

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Recipe:

½ CUP OF OIL
2 CUPS OF SUGAR
2 CUPS OF FLOUR
1 CUP OF COCOA
4 EGGS
1 TSP VANILLA
2 TSP BAKING POWDER
CONFECTIONER'S SUGAR



SUGAR, EGGS, & OIL



MIX IT



FLOUR,
COCOA &
BAKING POWDER



VANILLA
AND MIX



FILL UP A BOWL WITH
CONFECTIONER'S SUGAR



COAT THEM COMPLETELY.
PUT THEM ON A COOKIE SHEET



BAKE FOR 18 MINUTES AT 350°F



Enjoy! 😊

Mushka & Mussy

Mad-lib Word list:

Funny name

Noun

Adverb

Verb

Place

Adverb

Adjective

Noun

Verb

Noun

Person

Noun

Boys name

Noun

Verb

Noun ending with 'ing'

Noun

Noun ending with 'ing'

Noun

Subject

Animal

Noun

Verb

Adverb

Verb ending with 'ing'

Verb

Same verb

Same verb

Same verb

Noun

Subject

Person

Noun

Adjective

FUN PAGE!

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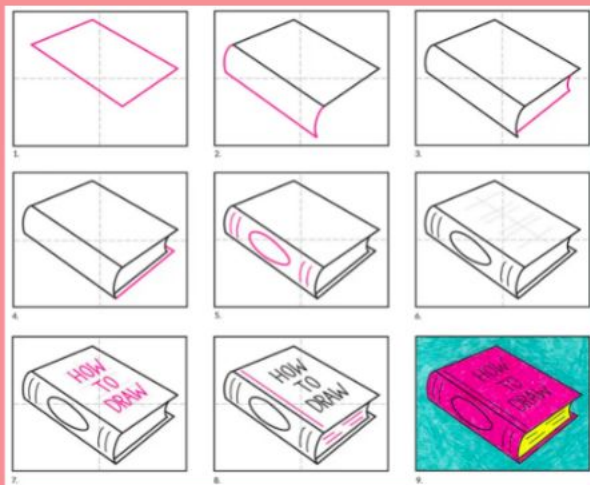
Pencil

Sos

Learn

Chayus

SOS Word Search!



Draw a Sefer for Hey Teves!

MAD LIES!

_____ meets her _____ Dina who doesn't go to Sos.

"So _____ does sos work?" Dina asks. "_____ to the _____ with me, and I will show you." _____

they get there, they go up to the 2nd floor and see a _____ screen with a _____ of classes on it. They _____

into the 1st grade class and one of the _____ said "_____! my aunt just got a _____ girl last week and his name is _____!" In grade 2, the _____ was teaching how to _____ in script and she was _____ how the letter Yud is a little line, the letter Vov is a big line, and a Linger Nun is an even longer _____. Then they zoomed into 3rd grade. They were _____ Chumash, "What does the _____ Vayomer mean?" Morah Grukow asked, "And he said, " a student said. In grade 4 the teacher was teaching _____. She said that '_____ ' means 'fish', 'who' means 'he' and 'he' _____ 'she'. The teacher asked "what _____ 'he' mean?" "My mic is _____ working!" the girl said. In grade 5 they were learning the Melacha of Borrer. The teacher was _____ how you can only take what you _____ from what you don't _____, but you can't take what you don't _____ out of what you do _____. In Grade 6 they were having a class on how to take _____. In 7th grade they were learning _____ about Mordechai and _____. And in 8th grade, they were complaining about how they have so many _____ and quizzes already. Dina said "Wow, Sos is _____!"

Interview with Morah S Dinerman!

How long have you been teaching sos for?

I've been teaching in SOS for 2 years

What grades do you teach?

I teach G5 ET and WT



Do you have any funny story's from sos?

Sometimes it's a little hard to actually tell what someone looks like over zoom and when I see my students in person sometimes I don't even recognize them! Another funny story was once I was walking up Kingston and a woman stopped me and said Hi Morah Dinerman and I had no idea who was she until she told me she was a students mother and she recognized me from her daughter's screen!

Where do you live?

I live in crown heights, would love for you all to come visit!

Whats a funny purim prank that you or one of your students did?

Last year I was subbing for G4 WT (who are now my students :) and they all dressed up as mommys and I was the kid.

How did you become a teacher in online school?

My brother Rabbi Dinerman is a rebbi for B2 so I got the idea to teach in SOS from him!

Whats your hobbies?

