



COVID Policy Fall 2021

Our COVID policy for the Hub for Jewish Learning and Engagement is based on the current TAS in-person attendance policy and guidance from the CDC. **We know that there is no substitute for Jewish community happening together in person, and we are going through every possible effort to make that happen. Above all, our priority is the health and safety of all of our students, teachers, families, and staff.** Please note that policies may change or be updated based on changes in COVID numbers and situations.

Classroom Environment

- We will be meeting outside, weather dependent. Classes will be stationed around the building with tables, chairs, and supplies moved outside as necessary to create an environment conducive to learning. Teachers may opt for alternative seating options, such as on a large sheet on the grass, depending on the dynamics and the goals of their classes.
- When inside, larger classes will be moved to larger spaces in the building in order to maintain social distancing. Windows and doors will be open and smaller classes will have individual air filtration systems.
- The building has been being cleaned regularly throughout the last year, and will be all the more so during the upcoming school year. We will be utilizing our disinfectant fogger as well as a professional cleaning crew. Cleaning schedules are based around building use in order to ensure sanitization between various groups.
- Students will sit by grade during all-school sessions, such as T'filah.

Arrival and Dismissal

- Arrival and dismissal will be done grade by grade in order to avoid an overcrowding of people in one space.

Adults during Religious School

- In order to protect the safety of our children, adults will be asked to refrain from entering the building on Sunday mornings.
- Adult programming, especially that which involves food, will be held outside.
- Adults are encouraged to join us for (outdoor) T'filah.

Masks

- Masks are to be worn at all times, both indoors and outdoors, except for when social distancing can be maintained outdoors.
- Everyone is required to wear a mask that fully covers their mouth and nose, including those who are vaccinated.

Vaccinations

- Vaccinations are required unless ineligible due to age or medical reasons. This includes all teachers, staff, and Madrichim.

Food

- There will be no eating inside and we will not be having snack. Please make sure to feed your child(ren) before Religious School.

Positive Cases and Exposure

- If you or your child(ren) are experiencing symptoms, please do not attend.
- Those who have tested positive for COVID may return 14 days after a positive test, provided that they are asymptomatic.
- If your child tests positive for COVID, please notify Mikah immediately.
- If you have traveled in the last 72 hours, do not return until you have had a negative PCR test.