

EHRS GETS THE POINT!



Edgware & Hendon
Reform Synagogue
ק"ק לדור ודור

*An information evening for parents on collecting CRP points for
Secondary Jewish School applications*

Welcome & Introduction



Marian Cohen MA
Director of Education
& Youth



Jack Murphy
Head of Youth
Development



Rabbi Mark Goldsmith



Guy Ronen
Education & Youth
Administrator

The how-to's for EHRS collection

- Jewish day schools all require the completion of a CRP (Certificate of Religious Practice) form for admission which is dependent on collecting points for service attendance, Jewish education or volunteering in the Jewish community. Each school has its own unique requirements
- **Registering** - We ask you to register with Guy Ronen in the EHRS Education team (education@ehrs.uk or 0208-238 1012) that you are collecting points through EHRS and then he will support you with keeping a record of these attendances, and assign a record card.
- **Attendance** - We are very happy to help you collect CRP points to confirm you have attended services at EHRS. We will ask you to collect stickers for services attended in your child's individual record cards. This will be given to you at your first attendance, then kept at the Shul for safe keeping! This will also be engaging for children to collect and fill up their attractive record cards.
- **Signing off** - The final stage is to get back in touch with Guy who will arrange for you to meet with one of our Rabbis who will use this record card to confirm your attendances required by the schools and will be delighted to speak with you and sign your form

My Name:

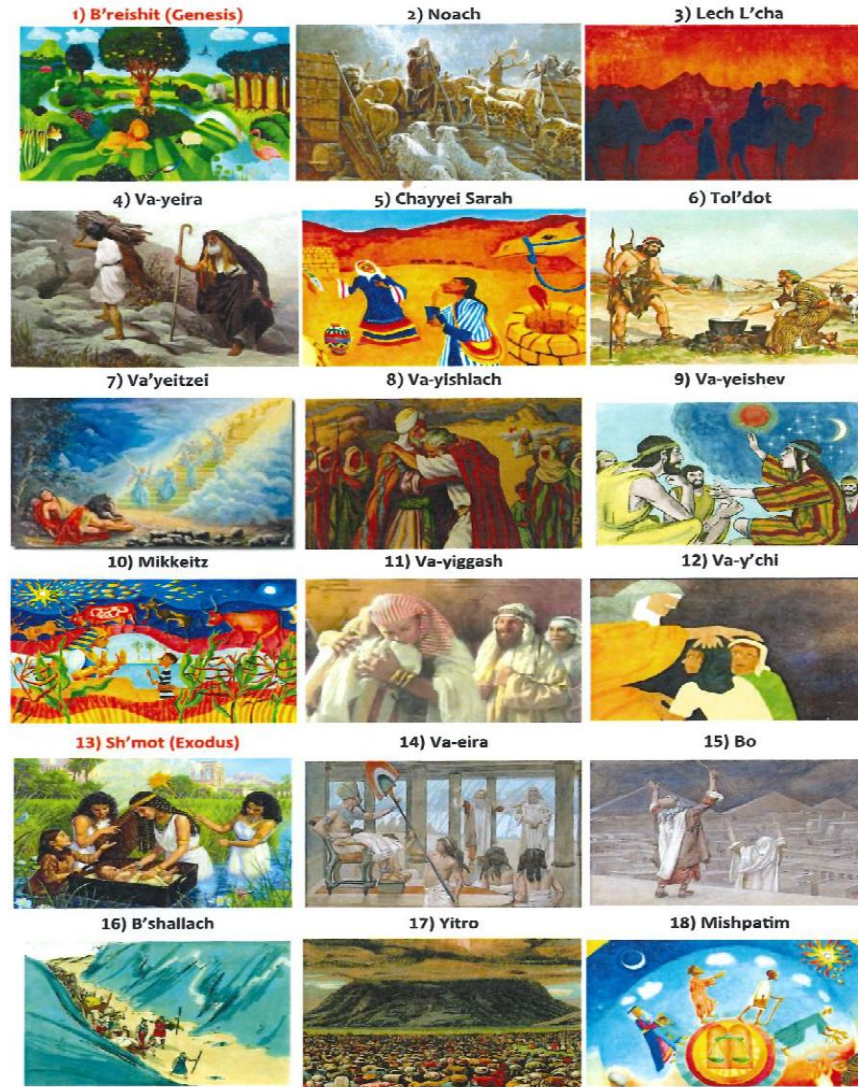
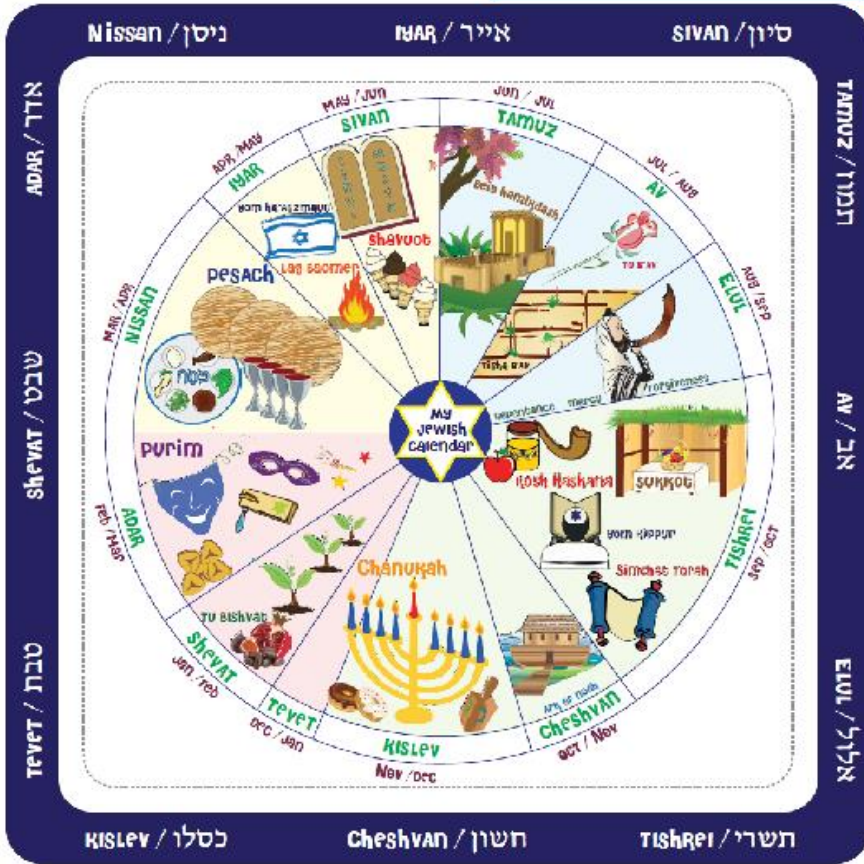
My family E-mail:

This Year is:

Names of the weekly Torah portions

First portion in a book of the Torah

A portion that in some years is joined to another portion



What are the schools asking for?

You need to apply to your Local Council where you live for Year 7 school places, even if the school is out of your borough.

For Year 12 apply directly to the school

Application deadline for Year 7 is **before** 31 October 2022

(but check school website as all slightly different deadline dates in October, but most the last week)

For Year 12 check school website as all slightly different for internal and external applicants

MAKING APPLICATIONS:

- ▶ For Year 7 you need to complete **three** forms
- ▶ 1. Common Application Form (CAF) - will be available on your Local Authority website between 1st September - 31st October 2022.
 - ▶ 2. Supplementary Information form (SIF) available on school website
- ▶ 3. Certificate of Religious Practice (CRP) available on school website (for Year 12 + school application form)

The schools advise that if you wish to send your child to Yavneh College for example, you should rank Yavneh College as your first choice on the CAF.

(don't forget to make copies of all the forms you submit, keep a look out for the confirmation email & keep you log in reference safe)

None of the schools you apply to will know the order in which you rank them. They play no part in the selection process, that is the Local Authority only.

But Jewish schools do set the admissions policy, and confirms which applicants have satisfied the Jewish practice criteria.

Those applicants wishing to be considered as priority applicants for available places need to obtain a certificate establishing religious practice (CRP), based on the child's synagogue attendance, Jewish education and/or family communal activity.

[Useful website: Secondary School Admissions - Partnerships for Jewish Schools \(pajes.org.uk\)](#)

JCoSS

- ▶ These provisions apply to all new applications, including admissions to Year 7 or Year 12 for September 2023
- ▶ In accordance with the Admissions Code and in common with all schools, places are first allocated to children who have an Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP). Parents wishing to apply for such a place, including all places in the Pears Special Resource Provision (PSRP), must do so through their Local Authority.
- ▶ **Collecting CRP Points:**
- ▶ You qualify if you or your child have attended at least 4 actual or virtual synagogue services in the six months prior to your application
- ▶ **If Yes:** You do not need to complete Section B or C.
- ▶ **If No:** you must satisfy section either **section B** - Has your child been engaged in formal Jewish education (either provided at a Jewish school, Cheder/Hebrew school (or equivalent), synagogue or by a tutor on at least 6 occasions in the six months prior to this application?
- ▶ **or section C** - Have you or your child been involved in a volunteer capacity in any Jewish communal, charitable or welfare activity (with no financial value or practical benefit to JCoSS or any associated body) on at least 6 occasions in the six months prior to your application?

JFS and Yavneh- SEN Applications

▶ **SEN/EHCP APPLICATIONS**

- ▶ Parents of children with SEN or / and an Educational Health Care Plan are advised to apply through their Local Authority's Special Educational Needs team. This is to ensure that the correct consultation procedure between parents, school, and SEN team at the Local Authority can take place.
- ▶ In accordance with the law, schools will admit pupils with Statements of Special Educational Needs that name the school.
- ▶ The schools may still ask that a SIF and CRP are completed.

