

**Congregation Shir Hadash Religious School
Specialty Signup
2008-2009**

Parent(s) First & Last Name

Child Enrolled:

Child's Name	Sunday Grade (4-6)

Please fill out one form per student in grade 4-6.

What Is This?

During Religious School this year, 4th-6th graders will spend 45 minutes each week experiencing the richness of Judaism through arts, culture, and literature. Each block will last approximately seven weeks. Please check *all* subjects that your child would enjoy. Put a star next to their top choice(s).

- Drama with Julie Dean-Pelikan:* Put on a costume and perform a short play on a Jewish holiday theme, which will be performed at a Friday night family service!
- Conversational Hebrew with Taly Lavee:* Learn to order pizza, talk about sports, and enjoy simple conversations in modern Hebrew!
- Book Club with Davida Rosenbaum:* Love to read? We will read and discuss some of the greatest Jewish novels for children, both classic and modern.
- Cooking with Rachel Wilson:* Work together on holiday-themed meals! We will prepare meals for homebound elders, the homeless, and other groups in our community.
- Art with Nancy Meyer:* Create beautiful Jewish artwork in a variety of media, including silk, mosaic, and recycled materials.
- Junior Choir with Cantor Felder-Levy:* Experienced singers and novices welcome! We will prepare fun and accessible songs to be sung at Family Services and at community events.
- Green Judaism with Sheila Pappas:* Caring for the earth is an ancient Jewish value. Each week we will explore a different aspect of Judaism's commitment to the environment, then spend time working in the garden!
- Torah Team with Chuck Dietz:* If you love games, trivia, and friendly competition, this is the class for you! We will study facts about Torah and other central Jewish themes, then participate in game shows and other lively team-based games.
- Parent Participation Module: What's Jewish About Baseball?* As we lead into that most important time of year, the ~~World Series~~ High Holy Days, we will discover how America's favorite pastime can also reveal important Jewish concepts and themes. One parent per child must participate each week from September 7 to October 19, from 10:25-11:10 am.