One of my hobbies is definitely dancing :)

Whats your favroite part of teaching and your least favraote part of teaching on zoom?

My favorite part of SOS is that can do some fun activities that can't be done in a regular classroom like baking in a kitchen or running around the house to get dress up or stuff for games. My least favorite part is that I don't get to be with my students in person :(I wish we could have DOC once every week and not once every year!

If you could add one feature to online school what would it be?

If I could add something to SOS it definitely would be the ability to pass things through the screen :) No but for real I would add a public classroom called hallway that would be open during breaks and lunch and after school that way any girls can go into there and just chat with any students or Morahs who are there so that I would be able to see my old students

Share a message for sos.

I love teaching in online school and I feel like the luckiest Morah in the world to have such fun, talented, bright students! Keep up the incredible job each of you are doing in your makom hashlichus you are making the Rebbe so proud and definitely bringing moshach!

Today we are going to interview our principal / associate director Morah Notik & Bnos Chabad heads!!

Starting Interview with Morah Notik

1. HL & DLB: Do you know at the top of your mind how many students are in Shluchim Online School for the girls?
 MN: There 248 Girls in the American track and 10 girls in the European track
2. HL & DLB Are you able to look at the monitoring program of each student in Shluchim Online School
 MN: Yes
3. HL & DLB: Is it hard to be a Principal and is it enjoyable?
 MN: It's amazing! I love working with the students and the Morahs and it's so so special to see the girls learning every day and connecting with each other across the all the miles, cities, states, countries, and continents. I love to be able to do this and I am so so proud to be part of the most amazing school!
4. HL & DLB: Can you tell us a little about the job of being a principal specifically in a online school?
 MN: Working in the Online School is unique! Some things are so easy and so quick like being able to visit classrooms and join with so many girls from so many places so quickly and easily. And other things are more challenging. For example not being able to say good morning to each girl in person :(- I would love to be able to do that! I'm really looking forward to singing, sharing and celebrating together lyh at the Day of Celebration! Countdown has begun!

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5. HL & DLB: When covid broke out did any school ask for SOS's advice on how to work a Online program?

MN: Yes, many schools came to us to see how we do it! We even had an online magazine do an interview with us! It was a beautiful opportunity to show the world how Chabad is using technology for Torah - like the Rebbe taught us, and an amazing chance for us to share what we've learned. We were and are so happy to be able to help others in this way!

6. HL & DLB: How often do you go to a class and check it out?

MN: I would love to be able to see even more classes learning more often, I don't get the chance to visit as much as I would like to!!

7. HL & DLB: Which months are the busiest?

MN: The busiest months are Av and Elul - getting ready for the new year to start, Shevat when everyone comes to visit (Yay!) and Sivan when we celebrate the amazing year we all had!!

8. HL & DLB: Were you a principal in another school as well?

MN: Before joining Online School, I was a high school teacher and a Hebrew School director

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9. HL & DLB: Are you often in the Shluchim Office?

MN: Yes, I'm here every day! I'm actually at the Shluchim Office right now!

10. HL & DLB on a regular basis around how many calls do you get a week?

MN: Maybe 30 or so. It's definitely busy here :).

11. HL & DLB What do you want to tell the whole SOS?

MN: There is a concept that we learn from Hayom Yom - ברית כרותה לעבודה ותעמולה שאינה - חוזרת ריקם This means - we are promised that hard work will always lead to beautiful results. Put in your best effort, keep trying, work hard and we will surely achieve amazing, amazing things!!

HL & DLB: Thank you so much for your time!

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Continuing interview with Bnos Chabad heads

1. DLB & HL: What's the best part of being a Bnos Chabad Head?

BC: The best part of being a Bnos Chabad head is getting to know all the amazing online school students:)

2. DLB & HL: How many hours do you work for SOS every day?

BC: We come into the office at 1:00 and love getting visitors, so if you are ever in town we would love to see you!

3. DLB & HL: How many times do you crave a break?

BC: We love 'taking breaks' to spend some time with our visitors!

Many times after running rallies all day or having zoom meetings back to back we do take a short walk before coming back to work on the computer.

4. DLB & HL: How often do you go to Chocolate?

BC: Although we are so lucky that we work around the corner from Chocolate we don't go so often. If we ever go it is after a big program or a day that we need a little break from the screen and add it to our walk:) If you are in town the day of a big program you might meet us on a walk or even on Chocolate!

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5. DLB & HL: Do you go to Sweet expressions very often or is it for the "out of towners"?

BC: We always joke with our "out of town" friends and family that they go to sweet expressions more often than we do, but we do love ice cream!

