

Ramat Shalom's 2016-2017 Youth/Education Programs

Please indicate which program you are selecting. Please submit one form for each child!

___ ISERVE Program/The Next Step (Gr. 8 - 12) - \$180 ___ Kochavim / Youth Choir (Gr. K-7) - \$54

Child's Name: _____

Address: _____ Home Phone: _____

City/Zip Code: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Hebrew Name: _____ Age on 8/1/16: _____

Name of Child's School: _____ Grade in School 2016-2017: _____

Parent #1: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Parent #2: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Email: Child _____ Parent(s) _____

Child lives with: Mother ___ Father ___ Both ___ Other/Relationship _____

Emergency Information: In case of minor illness or injury of my child at school, I give the school staff permission to give basic first aid to my child. In case of a major injury or illness, I understand that staff will make every effort to contact me. If they are unable to do so, I give permission for my child's physician and/or an ambulance to be contacted and for a physician to hospitalize and/or secure proper treatment for my child.

In case of an emergency call:

Name _____ Relationship _____ Phone # _____

Name _____ Relationship _____ Phone # _____

My child may be picked up by the following people:

Name _____ Relationship _____ Phone # _____

Name _____ Relationship _____ Phone # _____

List any allergies, medical conditions and/or daily medication: (Please notify the Torah School office of any changes)

Allergies: _____

Medical Conditions: _____ **Medication:** _____

Please provide any information about your child that may affect the classroom learning; for example, specific learning issues, special needs, or educational accommodations. _____

Insurance Company _____ Policy Number _____

1. **Electronic Items:** Ramat Shalom is not responsible for any phones or games brought to school. We therefore suggest that you do not bring these items.

2. **Publicity Release:** I authorize pictures and/or videos of my child to be used for publicity and marketing purposes on the Ramat Shalom website, newspapers, magazines, social media, or marketing materials. ___ Yes ___ No **(Please initial)** _____

Parent's Signature _____ Printed Name _____ Date _____

ISERVE/The Next Step Program Description

ISERVE/The Next Step is an innovative new program that incorporates the traditional concepts of Post B'nai Mitzvah, Confirmation, and Post Confirmation education with contemporary influences. Through this platform, teens have the opportunity to strengthen their Jewish identity and explore their evolving Jewish values, while earning Florida Department of Education-mandated volunteer hours.

Highlights of ISERVE/ The Next Step 2016-2017 may include:

- 8th grade Jewish Values Immersion Experience**
- 9th grade Jewish Mentorship Program with local community leaders**
- 10th-11th grade trip with Rabbi Andrew to UF Hillel**
- 12th grade Israel Activists Workshop**
- Team and Trust Building Project at the Broward College Rope's Course**
- Parent-Teen learning opportunities with the Rabbi and Cantor**
- Spiritual Entrepreneurship Training**
- Day trip to Immokalee, FL to spend time farming with migrant workers and discuss important human rights issues**

The Next Step is open to all 8th-12th graders. At the end of the 10th grade, students who take part in The Next Step will be Confirmed at Ramat Shalom.

Kochavim/Youth Choir

A love of music is the only requirement for participation in this group! Rehearsals take place approximately once per month on Sundays, immediately following Torah School. Social opportunities and camaraderie are plentiful as the choir prepares for several performances throughout the year. Lunch is provided.