

*Here are many of Judaism's fundamental beliefs brought forth through 12 Torah Pesukim and Maamarei Chazal (teachings of the Sages) which are important for every child to know and recite each day.*

**PLEASE CHECK OFF EACH BOX WHEN MEMORIZED.**

1.  תּוֹרַה צִוַּח לִנּוּ מֹשֶׁה מוֹרִשָּׁה קְהֵלֶת יַעֲקֹב.  
**TORAH TZIVAH LONU MOSHE MOROSHOH KEHILAS YAAKOV**  
*"The Torah that Moshe commanded us is the heritage of the congregation of Yaakov." (Deuteronomy 33:4)*
  
2.  שְׁמַע יִשְׂרָאֵל ה' אֱלֹהֵינוּ ה' אֶחָד.  
**SHEMA YISROEL, AD-DO-NOI ELO-HAI-NOO, AH-DO-NOI ECHOD**  
*"Hear O Israel, G-d is our L-rd, G-d is One." (Deuteronomy 6:4)*
  
3.  בְּכָל דּוֹר וָדוֹר חַיִּיב אָדָם לִרְאוֹת אֶת עַצְמוֹ כְּאִלוֹ הוּא יֵצֵא מִמִּצְרַיִם.  
**B'CHOL DOR VODOR CHAYOV ODOM LEEROS ES ATZMO  
 KI-EELOO HOO YOTZO MEE-MITZROYIM**  
*"In every generation one must look upon himself as if he personally had gone out of Egypt." (Pesachim 116b)*
  
4.  כָּל יִשְׂרָאֵל יֵשׁ לָהֶם חֵלֶק לְעוֹלָם הַבָּא שְׂנֵאמַר וְעַמְּךָ כּוֹלֵם צְדִיקִים  
 לְעוֹלָם יִירְשׁוּ אֶרֶץ נֹצֵר מִטְּעֵי מַעֲשֵׂה יָדֶי לְהִתְפָּאֵר.  
**KOL YIS-RO-EL YEISH LO-HEM CHEI-LEK L-O-LAM HA-BOH SHE-NE-  
 E-MAR V-AMEICH KOO-LAM TZADIKIM, L-O-LAM YIR-SHOO O-RETZ,  
 NEIT-ZER MA-TO-AIY MA'A-SEI YO-DYE LE-HIS-PO-EIR**  
*"All Israel have a share in the World To Come, as it is stated (Isaiah 60:21):  
 'And Your people are tzadikkim (righteous).' They shall inherit the land forever.  
 They are the branch of My planting, the work of My hands, in which  
 I take pride." (Sanhedrin 90a)*
  
5.  כִּי קְרוֹב אֵלֶיךָ הַדְּבַר מְאֹד בְּפִיךָ וּבִלְבָבְךָ לַעֲשׂוֹתוֹ.  
**KEE KOROV AILECHO HADOVOR ME'OD B'FEECHO  
 U'VIL'VOVCHO LA'ASOSO**  
*"It is within your close reach to follow the Torah in speech, feeling and deed."  
 (Deuteronomy. 30:14).*
  
6.  וַהֲנִיחַ ה' נֶגֶב עָלָיו וּמְלֵא כָּל הָאָרֶץ כְּבוֹדוֹ וּמִבִּיט עָלָיו וּבוֹחֵן כְּלִוֹת  
 וְלֵב אִם עוֹבְדוֹ כְּרָאוּי.  
**V'HEENEI HASHEM NEETZOV OLOV UMELO CHOL HO-ORETZ  
 KEVODO UMABIT OLOV UVOCHAIN KLOYOS VOLEIV  
 IM OVDO KORO-OOY**  
*"G-d stands over him, and the whole earth is full of His glory, and He searches  
 his mind and heart (to see) if he is serving Him as is fitting."  
 (Tanya, Chapter 41)*

