# Cultivating The Next Generation of Jewish Leaders

### Our leadership program is focused on the following pillars:

- A strong identity & pride in being Jewish
- Sense of peoplehood and responsibility to the global Jewish community
- Spiritual Growth
- Hebrew Immersion & Jewish Literacy
- Knowledge of Jewish History
- Connection to Israel
- Tools to combat Antisemitism & all forms of Bigotry
- Civic Engagement & Community Building
- Being a Mensch!



#### Why us?

- Engage with Diverse Guest Speakers
- Connect with Other Jewish Teens
- Strengthen Jewish Values & Identity
- Explore Jewish History & Culture
- Develop Leadership Skills



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# JEWISH TEEN LEARNING CENTER (JTLC)



Post Bar and Bat Mitzvah
Jewish Education
for Teenagers
in the West Valley

# **Program Details**

#### Who We Are

As Chadash brings the communities of Shomrei Torah Synagogue & Temple Aliyah together to explore a new model of Jewish communal life, our Jewish Teen Learning Center will serve as a nexus for post- B'nai Mitzvah engagement. We are committed to ensuring a strong Jewish future by providing an affordable & easily accessible Jewish education for nonday school students, throughout their teenage years.

We invite Jewish teens (8th-12th grade) throughout the San Fernando Valley and Conejo Valley to join us for a variety of innovative programs featuring: diverse guest speakers, roundtable discussions on contemporary issues, and leadership training, in a dynamic social environment.



## 8th Grade JTeen Learning Seminar

8 Seminars for 2022-23 School Year 2 hours on Sundays each month from 9:30 - 11:30am beginning Oct. 23, 2022.

Oct. 23, 2022 Feb. 12, 2023 Nov. 13, 2022 March 12, 2023 Dec. 11, 2022 April 16, 2023 Jan. 8, 2023 May 21, 2023

\$500 for STS/TA Members \$750 for Non STS/TA Members

**Tentative Schedule** 

9:30-10:20am

Intro and Guest Speaker

10:20-10:40am

Break

10:40-11:30am

Class Discussion Groups

#### **Topics**

- Forgiveness/Accountability
- Jewish History in America Timeline
- Jewish Civic Responsibility/Politics
- Jewish Values Discussion
- Jewish Environmentalism
- Combating Bigotry & Antisemitism
- Global Jewish Communities/Peoplehood
- Seminar on Israel History & Culture
- Famous Jews & Their Achievements
- Relationships 101

#### 9th - 12th Grade Chadash Teen Leadership Program

4 Sessions for 2022-23 School Year 3 hours each quarter + optional activities 10:00am - 1:00pm beginning Oct. 23, 2022.

Oct. 23, 2022 March 12, 2023 Jan. 8, 2023 May 21, 2023

\$360 for STS/TA Members \$500 for Non STS/TA Members

Tentative Schedule

10:00-10:30am

Welcome and Icebreakers

10:30-11:30am

Guest Speaker/Discussion

11:30am-12:00pm Brunch Break

12:00-1:00pm

Leadership Workshop

#### **Topics**

- Relationships 101
- History of Jewish Life in America/ Intersection of Jewish Values & Politics
- Jewish Activism:
   Combating Bigotry & Antisemitism
- Israel & You