



July, 2019

Dear Student,

The Rothberg International School welcomes you to the Jerusalem Ulpan 2019 (July 2–July 25).
Please read the important information about the Ulpan below.

Required Essay

During registration students are required to write a short essay as part of the classification process, unless they are complete beginners (i.e., have no knowledge of the Hebrew). **Please go to room 302 in the Boyar Building after you are done registering to write your essay (Monday, July 1) as early as possible, so that by tomorrow morning you will be placed in a class that suits your level and abilities.**

Purchasing the Hebrew textbook

Students in Level Aleph Bet and Gimel will purchase the textbook together, *so you do not have to buy the textbook in advance.*

Level Aleph - עברית מן ההתחלה, חלק א' - Hebrew from Scratch, Part 1 - has a yellow cover

Level Bet- עברית מן ההתחלה, חלק ב' - Hebrew from Scratch, Part 2 - has a red cover

Level Gimel – עושים עניין

Please do not write in the book until you and your teacher are sure that your class assignment is correct. You will be able to exchange the book in the bookstore **as long as you do not write in it.**

Finding your Class

All classes are held in the Boyar Building on the Mount Scopus campus.

You will be notified by email (the e-mail address in our system) as to your class placement a day prior to the start of the ulpan. If you do not receive an e-mail, please go to the 5th floor (rooms 501-2) to complete registration, and then to the Hebrew offices (rooms 444-447) to receive a note and your class placement.

Schedule

July 2 - July 25 8:30 AM - 1:20 PM	
8:30-10:00	שיעור 1 Class
10:00-10:30	הפסקה Break
10:30-12:00	שיעור 2 Class
12:00-12:15	הפסקה Break
12:15-1:20	שיעור 3 Class

- All classes will participate in one mandatory activity after class hours: 1:45-3:15.



The date will be announced in advance.

Participation

- Class attendance is **mandatory**.
- Students are required to arrive on time to all classes.
- Students must complete all homework assignments, quizzes and exams.
- Those who miss more than 10% of their classes may lose up to 10% of their final grade.
- The final grade of those who miss 30% or more of their classes will be based on 70% of their final exam grade in the Ulpan.

Ulpan Grades (This is a general distribution. In case of changes, the teachers will notify the class.)

Levels Aleph-Bet

Attendance	Oral Exam	Homework	Quizzes	Final Exam
10%	10%	20%	25%	35%

Level Gimel

Attendance	Quizzes	Homework	Project	Final Exam
10%	20%	20%	15%	35%

Final Exams

Students generally do not complete a whole level during the Jerusalem Ulpan, and at the end of the course take a *final exam* based on the material studied in class. However, some classes and students will also be able to take the *level exam*, based on the recommendation of their teachers. All final exams will take place in the last day of Ulpan (July 25).

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We hope you enjoy your stay and wish you success in your studies.

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