

Pennsylvania Farm to School Network Success Story:

CHEDER MENACHEM

Wilkes-Barre: Luzerne County, PA



Cheder Menachem of Wilkes-Barre started our school year with a focus on farming and local production through our Integrating Judaism and Farming at School initiative.

In honor of the Jewish holiday of Rosh Hashanah,

when the traditional Jewish food is an apple dipped in honey to usher in a sweet new year, students visited the local farmers market to choose and purchase a wide variety of locally grown apples for themselves and the school.





All preschool and elementary students were treated to a presentation on beekeeping and honey production from the local Maple Hill Farms and Apiary, whose raw honey was approved as kosher for students to taste.



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