

RIS Undergraduate Winter in Jerusalem!



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Shalom Students!

We are your MADRICHIM ("student life staff") during your time here in Israel. We want to let you know that we're here for you for anything you need! We know where to find the best hummus in Jerusalem, cool places to go on hikes and how to resolve those small roommate disputes... We wish you a wonderful time in Israel and hope we'll be able to help make it unforgettable!

See you around,

Dana, Yaniv, Tagil & Inbal

Madrichim Office: 402, Boyar Building

P.S.: If you are counting the number of your Israeli friends, you can start with the four of us...

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UG Ulpan in Jerusalem

Friday, January 26 – Saturday, January 27

Ein Gedi, the Dead Sea and Masada Weekend!

A weekend of hiking in the Judean Desert, floating in the Dead Sea, making new friends and just having a great time! Don't miss out on this great opportunity!

Start: 7:00AM, Leaving from: Student Village - North Gate

Sunday, January 28

Practical Jerusalem Tour - FREE

Get to know your way around downtown Jerusalem. Discover some of the best restaurants and nightlife centers in the city, and learn some history as well! * We will be traveling by light rail- bring 20 shekels!

Start: 3:45PM, Leaving from: Student Village - North Gate

Friday, February 2

RIS UG Friday Night Dinner!

Join the Madrichim for a festive Shabbat dinner! Featuring a full Shabbat meal, friends and fun! *Optional Shabbat prayer services before dinner- everyone, regardless of religion or affiliation, is welcome!

Mandatory registration by Thursday, January 25 in offices 401-404!

5:45PM- Services. 6:30PM- Dinner.

Leaving from: Student Village - North gate

Saturday, February 3

Shabbat Picnic @ Student Village- FREE

Join us for a Shabbat Picnic in the Student Village! Israeli brunch in a relaxed atmosphere and company!

Start: 12:00PM Place: Student Village on the grass



Monday, February 5

Israeli Farming & Cider Tasting!

Get your hands dirty with Israeli farming and planting! Followed by a tour of the unique Buster's Cider Factory (and tasting, of course)!

Mandatory registration by Thursday, February 1 in offices 401-404!

Start: 1:30PM, Leaving from: Boyar Bldg. , Price: 1 points

Monday, February 12

Wine and Chocolate workshop in an Israeli Kibbutz!

Tour Kibbutz Tzuba, and learn about the Kibbutz way of life and ideology.

After the tour visit the kibbutz winery and taste the great wine,
followed by a chocolate workshop!

Mandatory registration by Thursday, February 8 in offices 401-404!

Start: 1:30 PM, Leaving from: Boyar Bldg. Price: 1 point

Friday, February 16

Religions of Haifa Trip

While society tends to focus on the 3 monotheistic religions, there are many more religions in Israel! This trip visits the Ahmedim, Druze and Bahai religions (and the spectacular Bahai gardens!).

Mandatory registration by Wednesday, February 14 in office 401-404!

Start: 7:00AM, Leaving from: Student Village - North Gate, Price: 1 points

Tuesday, February 27

Undergraduate Pub Crawl!

Explore downtown Jerusalem at night and follow the Madrichim to their favorite bars, pubs and clubs!

Start: 7:00PM, Leaving from: Student Village - North Gate



Information About Activity Points

To purchase activity points, you will need to log in to the RIS website using your student number (ID) and 5 digit personal code.

Tuition paying students already received points; other students are encouraged to purchase points. You can check how many you have in offices 402 and 501, or in the personal information section on the RIS website.

| Points | Price (USD) |
|--------|-------------|
| 1 | \$40 |
| 2 | \$70 |
| 3 | \$100 |
| 4 | \$130 |
| 5 | \$160 |
| 6 | \$180 |

Every additional point after you purchase 6 points will cost \$30.

Please make sure to note the tracking number found on the final payment screen.

After you have purchased your points, please register for the activities in room 401-404.

Please note:

- Each activity has a minimum and maximum number of places.
- You must pre-register to activities – registration closes a few days before the activity.
- Registration is possible only if you currently have points.
- Each student must come in person to the Student Life office (Room 401-404) to sign up for an activity.
- Following your registration, you will receive a confirmation by email with the date and time of the activity.
- Under NO circumstances may points be transferred to another student.
- You can learn more about Student Life activity points, registration and refunds on our website: <http://overseas.huji.ac.il/?CategoryID=345>
- We recommend that you check your academic schedule before registering for activities- it is possible that an academic class may visit the same site.



Important Information about Student Life

Eligibility

Student Life activities are open only to Rothberg International School students.

Refunds

Refunds are only issued under the following circumstances:

- ⇒ Cancellation by the student 7 days in advance.
- ⇒ Cancellation less than 7 days in advance, accompanied by a doctor's note.
- ⇒ Cancellation of an activity by the Office of Student Life.

Shabbat and Kashrut

There is no driving on Shabbat during tours and seminars sponsored by the Office of Student Life.

All food provided at Student Life activities is kosher.

Dietary Needs

If you are vegetarian, vegan, gluten free or have other dietary restrictions, please notify the Office of Student Life at registration (for trips that offer food).

What to Bring?

Equipment, Clothing, Medicine

The following equipment is mandatory for all field trips and weekend programs:

1. Canteen/Water Bottle (3 liters a day on hiking tours)
2. Hat
3. Comfortable closed walking shoes (not sandals or flip flops)
4. Small day backpack
5. Flashlight (depending on trip)
6. Health insurance card

