

Meet Avi the Ambulance

What's it about?

In this second book in the Avi the Ambulance series, Avi wants to help people, but his Mom, the command car, has assigned him and his medic Zack to restock supplies. On the way to delivering them, there is an emergency... and Avi rescues Yofi the cat!

What can my students learn from the story? *Avi the Ambulance* is a great way to introduce the following concepts to your students:

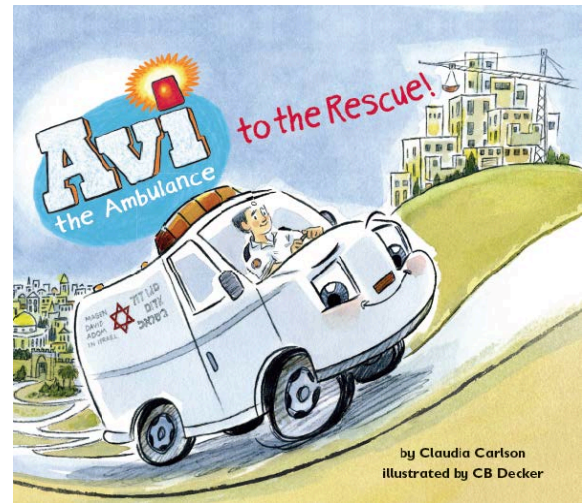
- The virtue of bravery in times of need
- The value of teamwork
- The value of *tza'ar ba'alei chayim* (compassion for all creatures)
- The importance of showing appreciation to those who help you, such as neighborhood volunteers

Discussion Questions

- What other kinds of neighborhood volunteers, like medics, can you name?
- Why do you think it is important for Avi to get water and bandages, even though he thinks it is a boring job?
- What can you do at school to keep your classroom and your classmates safe?

Kid-Friendly Activities

- Cut, sort, and paste images of household objects into two categories, "Hot" and "Not Hot." See an example here <http://www.sparky.org/downloads/Sorting.pdf>.
- Practice being a team like Avi and Zack the medic. Have a 3-legged race or attempt an obstacle course in pairs.
- Write thank you notes to community helpers (or a school helper such as a nurse). Younger students can draw pictures for their cards.



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