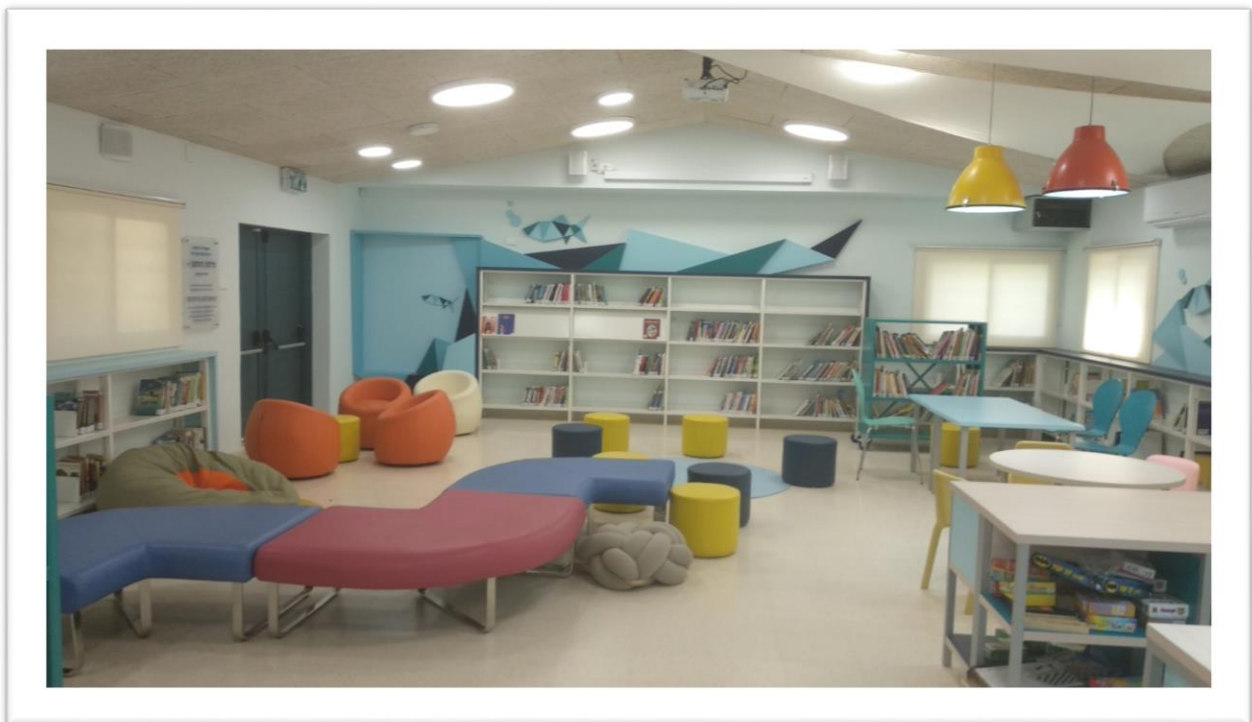


Almog School, Eilat

The English Library - the opening event

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Our opening event took place in our renewed school library (we are very proud of how it looks 😊). The books that we got are stored in it.

For the opening event, I chose six books that present six different topics, genres and vocabulary sets: "Aladdin", "The Jungle book", "Ratatouille", "Michael Jordan", "Appolo 13" and "Alex the Truck". The rationale I had in my mind was related to various interests my pupils might have. I wanted for every book to find its reader. From the list, it is possible to understand that the topics were: Food, Animals, Transportation, Space, Sport and Fairy tales. The pupils from the fifth grades had to learn an interesting piece of story and present it to the classes (from fourth to sixth). The idea was to present the book and a short passage from it (*"If you want to know more, take a book and read it!"*).

N. from the fifth grade presents a passage from "Ratatouille":

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=167EsS3eBQE&feature=youtu.be>

Afterwards, the pupils got various worksheets that were related to the books, such as word search, coloring, find the differences, connect the dots to get a symbol of the book, memory game, etc.



The pupils finished the activity, getting a bookmark that was bought for them by the school.



Our school librarian noticed that after this activity, many pupils came to the library for a book in English. I am writing down the pupils, who take a book in my journal.

In addition, we have a "Book of the Week" corner next to the English room. The corner presents the book, a worksheet and pupils' work.



*In "Almog" school we know that the true magic is within books.
My pupils and I are very thankful for the books we got...*

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