

OVERVIEW

Shorashim meets every Sunday from 9:00 am through 12:00 pm. Our day begins with a spirited learner's *t'fillah* (prayer) service.

Throughout the morning, our students are offered a number of different ways to connect to their Jewish tradition. In addition to classroom lessons on Bible, Holocaust, life cycles, holidays, and more, our students also have a culture chug (unit). During this kinesthetic learning opportunity, our students learn about Jewish culture; music, cooking, dance, art, D&D, and more!

Hebrew comprehension is a very important aspect of Jewish education. During *Shorashim*, our students also have a Hebrew *Chug*. This time is devoted to decoding the Aleph Bet, prayer literacy, modern Hebrew, and preparation for B'nai Mitzvah.



At Temple Israel, we believe that *Shorashim* should be a fun, exciting, and accessible place to learn, be in community, and grow closer to Judaism. We look forward to learning with your child and welcoming your family into our community!



For more information about any of our educational programs and for information on how to register, please be in touch with Rabbi Tzvia Jasper, our Engagement Rabbi and Director of Education. She looks forward to speaking with you and getting to know your family!

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SHORASHIM

Hebrew for roots, *Shorashim* is Temple Israel's religious school program for students in preschool through 7th grade. At Temple Israel we grow Jewish roots together. Through study, joyful Shabbat and holiday celebrations, social action, and communal activities, we plant Jewish seeds for a lifetime of Jewish learning and living. Be a part of our tree of life as we grow together!



MADRICHIM

Students in 7th - 12th grade are invited to become a *Madrach* (guide, teacher's assistant). Our *Madrachim* play an integral part of *Shorashim*, by serving as role models for our younger students.

MIDRASHA

The combined Jewish High School is a joint program with Temple Israel and Congregation B'nai Emunah for 8th through 12th graders. Students meet on Wednesday evenings and choose from exciting electives with various teachers. The students are encouraged to participate in the annual Spring Break trip, to explore Jewish communities nationwide.

ADULTS ONLY

Temple Israel's group for parents and guardians is called Adults Only. This group meets once a month on Sunday Mornings during *Shorashim*. It is a lay-led group that decides what they would like to do. Often, it includes text studies and community-building time. It always includes food.



FAMILY PROGRAMMING

Temple Juniors (TJs)

Once a month, our Temple Israel youth group, TJs, meets for community-building events. Sometimes they are at Temple Israel, but we love to go into the city too! We have been to Urban Air Adventure Park, Main Event, the Aquarium, and more! These events are highly subsidized, and always come with a delicious pizza lunch!



Family Shabbat

Temple Israel offers Family Shabbat once a month. This interactive service is designed for families and kids of all ages. Together we light the candles, sing Shabbat songs, read a story, and do traditional Shabbat prayers. Every Family Shabbat comes with a complimentary dinner!