6. DLB & HL: How would you describe the job of being a Bnos Chabad head to someone who would like to do it, if it is hard but worth it or easy not fun or very easy and very fun?

BC: It's so much being Bnos Chabad head of Online School! We love planning all the programs, working with all the amazing and talented students, seeing all of you at the rallies, and receiving messages on the BC Contact Page.

Thank you so much for your time!

I heard this story from the Lubavitcher Rebbe's secretary, Rabbi Laibel Groner.

A woman from the Chabad-Lubavitch Community in Brooklyn was pulled over by a N.Y.C. traffic cop for some traffic violation. Standing outside her open car window and watching her search for her license and registration papers, the police officer caught sight of a picture of the Lubavitcher Rebbe in her open purse.

"Excuse me, ma'am," he asked, "are you one of the followers of this Rabbi?"

"Yes," she replied.

"Well, in that case I'm not giving you a ticket." He closed his ticket book and continued, "Do you know why? Because this Rabbi," he pointed to the picture she was now holding in her hand, "Did a very big miracle for me."

"Well," said the grateful woman, "since you aren't giving me the ticket, I have time to hear the story."

The policeman smiled and said, "It's my favorite story, but I haven't told it to many Jewish people, in fact I think that you are the first." The cars were whizzing by behind him and he had to raise his voice slightly. "The story goes like this: I used to be in the police escort that once a week escorted the Rabbi to the Montefiore Cemetery (where the Rebbe's father-in-law and predecessor, Rabbi Yosef Yitzchak Schneersohn, is interred). I got to know some of the young men who accompanied the Rebbe, and I learned a lot of things. They are very friendly people, which you probably already know, and we talked a lot while the Rabbi was inside praying.

"Well, one day I saw that all the fellows there were really talking excitedly to each other so I asked them what happened. So they told me that the Rabbi does a lot of miracles for people, but today he did a miracle that was really something. I didn't even ask what was the miracle that they were talking about, I just asked them if the Rabbi helps non-Jews also.

"'Sure,' they said, 'The Rebbe helps anyone who asks. Why? Do you need something?' So I told him, this young fellow, that me and my wife had been married nine years with no children, and a week ago the doctors told us that we had no chance. We had spent a lot of money on treatments, seen all sorts of big professors, we were running around like crazy for the last six or seven years, and now they told us that they tried everything and there is no chance. You can't imagine how broken we were. My wife cried all the time and I started crying myself.

"So this young man tells me, 'Listen, the next time that you escort the Rebbe to the cemetery stand near the door of his car and when he gets out ask him for a blessing.' So that is just what I did. The next time I was in the escort I stood by his door and when he got out I said to him: 'Excuse me, Rabbi, do you only bless Jewish people or non-Jews too?'

"So the Rabbi looked at me like a good friend, it was really amazing, and said that he tries to help anyone he can. So I told him what the doctors said, and he said I should write down on a piece of paper my name and my father's name together with my wife's and her father's names and that he would pray for us. So I did it, my hands were shaking so much I almost couldn't write, but I did it and you know what? My wife became pregnant and nine months later she gave birth to a baby boy! The doctors went crazy, they couldn't figure it out, and when I told them that it was all the Rabbi's blessing they just scratched their heads and — Wow! I felt like the champion of the world!

"But here comes the good part. Do you know what we called him? What name we gave our baby boy? Just guess! We called him Mendel after the Rabbi. At first my wife didn't like the name because its not an American name, but I said, No! We're calling him Mendel! Each time we say his name we'll remember that if it weren't for the Rabbi this boy would not be here.

"But when our parents heard the name they really objected. They said, 'With a name like that, all the kids will think he's a Jew or something and they will call him names and be cruel to him. Why make the kid suffer for no reason?' 'That's just what I want,' I said to them. 'When he comes home and says that the other kids called him names and beat him up because he has a Jewish name, I'll tell him that I want him to learn from those other kids how not to behave. They hate the Jews for no reason, but you should love the Jews, you should help the Jews. You just tell them that without that Jewish Rabbi called Mendel you wouldn't be here at all, and then maybe they'll start thinking differently too!'

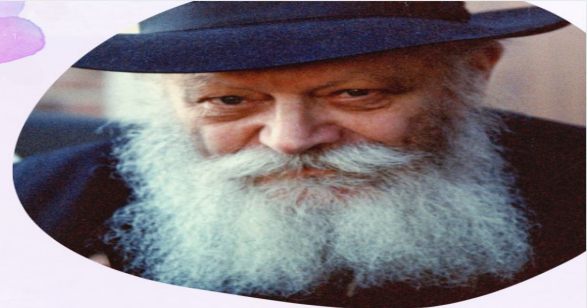


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Trivia Questions on the rebbe story!

