Chullin 66 – Good Morning Raboisai

1️⃣ סימני דגים – Core Rule

Gemara:

👉 Fish is kosher if it has:

- **סנפיר (fins)**
- **קשקשת (scales)**

📌 יסוד

👉 If it has **scales** → automatically has fins

👉 Therefore:

- Scales = main סימן

📌 Question

👉 Why mention fins at all?

📌 Answer

👉 "יגדיל תורה ויאדיר"

👉 To enhance Torah understanding

2️⃣ Developing סימנים

👉 Fish without scales now

📌 דין

👉 If it will develop scales later:

- כשר

👉 Even if scales fall off when removed from water

3️⃣ Proof of Torah

👉 Chazal state:

- No fish exists with scales but without fins

📌 יסוד

👉 Seen as:

- Proof of אמת התורה

4️⃣ Redundant פסוקים

👉 Torah says:

- Eat fish with סימנים
- Do not eat fish without סימנים

📌 Question

👉 Why repeat?

📌 Answer

👉 Adds:

- Extra איסור

👉 One who eats non-kosher fish:

- Violates multiple לאוין

5️⃣ Worms in Water

👉 New סוגיא:

👉 Worms found in water

📌 **Different cases**

👉 Depends where they grew:

6️⃣ **Types of Water**

👉 4 categories:

- Seas (ימים)
- Rivers (נחלים)
- Pits / wells (בורות / שיחין / מערות)
- Containers (כלים)

7️⃣ **Worms in Seas / Rivers**

👉 If worms grow there:

📌 **דין**

👉 אסור

👉 Considered:

- שרץ המים

8️⃣ **Worms in Containers**

👉 If worm grows inside a כלי:

📌 **דין**

👉 מותר

👉 Because:

- Never left its environment

9️⃣ Important Condition

👉 Only if:

- Grew inside container

👉 Not if:

- Came from outside

🔟 Movement Case

👉 If worm leaves container

👉 Then returns

📌 דין

👉 Still מותר

👉 If normal behaviour

1️⃣1️⃣ Drinking Water

👉 Drinking directly from water source

📌 דין

👉 No concern for worms

👉 Not required to check

1️⃣2️⃣ כלל ופרט – מים

👉 פסוק uses:

- כלל (מים)
- פרט (ימים ונחלים)
- כלל again

📌 **Rule**

👉 Only include waters similar to:

- Seas / rivers

📌 **Result**

👉 Excludes:

- Container-grown worms

1️⃣ 3️⃣ **Final יסוד**

- Scales are the key סימן for fish
- Torah sometimes adds words for clarity
- Worms depend on origin, not just presence
- Natural environment defines status
- כלל ופרט limits and expands halacha

🔑 **Key Takeaways**

- Fish are kosher if they have scales (fins follow automatically)
- The Torah mentions both signs to strengthen the teaching
- Some fish develop scales later and are still kosher
- Worms in oceans and rivers are forbidden
- Worms that grow inside a container are permitted
- The origin of the worm determines its status
- כלל ופרט is used to define which waters are included

- Halacha depends on environment, not just appearance

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