

Our Vision

To inspire our children to be proud of their Jewish heritage and identity, in order to become moral and intellectual future leaders for our Jewish communities.

Our Mission

To encourage our students to embrace all aspects of Hebrew learning, tradition and prayer, through the cultivation of engaging, creative and multi-faceted programs and initiatives.

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Creating Sacred Community



Our students will emerge from their educational experience here at IPRS with a strong sense of Jewish identity, equipped with the knowledge and skills to lead a meaningful Jewish life. Our passionate and experienced group of teachers and directors strive to foster a sense of inclusivity and innovation amongst each and every one of our students - instilling in them the capabilities to thrive spiritually, academically and emotionally.

6th Grade

- Jewish history, beliefs and values
- Exposure & inclusion in Torah services & concluding prayers
- Reading Hebrew
- Introduction to Shabbat services
- B'Nai Mitzvah preparation

7th Grade

- Jewish holidays
- Prophets and writings
- Read and recite the prayers of the Torah service and the concluding prayers.
- Continuation of Shabbat/ Musaf Services
- B'Nai Mitzvah preparation

8th Grade

- Partaking in Jewish traditions & celebrations
- Learning about important Jewish figures, both past and present
- History of the Holocaust
- Mincha service

CURRICULUM OVERVIEW

Pre-K to 1st Grade

- Jewish values , holidays, and Mitzvot
- Exposure to blessings and prayers
- Familiarization with Jewish symbols and places
- Exposure to Hebrew letters, usage of which is practiced and reinforced through reading exercises and application of vocabulary & phrases

2nd to 3rd Grade

- Lifecycle events
- Blessings and prayers
- Familiarization with Jewish symbols, holidays and culture
- Exposure to Hebrew letters, usage of which is further practiced and reinforced through reading exercises and application of vocabulary & phrases

4th to 5th Grade

- Lessons & values gained from the Torah
- Jewish Holidays
- Exploring Israel MapQuest
- Decoding Hebrew
- Reciting prayers during congregational services; understanding the roots of prayer phrases & vocabulary