CBD Hebrew School Parent & Student Handbook

Parent & Student Expectations Section:

1. Student attendance at Sunday/Wednesday Hebrew School

Student are expected to attend every Hebrew School class: Sundays for grades K-3, Sundays and Wednesdays for grades 4-7. Students are expected to arrive within 5 minutes of the start of the class and leave when class is dismissed at the end.

We ask that students not attend Hebrew School if they have a contagious illness, including a fever of over 100F or vomiting within the past 24 hours. In case of illness, parents are to email the Hebrew School teacher. Students will be asked to make up work at home as needed.

2. Student and parent attendance at Shabbat Services

Shabbat service attendance and participation is an integral part of the Hebrew School curriculum. Students are expected to attend at least one Shabbat service per month during the school year. Those Shabbat services can include Pizza Shabbats and Student-Led Shabbats, in addition to regular weekly Friday night and Saturday morning services.

Older Hebrew School students (grades 4-7) are required to participate in all of the Student-Led Shabbat services throughout the school year.

3. Student and parent attendance at Family Programs

Students are parents are encouraged to attend all Family Programs throughout the school year, but are expected to attend at least half of the Family Programs.

4. Parent Participation on Committees and Oneg Shabbats

Parents are required to serve on one Hebrew School committee and set up one Oneg Shabbat during each school year. Oneg Shabbat dates are for Pizza Shabbats and Student-Led Shabbat Services. Sign-ups will be at the beginning of the school year. If parents are not present at sign-ups, they will be signed up for a committee and a date for Oneg Shabbat set-up.

Hebrew School committees are as follows:

PJ Library Committee (4-6)

Tu B'shevat Seder Committee (2-4)

Purim Carnival Committee (4-6)

Passover Taste-Off Committee (2-4)

Spring Fling Committee (3-5)

Fundraising Committee (3)

For the Oneg Shabbat set-up, instructions are as follows for both Pizza Shabbat and Student-Led Friday Night Shabbat services.