

TEMPLE SINAI YOUTH ENGAGEMENT

19/20 Fee:
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SULAM - TEEN PROGRAMS FAMILY REGISTRATION FORM

We're thrilled that you will be joining our teen community this year! You're just a few short steps from being officially registered. Here's a checklist of what needs to be submitted:

- Family Registration Form
- Individual Registration Form
- Teen Program Selection Form
- Anti-Bullying Pledge
- Check made out to "Temple Sinai" (Tuition includes \$10 membership to SORTY)

Parent #1:

Address:

Home Phone:

Work Phone:

Cell Phone:

Email:

Parent #2:

Address:

Home Phone:

Work Phone:

Cell Phone:

Email:

Emergency Name & Phone:

Circle Preference for School Emails:

Parent #1

Parent #2

Both



The Department of Youth Engagement utilizes a free, one-way texting service called Remind. It is used by 35 million teachers, students and parents worldwide. 1 in 2 public schools in the United States actively use this service. Unlike group messaging, Remind is a one-way service that keeps phone numbers anonymous, and won't flood your phone with everyone else's responses. We love it and think you will too. (And if you don't, you can easily cancel at any time.)

Circle Preference for Text Reminders:

Parent #1

Parent #2

Both

Neither

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SULAM - TEEN PROGRAMS INDIVIDUAL REGISTRATION FORM

Teen's Name: _____ Birth Date: _____ Gender: _____

Teen's Email: _____ Teen's Cell Phone: _____

Name of Secular School: _____ Grade in Secular School (Fall '19): _____ T-Shirt Size: _____

What are your teen's plans for summer 2020? Circle all that apply.

Camp Teen Tour Service Project Home College Program Other Still Looking

Would you like someone to contact you about award-winning summer travel & volunteer programs such as Mitzvah Corps, Kutz Leadership Camp, or NFTY in Israel: Yes No

Does your teen have any **food allergies** or other health concerns of which we should be aware? If so, will you be leaving an EpiPen or other medication with us?

Is your teen taking any medications regularly? If so, please explain.

Are there any special family situations of which you would like us to be aware? (e.g. family illness, recent divorce, remarriage, new birth?) If so, please explain.

If you would like to discuss any concerns privately with Temple Sinai's Director of Youth Engagement, please call Lulu Belferder at 516.621.6800 x 116.

PHOTO RELEASE – Sign ONLY if you DO NOT want your teen's photo published.

In an effort to inform the community about Temple Sinai's OUTSTANDING Teen Programs, photographs of the teens (without names attached) may be used for publicity in brochures, the website and in other media. If you DO NOT want your teen(s) to be included in photographs connected with our programs, please sign below.

Teen(s):

Parent's Signature:

Date:

SULAM – TEEN PROGRAMS SELECTION FORM 2019-2020
(Submit a separate form for each teen)

Teen's Name: _____

Multiple Program Discount: When registering for more than one program, subsequent programs of equal or lesser tuition are only \$250 each.

	PROGRAM	MEETS	FREQUENCY	EARLY BIRD	AFTER 8/15/19
	Havdallah for Hunger	Saturday 5:30 – 10:00pm	Meets once a month	\$525	\$550
	TSPN – Temple Sinai's Philanthropy Network	Sunday 1:00 – 4:00pm	Meets once a month	\$525	\$550
	Hand in Hand	Sunday 12:00 – 3:30pm	Meets twice a month	\$525	\$550
	Confirmation (incl. \$225 ceremony fee)	Sunday 12:00 – 1:30pm	Meets twice a month	\$1050	\$1075
	Tzedakah Foundation	Monday 6:40 – 8:00pm	Meets weekly	\$525	\$550
	Leadership Academy/Madrachim	Thursday 6:30 – 8:00pm	Meets twice a month	\$525	\$550
	SORTY Board Meetings	Thursday 8:00 – 9:00pm	Meets once a month	Free	Free
	Cooking for a Cause (Teen Edition)	Wednesday 6:30 – 8:00pm	Meets twice a month	\$525	\$550
	Teen Chazak	Wednesday 6:15 – 8:00pm (includes Yoga)	Meets twice a month	\$180 Member \$360 Non-Member	\$180 Member \$360 Non-Member
	Senior Seminar	Various Dates and Time		FREE	FREE
	Israel Seminar	Tuesday 6:30-8:00pm	3 Sessions Fall/Winter	FREE	FREE
	Zikaron Basalon	Various Dates and Time		FREE	FREE
Total:					

To be enrolled in our SULAM - Teen Programs, students must be members in good standing at Temple Sinai or at another congregation.

- There is an additional \$100 per annum administrative fee for non-Temple Sinai members who are members of another congregation.

- Confirmation fee includes the \$225 ceremony fee. The trip to the Religious Action Center will be billed separately.
- Payments can be made by check, made out to Temple Sinai, or by credit card online at <https://mysinai.org/content/online-credit-card-payment-form>
- As always, payment plans and financial aid are available. Please contact our Executive Director at 516.621.6800 x105.
- All programs include lunch or dinner at each session, except Teen Chazak.
- Registration for TSPN must be submitted by Monday, August 19, 2019.
- 8TH GRADE B'NEI MITZVAH STUDENTS MUST BE ENROLLED IN A TEEN PROGRAM AT THE TIME OF THEIR BAR/BAT MITZVAH.

