

Grades K-1: Morah Dassy Cotlar

Sundays 9:30 am-11:30 am

Sunday Curriculum	<p align="center">Mitzvot I Can Do</p> <p>A fun and interactive curriculum geared to engage and teach young children how to perform various Mitzvot using the different parts of their bodies Each topic is brought to a child's relatable level complete with songs, stories, art and activities</p>	<p>Holiday Curriculum:</p> <p>Learning about the Jewish holidays and understanding them through exciting activities and games.</p>
Hebrew Reading Skills:	<p>End of Kindergarten: Recognize letters of the first half of the Hebrew Aleph-Bet and know the sounds and be familiar with most of the remaining letters.</p>	<p>End of First Grade: Recognize all of the letters in the Hebrew Aleph-Bet and their sounds. Start learning the vowels and ability to put together some basic words.</p>

Grades 2-3: Morah Brocha Wilschanski (Sunday) and Rabbi Mendy (Wednesday)

Sundays 9:30 am-11:30 am • Wednesdays 4:45 pm – 6:00 pm

Sunday Curriculum	<p align="center">Parshalive!</p> <p>Students gain an appreciation for our Torah by focusing on a story or theme through hands-on activities, discussions and projects to bring the Torah portions to life. We will cover famous stories from the middle of the book of Bereishit-Genesis, until the Exodus from Egypt.</p>	<p>Holiday Curriculum:</p> <p>Learn about the history, customs and traditions of the Jewish Holidays and how they relate to children today.</p>
Wednesday Curriculum	<p align="center">TORAHpedia</p> <p>A fun and engaging curriculum, focusing on one mitzvah for each letter of the aleph-bet. TORAHpedia brings real-life relevance to key Jewish concepts, demonstrating how Torah's lessons are applicable to the student's actual lives.</p>	<p align="center">New! Interactive – Virtual Curriculum Hebrew School out of the Box Bringing it Home!</p> <p>A fun interactive Curriculum learnt from the safety of your home with your teacher. Curriculum is focused on Jewish Holidays and overall Mitzvot that we do at home.</p>
Hebrew Reading Skills:	<p>End of 2nd Grade: Pass white, red, and orange Aleph (ability to read all the letters and most of the vowels)</p>	<p>End of 3rd Grade: Pass yellow and green Aleph (ability to recognize all letters and vowels and read words three syllables long)</p>

Grade 4-5: Rabbi Mendy Wilschanski

Sundays 9:30 am-11:30 am • Wednesdays 4:45 pm – 6:00 pm

<p>Sunday Curriculum</p>	<p align="center">“What Is?”</p> <p>Through crafts, activities and discussion, students gain an in-depth perspective on how to perform various Mitzvot and the relevance of each of these commandments in a child’s life today.</p>	<p align="center">Holiday Curriculum:</p> <p>An in-depth look at the history and laws of the Jewish Holidays and how to make it meaningful and exciting for children</p>
<p>Wednesday Curriculum</p>	<p align="center">New! Interactive – Virtual Curriculum Hebrew School out of the Box Bringing it Home!</p> <p>A fun interactive Curriculum learnt from the safety of your home with your Rabbi. Curriculum is focused on Jewish Holidays and overall Mitzvot that we do at home.</p>	<p align="center">Hebrew Reading Skills:</p> <p>End of 4th: Pass blue Alef (ability to fluently read words containing all the letter/vowel combinations)</p> <p>End of 5th Grade: Pass purple and brown Aleph (ability to fluently read basic and advanced Hebrew prayers)</p>

Grades 6-7: Rabbi Lev Cotlar

Sundays 9:30 am-11:30 am • Wednesdays 4:45 pm – 6:00 pm

<p>Sunday Curriculum</p>	<p align="center">Until February: JewQ After February: Bright Beginnings Hebrew Language Skills:</p> <p>This course begins by introducing the concepts of common Hebrew root words, prefixes and suffixes in, and then incorporates them into the texts of the Chumash. Through games and stimulated exercises, our students will learn to recognize and translate a significant portion of the text immediately, which helps remove the paralyzing “fear factor” of encountering a foreign text.</p>	<p align="center">Holiday Curriculum:</p> <p>A comprehensive journey through the Jewish calendar, delving into the traditions of the various holidays and its effect on our lives</p>
<p>Wednesday Curriculum</p>	<p align="center">New! Interactive – Virtual Curriculum Hebrew School out of the Box Bringing it Home!</p> <p>A fun interactive Curriculum learnt from the safety of your home with your teacher. Curriculum is focused on Jewish Holidays and overall Mitzvot that we do at home.</p>	<p align="center">Hebrew Reading Skills:</p> <p>End of 6th Grade: Pass grey Aleph (Master reading from the Siddur in a timed fasion)</p> <p>End of 7th Grade: Become a <i>Black Aleph Champion</i> (master reading over 100 words a minute), and began studying Hebrew vocabulary and grammar</p>

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

With the current Covid-19 climate, we are presenting these dates with the understanding that some of these programs will have to be in a different venue (or may need to be cancelled) based on the CDC & State guidelines at the time.

