

Early Learning Center

Shalom,

The ELC students have been busy this month, learning about the High Holidays and celebrating fall festivals with song, story, shofar-blowing, and special foods! The children are eager to get outside on the playground and explore Portsmouth on our walking field trips. (Students below, left, are all dressed up and ready to go!)



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Photos. Above: We admire an (empty) wasp's nest and talk about its construction.

Near left: blowing shofar.

Lower left: Laura Sher leads the students in kitchen activities. First, she reads the book **Stone Soup** and then the children prepare a harvest vegetable soup inspired by the story. They also bake challah.

Below, right: students shake the lulav and etrog in celebration of Sukkot.



Questions about the ELC? Call me: 603-436-5301, ext. 23; or send me an email, at preschooldirector@templeisraelnh.org. Tammy and the ELC team (Elian, Laura, Steve, Amy, and Marge.)