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## HEBREW SCHOOL 2010-2011

Dear Parents,

Thank you for your interest in Aventura Chabad's Hebrew School for the 2010-2011 school year. We are dedicated to providing each and every child with a proper Jewish education. Our goal is to instill within your child a deep love for Judaism and strive to make each lesson exciting and meaningful!

**We offer classes to children attending Kindergarten through Grade Five\*.**

\* For Students entering Fifth Grade, please fill out the separate FiveAlive registration forms.

Please fill out the enclosed registration and tuition forms and bring them in to our office or mail them to:

**Aventura Chabad  
Hebrew School Registration  
21001 Biscayne Blvd.  
Aventura, Fl. 33180**

If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at (305) 933-0770 or email: [chani@chabadfl.org](mailto:chani@chabadfl.org).

Sincerely,

Chani Forta  
Program Director



## Curriculum

Aventura Chabad's Hebrew School offers a stimulating yet friendly environment where children embrace their Jewish roots and gain a true sense of Jewish pride, no matter their level of observance or affiliation. Children, ages five through eleven, acquire a broad knowledge of Judaism through a motivating and challenging venue. Our students gain an appreciation for the joys, values and traditions of our heritage as it is vividly brought to life by the dedicated and enthusiastic teachers whose creativity and dynamism make every lesson a unique learning experience. At Chabad our goal is simple: We want our students to view Judaism in an intelligent, relevant and upbeat light and develop a deep love and appreciation for their precious heritage, imbuing their every day with a sense of pride and purpose..

### Tefillah

The children will sing the familiar and well-known prayers from our siddur. They will become proficient on various levels throughout their years in Hebrew School.

### Hebrew

Aleph Champ is a program that motivates children in Hebrew Schools to read Hebrew, based on the Karate System of motivational colored levels. Students start out on the White Champ Level, with a White Champ Book, White Flashcards and a burning desire to pass to the next level.

Students learn to read and write Hebrew, starting from the basics of Aleph-Bet and progressing until they are fully capable of reading, writing, understanding, and working with the Hebrew Language. Our goal is to have your child feel comfortable in any Jewish environment, especially while praying in the synagogue.

### Parshat Hashavua

The weekly Torah portion will come to life as the children relate to our ancient fore bearers who shaped the Jewish nation.

This subject is taught on different levels depending on the age of the children.

### Chagim

The children will learn about the Jewish Holidays according to the yearly calendar. As Rosh Hashana is approaching the children will hear the Shofar, dip apple in the honey and learn all about the customs and songs of the Holiday. Throughout the year, the children will experience first-hand the excitement of each holiday.

### Yahadut

The children will learn about general Jewish knowledge, such as Shabbat and Kosher. We always focus on the Land of Israel and its importance to us as Jews! This subject is taught in different segments throughout the year.



## Advanced Curriculum for Older Grades

In addition to all of the above-mentioned subjects, we offer our two oldest classes two exciting programs in Yahadut.

### Fourth Grade

#### "TorahPedia"-Mitzvot Are For Action.

This program focuses on explaining Mitzvot so that children can appreciate their relevance to "real life". The book consists of 22 Mitzvot – in the order of the Aleph-Bet.

### Fifth Grade

#### "Jewish Life Cycles"

An incredible program that takes each child from his/her birth through the after life. Stops at all significant "life moments" including Baby Namings, Brit, Bar/Bat Mitzvahs, Marriage, Adulthood, Death and the After Life!

This journey through life prepares them for the beginning of their transition from child to adulthood. L'Chaim!

### Weekly Schedule

#### Sunday Mornings

10:30 – 10:50 AM	Tefillah
10:50 – 11:30 AM	Hebrew
11:30 – 11:40 AM	Recess
11:40 – 12:20 Noon	Yahadut/Chagim
12:20 Noon	Dismissal/Carpool Begins

#### Wednesday Afternoon

4:30 – 4:50 PM	Tefillah
4:50 – 5:30 PM	Hebrew
5:30 – 5:40 PM	Recess
5:40 – 6:20 PM	Parsha
6:20 PM	Dismissal/Carpool Begins



## Policies and Procedures

### Schedule:

#### Sunday:

School begins at 10:30 A.M. The classroom is open at 10:25 AM for students.  
Dismissal begins at 12:20 PM. All students must be picked up by 12:30 P.M.

#### Wednesday:

School begins at 4:30 PM. The classroom is open at 4:25 PM for students.  
Dismissal begins at 6:20 PM. All students must be picked up by 6:30 PM.

### Books & Supplies:

**Books:** Hebrew Reading Primer and Hebrew Reading Workbook

#### Supplies:


Each child is responsible to bring the following supplies to school on the first day.  
These supplies will be kept in school for use throughout the year:  
Glue, Glue stick, Scissors, Markers, Pens, Pencils, Notebooks.

### Carpool:

All cars should enter the Aventura Chabad Property from 30<sup>th</sup> Avenue (behind the building).  
Please **DO NOT** enter the property from Biscayne Boulevard!  
Drive through the parking lot until you reach the STOP sign. (Cones will be placed there.)  
Arrival: Stay in your car. A waiting staff member will escort your children up the ramp to the back entrance of the building.  
Dismissal: Stay in your car. One staff member will be outside by the carpool lane & one inside the building, communicating by radio. The children will be called by loudspeaker and escorted from the back entrance, down the ramp, to the waiting car.

### Food Policy:

The children should bring a drink and snack to school for recess time. All food should be

Kosher and have a symbol such as .

### Bringing Personal Items & toys to school:

Children should not bring toys or personal items unless requested by the teacher in connection to a specific lesson.

### Incentives and Store Days:

Our staff provides a secure environment for the children. They establish a few simple rules for the children to follow which are stated in a positive way. For positive reinforcement, we give out "Torah Dollars" which the children use to buy prizes on select days, called "Store Day"!