All programs and dates subject to change or cancellation

Shabbat-In-The-Lot

Two Pre-Shabbat parties in the Hebrew school parking lot. The program will take place on Friday, all parents and students are invited to an entertaining social distanced show & program, singing all those famous Shabbat tunes.

Friday, September 11th

Times & details to be announced closer to program.

Friday, April 30th

Times & details to be announced closer to program.

T.G.I. Shabbat

Transform your Friday evenings into a time of great food, lively singing and quality time with family and friends as we welcome in Shabbat with a student led Kabbalat Shabbos followed by a delicious dinner and fun

Friday, February 12th

Times & details to be announced closer to program.

Havdalah Ceremony - Back by popular demand!

Saturday, November 7th from 6-7 pm

Join us for a fun and lively celebration as we mark the end of Shabbat with food, crafts and entertainment.

Community Holiday Dinners

Our Chanukah and Purim dinners have been huge hits over the past few years, and we've recently expanded them to include Rosh Hashana and Passover **(This year due to Covid-19 we will not be confirming any dinners until closer to the time, the dates are theoretical and only if the climate were to allow for the dinners will we proceed to plan, updates regarding these programs will come at the soonest time possible)**

<i>Fri. Dec. 11th</i>	<i>Chanukah Dinner</i>	Times & details to be announced closer to program.
<i>Thursday, February 26th</i>	<i>Themed Purim Dinner</i>	Times & details to be announced closer to program.

Aleph Champ Brunch & Award Ceremonies*

We would like to invite our parents to join us for two special family brunches, the first shortly after winter break, and the second at the end of year ceremony. At the ceremony, we give recognition to our students for what they have accomplished in their Hebrew reading, and present them with their hard earned Aleph Champ Medallions.

<i>Sunday, January 15th</i>	Mid-year child/parent learning & brunch	Ceremony starts at 10:00 am.
<i>Sunday, June 5th</i>	End of Year Celebration and Aleph Champ award ceremony	Ceremony starts at 10:00 am.

***May be done Virtually due to Covid-19**

Other Special Programs

Sun. Aug 30 th	School Orientation:	Registration, orientation and going over the rules of Covid.
Sun. Sept 20 th	Rosh Hashana: <i>Children's program for Shofar Blowing and Tashlich ceremony</i>	Meeting up in designated place (TBD) for an exciting and meaningful Tahslich and Shofar blowing ceremony.
Sun. Sept 27 th	Erev (Day before) Yom Kippur: <i>Hebrew School focused on the holiest day of the year.</i>	Exciting pre-holiday program for kids.
Mon. – Thur. Oct 5 th – 8 th	Sukkot: <i>Special Sukkah Mobile Events</i>	Special Sukkah on wheels will make its way to your neighborhood. Be sure to check out the times and dates when it will be around you!
Sun, Oct. 11 th TBD BASED ON COVID	Simchat Torah: Celebration: <i>Dancing and Deli with the Torah</i>	The highlight of the entire month of Tishrei! Hakafot, dancing with the Torah, children's program, Kiddush and deli starting at 7:30 pm.
Sun, Nov 22 nd	Thanksgiving Gratitude Bake Off:	In school activity to show our appreciation to our local heroes who keep us safe
Sun, Dec 13 th	Chanukah: Special Menorah Parade & Grand Menorah Lighting	Times & details to be announced closer to program.
Sun. Jan 24 th	Tu B'Shevat (New Year for Trees)	Holiday craft and activities
Fri. Feb 25/26 th TBD BASED ON COVID	Purim: Annual Purim Costume Ball and Megillah Reading	Come dressed up in your favorite costume as we celebrate Purim with entertainment, Megilla reading and food
Sun. March 21 st	Pesach Event	CHS Model Seder
Friday April 30 th	Lag B'Omer Shabbat-in-the-Lot Event	Cookout and Fun in the parking lot
Mon. May 17 th TBD BASED ON COVID	Shavout: Mega Ice Cream and Cheese Cake Party	Reading of the Ten Commandments at 10:30am, followed by special Children's Service with Ice Cream and Cheese Cake!
Sun. June 6 th	End of Year Celebration and Award Ceremony	Join us for a brunch as we celebrate your child's achievements in CHS this past year