

HAR SINAI TEMPLE
Pennington, New Jersey

Religious School Registration
2017 - 2018

Parent's Name _____ Home Phone _____
(Last) (First)

Address _____
(Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

E-Mail _____ Cell Phone _____

Parent's Name _____ Home Phone _____
(Last) (First) (If other than shown above)

Address _____
(If other than shown above)

E-Mail _____ Cell Phone _____

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL FEES

Grades K-2
\$695.00

Grades 3-6
\$965.00

Grade 7
\$750.00

Grades 8-10
\$535.00

Pre-School
\$200.00 members)
\$275.00 (non-members)

Maximum Tuition Per Family: \$1,900.00

Please List SECULAR SCHOOL for EVERY ONE OF YOUR CHILDREN who is younger than 25

Name _____ Secular School _____

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PLEASE CONSIDER JOINING OUR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION COMMITTEE

The Committee's function is to act as a liaison between the parents and the faculty to provide new ideas, create new programs, solve problems, and to generally assist in the operation of our Religious School. If you would like to be a part of this committee, please indicate below!

_____ Yes, I would like to join the Religious Education Committee!

HAR SINAI TEMPLE
RELIGIOUS SCHOOL REGISTRATION
2017-2018

Please fill out this form by checking off the appropriate box for each child.

| <u>STUDENT'S NAMES</u> | | <u>GRADE</u> | <u>PRESCHOOL</u> | <u>Kindergarten – 7TH GRADE</u> | <u>8TH -10TH GRADE</u> |
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| | | | Three-Five Year Olds Once/Month 9-11:30am | SUNDAY K – 7 th grades 9-11:30am | SUNDAY 9-11:30am every other week* |
| | | | | MIDWEEK 3 rd grade (starts in January) 4 TH , 5 TH , 6 TH grades Tuesdays, 4:30pm-6:15pm | |
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*Calendars for all grades will be mailed before the start of school.

HAR SINAI TEMPLE RELIGIOUS SCHOOL HELP WANTED FORM

OUR PARENTS ARE PARTNERS IN MAKING OUR SCHOOL A SUCCESS.

Please take a few minutes and check the areas below in which you will be available to help this coming year.

CONTACT INFORMATION

PARENT NAME(S) _____

CHILD(REN)'S NAME(S) _____ GRADE(S) _____

ADDRESS _____

HOME PHONE _____ CELL PHONE _____

E-MAIL (1) _____ E-MAIL (2) _____

SCHOOL DIRECTORY

Yes! I give my permission for my family information to be included in the Har Sinai Religious School Directory and to be used for marketing

Yes! I give permission for family pictures to be used in the Temple bulletin, the Temple website and other marketing for the Temple..

PLACES TO VOLUNTEER (please check any that apply)

_____ Religious Education Committee (REC) [group of parents and educators involved in steering curriculum and direction of school]

_____ Parent-Teacher B'Yachad (PTB) [participate in meetings and implementing school year activities]

_____ Room Parent [act as the main room parent for your child's class or assist the room parent]

_____ School Directory [help to comprise the 2017 - 2018 directory]

_____ Holidays [help teacher/school with programs for major Jewish holidays]

_____ Fundraising [assistance with one of the fundraisers planned for the year]

_____ Substitute Teaching/ Classroom Support [Are you able to spend time in a classroom substituting/supporting the teacher and students?]

_____ Hebrew Tutor/Special Skills [Are you knowledgeable in Hebrew reading and/or conversation?]

Har Sinai Temple Religious School
EMERGENCY FORM

In case of injury or illness of a child at school, every effort will be made to contact the parents. The following instructions will remain in force unless revoked by parents:

Name Of Child _____

Parents' Name(s) _____

Phone Numbers _____
(Home) (Father's Business) (Mother's Business)

If injury is minor, give child First Aid? Yes _____ No _____

Ibuprofen _____ Tylenol _____

If injury is serious and parent cannot be contacted, we will contact your personal physician.