7.  וְשִׁנַּנְתָּם לְבָנֶיךָ וּדְבַרְתָּ בָּם בְּשֹׁבְתֶךָ בְּבֵיתְךָ וּבְלִכְתּוֹךָ בְּדֶרֶךְ וּבְשֹׁכְבְךָ וּבְקוּמְךָ.  
**VE-SHEE-NAN-TOM-LE-VO-NECHO VE-DEE-BAR-TO BOM, BE-SHIV-TECHO BE-VAI-SE-CHO U-VE-LECH-TECHO VA-DERECH U-VE-SHOCH-BECHO U-VE-KU-MECHO**

*“And you shall teach the Torah to your children, and you should speak about it when you are home and when you travel, before you lie down to sleep and when you wake up.” (Deuteronomy. 6:7)*

8.  בְּרֵאשִׁית בְּרָא אֱלֹהִים אֶת הַשָּׁמַיִם וְאֶת הָאָרֶץ.  
**BERAISHIS BORO ELO-HIM EIS HA-SHOMAYIM VE-EIS HO-ORETZ**

*“In the beginning G-d created the heavens and the earth.” (Genesis 1:1)*

9.  יִגְעַתִּי וְלֹא מַצָּאתִי – אֵל תֹּאמִין לֹא יִגְעַתִּי וּמַצָּאתִי – אֵל תֹּאמִין  
 יִגְעַתִּי וּמַצָּאתִי – תֹּאמִין.  
**YOGATEE VELO MOTZOSEE AL TA'AMIN. LO YOGATEE U'MOTZOSEE AL TA'AMIN. YOGATEE U'MOTZOSEE TA'AMIN**

*If someone says, “I have worked hard, and I have not been successful,” don’t believe him. If someone says, “I have not worked hard and I have been successful,” don’t believe him. If someone says, “I have worked hard, and I have been successful,” believe him!!!  
 (Megilla, 6b)*

10.  וְאַהֲבַת לְרֵעֶךָ כְּמוֹד רִבִּי עֻקְבָא אוֹמֵר זֶה כָּלל גְּדוֹל בְּתוֹרָה.  
**VE-O-HAVTO LE-REI-ACHO KO-MO-CHO RA'BI AKIVO OMEIR ZEH KLOL GODOL BA-TORAH**

*Rabbi Akiva says that, “To love your fellow as yourself,” is a great basic principle of the Torah. (Leviticus 19:18, Midrash)*

11.  וְזֶה כָּל הָאָדָם וְתַכְלִית בְּרִיאָתוֹ וּבְרִיאַת כָּל הָעוֹלָמוֹת עֲלִיּוֹנִים וְתַחְתּוֹנִים  
 לְהִיּוֹת לוֹ דִּירָה זֶה בְּתַחְתּוֹנִים.  
**V'ZEH KOL HO-ODOM V'SACHLIS BREE-OSO U'VREE-AS KOL HO-OLOMOS ELYONIM V'SACH-TONIM, LEE-HE-YOS LO DEERO ZO BA-TACH-TONIM**

*The purpose of the creation of every Jew and of all the worlds is to make a dwelling place for G-d in this world.” (Tanya, Chapter 33)*

12.  וְשִׂמְחַת יִשְׂרָאֵל בְּעוֹשֵׁיו פִּירוּשׁ שְׂכָל מִי שֶׁהוּא מְזַרֵעַ יִשְׂרָאֵל יֵשׁ לוֹ לְשִׂמּוֹחַ  
 אֲשֶׁר שֵׁשׁ וְשִׂמּוֹחַ בְּדִירָתוֹ בְּתַחְתּוֹנִים.  
**YISMACH YISROEL BE-OSOV, PAY-ROOSH SHEKOL MEE SHEHOO MI-ZERA YISROEL YESH LO LISMO'ACH B'SIMCHAS HASHEM ASHER SOS V'SOMEYACH BE-DEE-RO-SO BE-TACH-TONIM.**

*“The Jews should rejoice in their Maker. Every Jew should share in G-d’s joy, Who rejoices and is happy in His dwelling place in this world.” (Tanya, Chapter 33)*