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וְהִנֵּה ה' נֹצֵב עָלָיו  
וּמֵלֵא כָּל הָאָרֶץ כְּבוֹדוֹ  
וּמִבֵּיט עָלָיו וּבֹחֵן כְּלִיּוֹת וְלֵב  
אִם עֹשֶׂבְדוֹ כָּרְאוּי

# Teacher's Guide

## פרשת תצוה - כי תשא



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# Vehinei

Topic to discuss & Question of the week

WEEK 1:

## **Kabolas Ol/ Yiras Hashem**

*Question: What does the word Nitzav mean?*

*Answer: Standing on/ relying on*

WEEK 2:

## **I matter!**

*Question: Who does Hashem rely on?*

*Answer: Me*

## **GOAL:**

**The child should feel Hashem's constant presence as empowering rather than burdensome, recognizing that Hashem personally cares about their success and is counting on them.**

[twelvepesukim.org](http://twelvepesukim.org)

This website is being updated constantly, and includes incredible resources and classes/ teacher's guides from the Rebbe's Sichos. There are also links to MyMaor videos that you can show in your class. Let me know if you want additional ideas or resources for your class!

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Start by telling your class that an important surprise visitor is coming soon.

Have them clean up the classroom, be on their best behavior etc.

After the lesson, connect the dots-- Hashem is the most important and is always with us - in our classroom and out. We must constantly be aware of the zchus and achrayus we have as a soldier of Hashem, and act accordingly.

Hashem is Boss of the entire world. Hashem is Commander in Chief of the entire world. But unlike a commander in a regular army, who is far away in from his soldiers in an office in a distant place while his soldiers are at war, Hashem is right here with every soldier.

Even though Hashem fills the entire world, it's as if Hashem leaves everything behind, just to focus on \_\_\_\_\_ (go through every girl in your class).

What is Hashem looking at? כליות ולב - your kidneys and heart- the decisions you are making (even the ones that no one else sees).

Hashem is looking אם עובדו כראוי - are we serving Him properly? Are we being proper soldiers in Hashem's army? Are we acting the way we should- in public and even in private?

We are so lucky to be Hashem's soldiers- He is with us watching us to make sure we are doing the right thing-- and He is supporting us and helping us to do the right thing! Even if there is no principal or policeman or parents around, I choose the right thing- Because Hashem is here!

Examples: Getting dressed in a Tznius way, even though no one else is in the room. Resisting the urge to take something that doesn't belong to us. Talking in a way that befits a soldier of Hashem. Checking hechsher before eating.

Making sure to remember Brachos. Acting Shabbosdik on Shabbos and making sure to keep the Halachos of Shabbos.

## Takeaway:

Hashem is always with me, watching me and supporting me as I do my mission as His soldier.

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Who does Hashem rely on? Me!

Hashem כביכול needs me to do my Avodah. When I do my avodah as a soldier in Tzivos Hashem, I "give" Hashem strength as a King, and bring His Melucha into the world. What an incredible Zchus!

V'hinei helps me stay happy in my Avodas Hashem:

If I feel scared or lonely, I remember a Yid is never alone. Hashem is at my side. Hashem is watching me constantly.

The Yetzer Hara might make me feel like I don't matter, but V'hinei tells me that every Yid alive has a purpose- Hashem is relying on my mission!

The Yetzer Hara might say "who cares?". But I know the answer. Hashem does. And as a soldier, I want to give my Commander in Chief so much Nachas!

V'hinei helps me be kind to my friends.

I remember that just like Hashem is standing near me, Hashem is standing near them, giving them Brachos and Kochos. I need to respect them- Hashem Himself is at their side!

## Takeaway:

Hashem relies on me, and this responsibility is a huge Zchus that fills me with joy and purpose.

## Mission:

איר האָב געטאן די ריכטיגע זאַך , וויסענדיק אַז ה' פאַרלאזט זיך אויף מיר

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## Pessukim Lingo

Hashem watching me isn't scary. It means He cares about my success.

Hashem is counting on me; without my avodah, something is missing.

Hashem is nitzav alav—standing right here with me.

Serving Hashem properly (karauy) is about real avodah—going beyond my nature

Hashem actually needs something from me—I give Him 'benefit'

Wow! You just made the right choice and showed that Hashem is watching you!

## Ideas

Game- Indian chief or washing machine (kid changes one item of clothing/ accessory and others need to guess what they changed) Brings out the idea of Hashem watching closely.

Stories: "Someone's watching"- apple tree. The Besh"t's father- Don't be afraid of anything but Hashem.

## Connections

Davening- Hashem is watching how we are davening to Him! Davening is one of the tools that Tzivos Hashem soldiers use to make our Yetzer Tov strong throughout the day.

Learning- Hashem is sitting by us, learning in our classroom with us!

Recess- Treat your friend as if Hashem is right by them - because He is!

Purim- the Yidden- especially the kids- knew Hashem is with them and watching them and Hashem is the Commander in Chief- so they were not afraid of Haman.

Esther kept Torah in the palace- knowing the real King is Hashem (not Achashveirosh!)



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# וְהִנֵּה ה'

צום ניגון פון: מקולות מים רבים



מיין פריינד האָט עפעס איר וויל,  
איר קען עס נעמען שנעל און שטיל,  
קיינער איז דאָ צו זען,  
קיינער וועט וויסן פון דעם...

**ווארט!**

וְהִנֵּה ה'  
ער ווייסט פון דעם  
יאָ, ער איז דאָ  
מיט מיר יעדער שָׁעָה  
ער בלייבט נאָענט  
מיין קאָמענדער-אין-טשיף  
ה' פאַרלאזט זיך אויף מיר!

ה' ווייסט איר קען,  
און ער שטייט ביי צו זען,  
ווי איר וועל אים דינען,  
ווי איר וועל געווינען,  
מיין עבֶדָה איז וויכטיג,  
און טייער צו אים,

מיט שְׂמֵחָה איר קלייב וואָס איז רעכט!