**Special Programs and Performances:**

In order to fully enrich the Jewish Education for our dear children, we try to bring in as many special programs and events as we can. We have a Shofar Factory, Matzoh Bakery, visit from a Scribe, Musical Entertainment and special crafts and videos throughout the year. The children prepare a Chanukah Performance for the parents and we have an end-of-year graduation ceremony for the classes!

**Hebrew Levels:**

All children will be grouped according to their grade. During the Hebrew lesson, each teacher will have an assistant working with one group of kids while she is working with the others. There will also be center-based learning in Aleph Champ where kids will be learning with each other.

**Consistency and Commitment:**

Children follow the example of their parents. Please show your child that Hebrew School is very important to you! If they see that their Jewish education takes first precedence they will understand the importance of our tradition. We do understand that there are Simchot and other events that do need to be attended to and we encourage you to be there with a full blessing! If however, the commitment is to something not as meaningful, we respectfully request attendance on a consistent level.

**THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING AVENTURA CHABAD'S HEBREW SCHOOL!**



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**REGISTRATION FORM**

**STUDENT'S INFORMATION**

	<u>Student #1</u>	<u>Student #2</u>	<u>Student #3</u>
First & Last Name			
Hebrew Name			
Date of birth			
Time (am/pm approx.)			
Grade			

**PARENT'S INFORMATION**

<u>MOTHER</u>		<u>FATHER</u>	
First & Last Name:		First & Last Name:	
Address:		Address: (if different than mother's address)	
Home ph #: ( ) -		Home ph #: ( ) -	
Cell ph #: ( ) -		Cell ph #: ( ) -	
Work ph #: ( ) -		Work ph #: ( ) -	
E-mail: @		E-mail: @	

Is mother Jewish?  By Birth  Converted - If converted, please specify Rabbinic Authorization:  
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**For conversion, please provide us with Certificate of Conversion and Marriage Ketubah.  
 Please note: All Conversions must be accepted by the Orthodox Rabbinical Court, before child can be admitted to Aventura Chabad's Hebrew School**

**OTHER CHILDREN IN THE FAMILY**

First & Last Name			
Hebrew Name			
Date of Birth			
Time (am/pm)			

**CARPOOL & PICKUP INFORMATION**

Name:  
 Name:  
 Name:

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent's name) hereby authorize Aventura Chabad or its staff to administer first aid or take my child to the emergency room if deemed necessary.

Parent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_



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TUITION FORM			
PARENT'S NAME:			
NAME/S OF STUDENT/S ATTENDING SCHOOL:			
HEBREW SCHOOL FEES			
	<b>MEMBER</b>	<b>SOON TO BE MEMBER</b>	
Tuition Fee CHILD>	<PER	\$700	\$800
HEBREW SCHOOL CHARGES (FOR OFFICE USE ONLY)			
CHARGES	MEMBER FEES	SOON TO BE MEMBER FEES	
Total Fee			
1ST PAYMENT (MUST BE PAID AT TIME OF APPLICATION)			
Total Paid: \$	Date paid:	Cash	Check #:
Credit Card #:		Exp Date:	
PAYMENT PLAN			
BY HEAD CHECKS			
DATE	CHECK NUMBER	AMOUNT	
2 <sup>nd</sup> payment: 09/15/2010			
3 <sup>rd</sup> payment: 10/15/2010			
4 <sup>th</sup> payment: 11/15/2010			
5 <sup>th</sup> payment: 12/15/2010			
BY CREDIT CARD			
CREDIT CARD #:		EXP DATE:	
DATE	AMOUNT		
2 <sup>nd</sup> payment: 09/15/2010			
3 <sup>rd</sup> payment: 10/15/2010			
4 <sup>th</sup> payment: 11/15/2010			
5 <sup>th</sup> payment: 12/15/2010			
<b>I AUTHORIZE AVENTURA CHABAD TO CHARGE MY CREDIT CARD.</b>			
SIGNATURE:			
TERMS OF AGREEMENT (PLEASE READ CAREFULLY! NO EXCEPTIONS!)			
* Payment in full is due upon submission of this application. * Payment for attendance at our Hebrew School is Non-Refundable (If child is not attending school for any reason, payments must still be honored!)			
Signature:	Print Name:	Date:	



**AVENTURA CHABAD'S HEBREW SCHOOL**

**EMERGENCY CONTACT AND MEDICAL INFORMATION FOR A CHILD**

Child's Name	Date of Birth	Child's Name	Date of Birth
Child's Name	Date of Birth	Child's Name	Date of Birth
Mother's Name		Father's Name	
( )	( )	( )	( )
Home Phone	Cell Phone	Home Phone	Cell Phone
Address		Address	
City, ST ZIP Code		City, ST ZIP Code	

**ALTERNATIVE EMERGENCY CONTACTS**

Primary Contact (First Name, Last Name, Relationship)	Secondary Contact (First Name, Last Name, Relationship)
( )	( )
Home Phone	Cell Phone
Address	Address
City, ST ZIP Code	City, ST ZIP Code

**MEDICAL INFORMATION**

Hospital/Clinic Preference

Physician's Name	Phone Number
Insurance Company	Policy Number

I authorize all medical and surgical treatment, X-ray, laboratory, anesthesia, and other medical and/or hospital procedures as may be performed or prescribed by the attending physician and/or paramedics for my child and waive my right to informed consent of treatment. This waiver applies only in the event that neither parent/guardian can be reached in the case of an emergency.

I give permission for my child to go on field trips. I release Aventura Chabad and individuals from liability in case of accident during activities related to Aventura Chabad, as long as normal safety procedures have been taken.

Parent's/Guardian's Signature	Date
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