



MACHAR PROGRAM APPLICATION

Applications received after the deadline will not be guaranteed a position and may be wait-listed.

Name: _____ Birthday: ____/____/____
 First Middle Last Month Day Year

Address: _____

City: _____ ST: _____ Zip: _____ Home phone: _____

Cell phone: _____ Parent phone: _____

Parents' names: _____

Macharnik e-mail address: _____

Parent contact e-mail address (es): _____

Grade in 2020-2021: _____ High School in 2020-2021: _____

School District: _____ T-shirt size (Adult): S M L XL XXL

Please list the extracurricular activities will you be involved with in 2020-2021:

Which activities may have some conflicts with Religious School hours? Fall, Spring or all year?

Why do you want to be a Macharnik?

What do you hope to learn from your experience as a Macharnik?

List and tell us about your previous teaching experience. Please include previous machar assignments, babysitting and camp counselor experience with ages of children:

List and describe your Jewish educational background (youth group, camp, religious school, including number of years):

List special talents, hobbies and interests that will contribute to the classroom:

What has been your most memorable Jewish Experience? Why?

Describe a bad memory you have of religious school:

Describe a good memory you have of religious school:

Would you like to work with and receive training to work with special needs students?

Yes _____ No _____

Would you like to be a shadow for children with special needs? Yes _____ No _____

Describe two ways you can have a positive effect on a child's religious school experience:

1. _____

2. _____

Describe two good qualities you have observed in teachers that you wish to emulate:

1. _____

2. _____

What does being a good role model mean to you?

Please list your grade level preferences for your Machar assignment:

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____

Do you have any siblings attending religious school in 2020-2021? _____

Please list their names and grades for the 2020-2021 school year:

1. _____ grade _____ 2. _____ grade _____ 3. _____ grade _____

Is there any grade, teacher or Macharnik that you do not want to work with next year?

Why? _____

Check one or both of your preferences: _____ Hebrew _____ Judaica _____ Either

Machar Hours are: 8:45am - 12:00pm

B'nai Torah hours are: 12:15pm - 1:15 pm

1:15pm - 2:15 pm

Please return this application to:

Director of Education/Macharnik Coordinator

Adat Chaverim

6300 Independence Parkway, Plano, TX 75023



Statement of Commitment and Responsibility

Adat Chaverim is a vibrant Jewish community which provides a means towards and a context for living an active Jewish life. We are where Reform Judaism thrives.

The priority goal of Adat Chaverim Religious School is for learners to be on a life long journey of active engagement with the Jewish community; guided by the study of Torah, God and Tikkun Olam.

As a member of our education team, I understand that I am responsible for helping to create the learning experiences, positive environment and developing the relationship with my students which will enable them to meet this goal.

I promise to do my best to provide an enriching experience for the class/es to which I am assigned. I agree that my presence in each class is vital and necessary. I promise to work willingly with the classroom teacher in order to promote teamwork and a successful class. I will discuss any concerns, challenges and/or successes I have with the teacher, the Macharnik Coordinator or the Director of Education.

I understand that if I am unable to attend on any given Sunday, I will contact both my teacher and the Macharnik Coordinator. I will follow Religious School guidelines regarding attendance, cell phone usage and break times. I also understand that I am responsible for reading all weekly communications sent out by the Macharnik Coordinator.

Macharnik Signature

date

Parent signature

date

Note: Electronic copies of this contract are not acceptable. Please return a hard copy to the Youth Director or the Director of Education. It must be signed by both the Macharnik and Parent.