Name of Physician _____ Phone _____

Hospital Preference _____

Insurance Co. _____ Group/Policy # _____

Name of Insured _____

If you cannot be reached in case of an emergency, please give the name(s) of person(s) to be notified:

Name _____ Phone _____

Name _____ Phone _____

My signature below indicates that, in the event of a medical emergency, I authorize the staff of Har Sinai Temple Religious School to obtain emergency medical treatment for my child.

Please check any conditions experienced by your child, knowledge of which will enable the school to effect a more satisfactory experience for him or her.

Vision _____ Hearing _____ Allergy _____ Other _____

Does your child receive special help in regular school? ___ YES ___ NO. If so, please use this space to relay any information you feel would be relevant to his or her Religious School experience?

(Parent's Signature)

(Date)

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CURRICULUM: What Our Children Are Learning 2017 - 2018

Education has always been one of the most important tenets of the Jewish people. At Har Sinai Temple Religious School, we strive to provide an exciting and challenging curriculum that prepares students to participate fully in the larger Jewish community. Our goal is to teach, through an age appropriate curriculum, values and practices that are essential to the development of knowledgeable Jewish adults. Through the celebration of Jewish culture and heritage, the study of Hebrew and worship, discussions of Jewish values and ethics and

developing a connection to Israel, we aim to impart and foster each child's Jewish identity.

We also believe that education is a cooperative venture between home and school and invite you to become a partner in your child's education through the many activities we have planned during the school year. We hope that you will share your ideas, knowledge and time with us.

Kindergarten/First Grade

An Introduction to simple, joyful customs...an invitation to a young child's active participation in synagogue life...A simple introduction to Hebrew letters. Discovering the holidays and Exploring the Synagogue.

TEXTS: *BJL Aleph to Tav Activity Book*
Kadimah! Let's Get Ready for Hebrew

Second Grade

Strengthening basic Hebrew letter recognition and a gentle introduction to Hebrew vowels... An exploration of the enriching components of Jewish symbols, mitzvot, love of Israel, etc...

TEXTS: *Shalom AlefBet*
Let's Explore Being Jewish

Third Grade

Learning to read Hebrew through innovative decoding techniques including basic cultural concepts and vocabulary...An introduction to the study of Torah texts.

TEXTS: *New Siddur Program Primer/ Workbook*
The Explorer's Bible 1

Fourth Grade

Prayer skills and building a Hebrew vocabulary are emphasized through phonics review, phrase reading, and prayer recitation...In depth study of the significant holidays in Jewish life...A continuation of the study of the Bible.

TEXTS: *Israel Sheli*
The People of the Book: Our Sacred Texts
Prayer Goals Packet and CD/MP3

Fifth Grade

More advanced prayer skills and building a Hebrew vocabulary are emphasized through phonics review, phrase reading, and prayer recitation...Developing a love for the State of Israel...An exploration of early Jewish history

TEXTS: *Jewish History and Heritage*
Wonder
Prayer Goals Packet and CD/MP3

Sixth Grade

Phonics review, recitation, and phrase blending are emphasized along with creative worship activities to personalize the prayer experience for each student...Students discover how to live with Jewish values by reliving some of the most dramatic moments of the 20th Century...Exploring how a Jewish youth can blend Jewish life cycles into the fabric of modern secular life...A tour of American Jewish History...Bar Mitzvah discussion and preparation

TEXTS: *Jewish Americans - DVD*
Jewish Values: Be Your Best Self
The Time of Our Lives
Prayer Goals Packet and CD/MP3

Seventh Grade

Through the study of our sacred texts, students define the kind of adults that they wish to become, and discover how performing *mitzvot* will help them achieve their goals...the study of Jewish history is continued from the 19th century to the present day with emphasis on events leading up to the Holocaust...an introduction to Jewish law through the study of ethical puzzles and their moral dilemmas...study of the parsha of the week...discussion of current events

TEXTS: *Judaism's Great Debates*
History of the Jewish People, vol.2