CRP Criteria for JFS and Yavneh

- ▶ Need to collect **4 points** overall – There is no advantage in achieving more than 4 points for any school
- ▶ Need an application, SIF and CRP form for each school
- ▶ **Synagogue attendance** - between **16th April 2022 and 29 October 2022** - for dates eligible for attending services on Shabbat. Festivals are not counted
- ▶ At least 8 visits = 4 points, 4 visits = 2 points, less than 4 times = 0 points
- ▶ **Online Services** – 2 visits = 2 points
- ▶ **Jewish educational activities** - between **1st November 2021 and 31 October 2022** – 6 occasions = 2 points
- ▶ **Volunteering** - between **1st November 2021 and 31 October 2022** – 12 occasions = 2 points
- ▶ **Participating on the Tribe CRP 6-week course 2022** – This course has been specifically designed for admission to schools whose religious authority is the Office of the Chief Rabbi or whose Foundation Body is the United Synagogue, for admission in September 2023.
- ▶ Course 1 from 27 Apr/ Course 2 from 08 June / = 2 points www.tribeuk.com

CRP Criteria for Immanuel College

The same criteria as JFS and Yavneh but the big difference is that you can collect all 4 points by your child/ren attending a Jewish school or cheder

Opportunities to collect with EHRS

- ▶ Friday night OR Saturday morning service (6.30pm on a Friday and 10.30am on a Shabbat morning) in person
- ▶ Parallel services that takes place at the synagogue on Shabbat
- ▶ Shabbat Club on the last Shabbat of the month
- ▶ Parent volunteering (CST, Uniform groups, Community Care)
- ▶ Your child's attendance at Orot

EHRS wider support for Jewish education

- ▶ Offering Reform environment and learning, creative and non-judgemental
- ▶ Reform community, from generation to generation
- ▶ Families activities and events for all ages
- ▶ Supporting challenges with Jewish school SRE etc.
- ▶ Youth clubs, holiday schemes and uniform groups for fun and engaging
- ▶ Jewish life



Join us for a MEGA Shabbaton
Friday 13 May – Sunday 15 May 2022

You will have time to chill & bond with the other b'nei mitzvah students and your rabbis

This weekend at Phasels Wood will include the following activities: kayaking, zip lining, zorbing, archery team challenges and loads of fun!

Total cost £89.00
(nobody will be excluded because of financial reasons, please speak in confidence to one of our rabbis, who will be delighted to help)

There is a special Chanukah gift of £10.00 off if booked before February 2022

You will have a fabulous weekend away with everyone in our b'nei mitzvah cohort

If you have any queries, please contact Marian Cohen, education@ehrs.uk or Rabbi Mati, rabbimati@ehrs.uk

To book your place please go to www.ehrs.uk/event/shabbaton2022

v18 Stonegrove, Edgware, Middlesex, HA8 9AB
Telephones: 0181 8233 1000 Email: admin@ehrs.uk Web: www.ehrs.uk
Charity: 1172455 Company: 10682971

Edgware & Hemdon
Reform's Synagogue
www.ehrs.uk



EHRS Shavuot Street Party!

Come and celebrate Shavuot & the Queens Jubilee with us!

Sunday 5 June 11:00-12:30

For more information & to book visit
www.ehrs.uk/event/streetparty

Fun for the whole family

Cheesecake & ice-cream Kiddush

Party with your community

Creative activities for all

Climb the Mt Sinai inflatable slide

118 Stonegrove, Edgware, Middlesex, HA8 8AB
Telephone: 020 8238 1000 Email: admin@ehrs.uk Web: www.ehrs.uk
Charity: 1172458 Company: 10622971

Edgware & Hendon Reform Synagogue
קייק בורו וזרר




Israeli dancing

KAYTANA & KADIMA 2022

Week 1: Monday 1 - Friday 5 August, Week 2: Monday 8 - Friday 12 August, Week 3: Monday 15 - Friday 19 August

Kaytana: ages 5-7 & 8-10 - Kadima: ages 11-14

Scheme Timings: 9:15-16:00 (early drop off from 8:30 and late pick up until 17:00 available upon booking)

Early Bird prices available until Thursday 16 June

EHRM Members:
£130 per week
£30 per day
£35 trip days

Non EHRM Members:
£150 per week
£35 per day
£40 trip days

Sibling reduction available

Payment can be made via the website with a debit/credit card.
If you would like to pay by Childcare Vouchers please email education@ehrs.uk before booking



Join us for sports, drama, music, art, getting creative, cooking, games, friendship and fun!

Trip days on Wednesdays for both groups, scheme t-shirts, and our special activity Fun-Tastic Fridays are back!

Strict regulations will be adhered to by all Youth Workers and Madrichim with regards to health and safety. Please email youth@ehrs.uk if you have any queries.

Please go to www.ehrs.uk/kaytanakadima for more details and to book a place

118 Stonegrove, Edgware, Middlesex, HA8 8AB
Telephone: 020 8238 1000 Email: admin@ehrs.uk Web: www.ehrs.uk
Charity: 1172458 Company: 10622971

Edgware & Hendon Reform Synagogue
קייק בורו וזרר

Q&A

Contact: guy.ronen@ehrs.uk or marian@ehrs.uk