Test you knowledge



Q #1: Why did the Police Officer not give the woman a ticket?

Q #2: How many years were the Police and his wife married before they had Kids?

Q: #3 how many people did the Policeman share his special story 2(Trick Question)

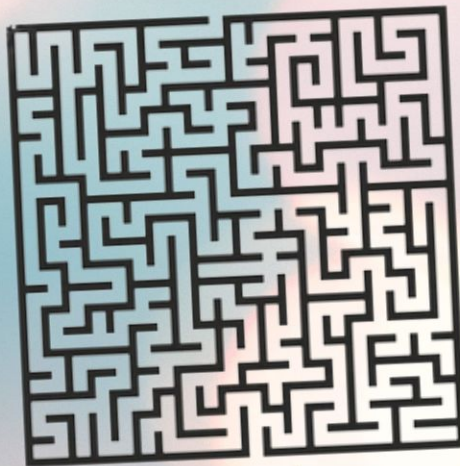
Answer Key!

A #1: because he saw the picture of the rebbe in the woman's open purse. A #2 9 Years. A #3: the woman was the first Jew he told the story to;

By: Pessel Susskind



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Help the
Sefarim
get
back to
770 their
home!



Guess what this says?!?

Order in the court: the sefarim must be returned!

Order in the court: the sefarim must be returned

BY, CHAYALE WILHELM

Jokes

What did the beach say
when the tide came in?
Long time, no sea!

Why was the baby ant
confused?
Because all his uncles
were ants!

My boss told me to
have a good day...
... So I went home!

Why did the clock go to
the principal's office?
Because he was tocking
too much!

Why did the boy put sugar
under his pillow?
In order to have sweet
dreams!

What would your job IN SOS BE?



YOUR TEACHER JUST ANNOUNCED A NEW TEST! WHEN AND HOW DO YOU STUDY?

- A. Right away! You lock yourself in your bedroom, and review all the material you learned.
- B. You study a couple days before the test. You make a powerpoint and quizlet to help you, and share it with your friends.
- C. You study with a group of friends, with lots of nosh, music and laughter.

WHAT IS ONE THING YOU WISH SOS HAD?

- A. A way you can actually see your teachers and classmates.
- B. A computer that would have NO PROBLEMS ever!!
- C. A farbrengen or rally every single day!

YOUR TEACHER ASKS YOU TO PRESENT SOMETHING ABOUT THE PARSHA FOR THE CLASS. HOW DO YOU DO IT?

- A. Prepare a whole lesson with fascinating Mefarshim, and lots of details.
- B. Make a video or kahoot
- C. Make a slideshow with a review game, a song and cool pictures.

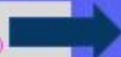
SOMEONE GIVES YOU A PRESENT FOR YOUR BIRTHDAY! HOW DO YOU THANK THEM?

- A. With a nice handwritten card.
- B. You design an online card
- C. Send a cute video thanking them

WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE SOS SUBJECT?

- A. Chumash and Navi
- B. Ivrit/Yiddish and Halacha
- C. Friday Classes!

Now.... Head on over here to see who you would be!



IF YOU GOT MOSTLY A'S: YOUR A TEACHER!

You are a pretty studious girl and enjoy learning and helping your friends! I'm sure you would make an excellent teacher!

IF YOU GOT MOSTLY B'S: YOUR TECH SUPPORT!

You've been raised in SOS, and know all the technical pieces behind it! From doing graphics, updating a website, answering phone calls, and occasionally setting up new programs - This job is fit for you!

IF YOU GOT MOSTLY C'S: YOUR A BNOS CHABAD HEAD!

You are on the fun side of things, and love partying and *farbrenging* with your friends! We can see you running rallies, making videos and slideshows, setting up contests and all of that sort!



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Mussi Wilhelm

Moussia Cohen

Blumi Feigelstock

Mushka Yogel

Rochel Kaplan

Sterna Mishulovin

The End

Batsheva Backman

Mussi Wilhelm

Hope you enjoyed

Chayale Wilhelm

Pessel Suskind

Mussy Stolik

Chaya Mushka Pevzner

Rivkah Cotlar

Devorah Leah Bialo

Yocheved Schmerling

Chaya Mushka Simmonds

Mushka Hecht