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TEMPLE SINAI IS A NO-BULLYING ZONE

Bullying is when one person deliberately and repeatedly intimidates, harms, or publicly embarrasses another. Bullying can appear in many different ways:

Physical	hitting, kicking, shoving, mean hand gestures
Verbal	teasing, taunting, name calling, threatening remarks, spreading rumors
Cyber	using technology to threaten, insult or harass
Indirect	excluding or intentionally leaving a person out, getting someone else to bully another person, gossiping

At Temple Sinai we have no tolerance for bullying of any kind. Our staff is trained to identify bullying and to report any incidents of bullying to the Director of Youth Engagement. At the beginning of the year and throughout the year, our teens will be taught about what it means to create a sacred community where everyone is treated with kindness and dignity, what to do when they feel they are being bullied, what to do when they witness bullying, and how bullying has no place at Temple Sinai.

Sometimes students confuse other behaviors with bullying. No doubt, students will say things to one another which can be mean or hurtful, and whether these things are said intentionally or unintentionally, they still hurt.

Our responsibility at Temple Sinai is to teach our students what to do when they feel they are being bullied, and what to do when they see somebody else being bullied. We encourage our students to speak up and seek help if and when bullying occurs. **At Temple Sinai we follow the Jewish ethic that teaches that we are all responsible for one another, including each other's feelings.** Every student will be taught that every teen has a right to be here and to be treated with respect, and that when we see another person being bullied, we should not be bystanders and stand silent, but we should report the abuse to an adult who can stop it.

We also want to make sure that our students do not participate in any form of **cyber bullying**. Cyber bullying is using technology to threaten, insult or harass. Technologies like cell phones and the Internet allow for aggressive expression toward others that doesn't rely on physical strength or even physical contact. A person who cyber bullies can aggressively and anonymously spread rumors, threats, hate mail, or embarrassing photos through text messages, emails, or instant messages.

You can read more about bullying at: <http://www.stopbullying.gov> or eyesonbullying.org

Please read and discuss the bullying pledge (on the reverse of this page) with your teen. Please make sure that both of you sign it and return it to us. We hope that this will further impress upon our students that when we say **Temple Sinai is a No-Bullying Zone** – we mean it!

** Adapted from URJ Camp Eisner's No-Bullying Zone Policy, 2012*

**PLEASE TURN OVER
FOR PLEDGE THAT MUST BE SIGNED AND RETURNED TO TEMPLE.**

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ALL STUDENTS IN GR 8-12 MUST SIGN THIS PLEDGE IN ORDER TO BE ADMITTED TO CLASS. PLEASE RETURN THE SIGNED FORM WITH YOUR REGISTRATION MATERIALS.

Teen's Name: _____ Teen's Grade: _____

TEMPLE SINAI ANTI-BULLYING PLEDGE

By signing this Anti-Bullying Pledge, I agree to uphold the following Jewish values:

- ✓ Treat others respectfully – *kavod*
- ✓ Include those who are left out – *dibuk chaverim*
- ✓ Never bully or tease others – *derech erez*
- ✓ Not participate in gossip – *lashon hara*
- ✓ Never watch, laugh or join in when someone is being bullied – *lo ta-amod al dam rayecha*
- ✓ Tell a teacher when I suspect or witness bullying – *ometz lev*
- ✓ Help those who are being bullied by having the courage to be an ally - *rachmanut*
- ✓ Never participate in any form of cyber bullying by using my computer or cell phone to threaten, insult or harass any of my fellow students. If I do witness any cyber bullying, I will tell a parent immediately - *lo ta-amod al dam rayecha*, "Do not stand idly by," Leviticus 19:16.

I understand that bullying has no place at Temple Sinai. I also understand that the Director of Youth Engagement is the final judge regarding how a bullying incident will be dealt with, and that bullying behaviors will generally be dealt with as follows:

1st Incident: Teen and Parent will be called in to meet with Director to discuss next steps, which will be at the discretion of the Director.

2nd Incident: Teen will be suspended from his/her program and will instead meet privately with the Director of Youth Engagement or a member of our staff for a period of time to be determined by the Director, in consultation with our clergy, until it has been determined that the student can come back into the regular program and exhibit proper behavior.

Signature of Teen

Date

PARENT: I have read and discussed the importance of Temple Sinai's Anti-Bullying policy with my teen. He/she understands that Temple Sinai is a No-Bullying Zone, and will uphold the values inherent in the agreements stated above.

Signature of Parent

Date

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FOR NON-TEMPLE SINAI MEMBERS

TO BE ENROLLED IN OUR SULAM - TEEN PROGRAMS, STUDENTS MUST BE MEMBERS IN GOOD STANDING AT TEMPLE SINAI OR ANOTHER CONGREGATION. THERE IS AN ADDITIONAL \$100 PER ANNUM ADMINISTRATIVE FEE FOR NON-TEMPLE SINAI MEMBERS WHO ARE MEMBERS OF ANOTHER CONGREGATION.

Teen's Name: _____ Teen's Grade: _____

This is to certify that the aforementioned teen and their family are members in good standing at the organization named below.

Name of Organization

Signature of Clergy/Executive Director/Temple Staff

Date