

**Kerem School**  
**Jewish Literacy Programme**  
**Year 4 ~ Week 10**

~ Part One: Vocabulary Study

Write each Hebrew word into script

English Translation	חומש Words	English Translation	חומש Words
door, opening	פֶּתַח	first	רֵאשִׁית
why	מִדּוּעַ	the river	הַיָּאֵר
elders	זְקֵנִים	copper	נְחֹשֶׁת

**English Translation / Explanation**

**G.K. Words**

תְּכֵלֶת

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**תְּכֵלֶת** is the special **blue dye** used for dyeing one of the **צִיצִית** threads. We are taught to dye the **צִיצִית** with **תְּכֵלֶת** in the third paragraph of **שְׁמַע**.  
 (Also see **צִיצִית** , below.)

תְּכֵלֶת

This is the special **sea creature** from which we extract the **תְּכֵלֶת** dye.

חֲלָזוֹן

The **small talit** is worn under the shirt.  
 It is put on when getting dressed in the morning.  
 The beracha on the talit katan ends: **וּצְנֹנוּ עַל מְצוֹת צִיצִית...**

טְלִית קָטָן

The **large talit** is put on in shul before **שְׁחֵרִית** begins.  
 The beracha on the talit gadol ends: **וּצְנֹנוּ לְהַתְעַטֵּף בְּצִיצִית...**

טְלִית גָּדוֹל

The letters of the word **צִיצִית** add up to 600. Adding the eight strings and five knots makes 613. Wearing **צִיצִית** reminds boys of the mitzvot right through the day.

צִיצִית

Also, **תְּכֵלֶת** reminds us of the sea, which reminds us of the sky, which reminds us of the **כִּסֵּא הַקְּבוֹד** - Hashem's throne of glory.

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