



ILLUMINATED
UNDERGROUND
Las Vegas

Dear 8th, 9th, 10th, & 11th grade TBS families,

You've had your bar or bat mitzvah and you're no longer in religious school. You're now a young adult that's involved in sports or other school activities and your time is limited. You want to hang out with other Jewish teens but not in a Hebrew school classroom. Sound familiar? If it does, then you need to hear about the new program at the Judy and Ronald Mack School for Religious Studies: **Underground Las Vegas.**

Underground LV is different and here's how it works:

We make Judaism relevant by first having a conversation together, not through a lecture. The program utilizes adult Jewish mentors to lead teens in a discussion about topics that affect them; this can be anything from video games, to relationships, to even losing a loved one. We'll learn together and from one another in the youth lounge—and don't worry, we'll provide the snacks. Oh, and we know you're busy, so we'll meet only one Monday night a month.

We experience the world through a Jewish lens by participating in mentor-led field trips all around Las Vegas. One Sunday a month, we'll begin with a teen-friendly prayer service with our community. We'll explore Jewish tradition and practice and then have a wonderful breakfast together before dividing into groups to explore the city. Parent drivers will escort us to our destination while we discuss prep questions in the car and send the other groups our responses via TikTok. When we arrive, we'll talk about what's Jewish (or not) about the specific location and we'll study a text together while we're there. Of course no Jewish field trip would be complete if we didn't stop for a snack somewhere on the way home.

We'll learn to make Jewish decisions for ourselves, because to understand our tradition is to live our tradition. We'll give you the tools and the understanding to help you decide how you want to engage in a Jewish life. Your friends and mentors will also be there for you to bounce around ideas, hear your complaints and give you feedback. These are the first steps in building community.

Why not give us a try? With only one day-a month time commitment and a program cost of \$300 for the whole year, you've got nothing to lose and everything to gain. So let's go--the Underground is waiting.

L'Shalom,
Rabbi Jonathan Hodson
Director of the Judy and Ronald Mack School for Religious Studies



Underground Las Vegas 2021-2022 Signup Form

1. **NAME** _____
Last First Middle Hebrew Name

2. **ADDRESS** _____
Street City State Zip Code

3. **HOME PHONE** () _____ **E-Mail (Parent)** _____

4. **BIRTHDATE** _____ **AGE** _____ **GENDER: MALE FEMALE (please circle)**

5. **DAY SCHOOL** _____ **DAY SCHOOL GRADE IN 2021-22** _____

6. **NAME OF PARENT(S) OR GUARDIAN(S)** _____
Full Name Daytime Phone # Cell Phone #

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7. **PARENTS' MARITAL STATUS: MARRIED DIVORCED SINGLE** (Please check one.)

With whom is the student living? _____

8. **IF PARENTS OR LEGAL GUARGIAN(S) ARE UNREACHABLE IN EMERGENCY, CALL:**

Name / Relationship to Student () Telephone #

_____ I give permission to use my child's image in any media for Temple Beth Sholom, including social media, print media, audio, and televised or filmed media.

Judy and Ronald Mack School For Religious Studies
“Underground Las Vegas” Payment Agreement
2021-2022

Total Amount Due For Program: \$300

PAYMENT PLAN: Please choose number of payments: 1 3 5 (Please circle one.)

FINAL PAYMENTS (or payment plan arrangements) are due by **Sunday, August 15, 2021.**

PAYMENT METHOD FOR DEPOSIT

- Check Check Number _____ (Please make checks payable to Temple Beth Shalom.)
- Cash Temple Staff Signature _____ Member Signature _____
- Credit Card
Please bill my credit card. (Visa/ MC/AMEX) (Please circle one)

Credit Card Number

Exp. Date _____ CCV# _____ Billing Zip Code: _____

PAYMENT METHOD FOR BALANCE DUE

- Check (Please contact the Accounting Department for a Recurring Payment Authorization Form.)
- Cash
- Credit Card
Please bill my credit card. (Visa/ MC/AMEX) (Please circle one)

Credit Card Number

Exp. Date _____ CCV# _____ Billing Zip Code: _____

LATE FEE POLICY

Families who have not paid in full by **December 31, 2021**, will incur a late fee of \$100.00.

Signature of Parent _____ **Date** _____

Judy and Ronald Mack School For Religious Studies
"Underground Las Vegas" Medical Release Form

Student's Name (please print)

ALLERGIES TO MEDICATION AND FOOD

Does your child suffer from any allergies? (e.g. bee sting, medications, etc.) _____ Y _____ N

If yes, please explain _____

NON-PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS

_____ My child has my permission to self-administer the following non-prescription medications:

<u>Medication</u>	<u>Reason for Medication</u>	<u>Dosage</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS

_____ My child has my permission to self-administer the following prescription medications:

<u>Medication</u>	<u>Reason for Medication</u>	<u>Dosage</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

_____ My child does NOT have my permission to self-administer prescription medications.

MEDICAL INSURANCE

Medical Insurance Company _____ Phone _____
Policy Group Number _____
Insurance Company Address _____
Physician's Name _____ Phone _____
Physician's Address _____

If and when the need for medical and/or surgical attention arises during the period of my child's official participation in the Judy and Ronald Mack School For Religious Studies, I hereby grant permission for my child to be transported by private vehicle or ambulance to an appropriate medical facility and to be treated by qualified medical authorities at their discretion and that of the program leaders.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date



Judy and Ronald Mack School For Religious Studies
“Underground Las Vegas”
Social Media/Marketing/Video/News/Publications/Website Release
2021-2022

I, _____ (Parent/Guardian Name) hereby give permission to The Judy & Ronald Mack School For Religious Studies to use my **child’s image** in the following outlets; social media, marketing materials, video programs, news, publications and websites. I understand my child’s name **will not** be used in any of the above format.

I have read the foregoing and fully understand the contents thereof.

Child’s Name _____

Parent Signature _____

Date _____

**Judy and Ronald Mack School For Religious Studies
Financial Assistance (Mack Scholarship) Application for
"Underground Las Vegas"**

****Please Return by August 15, 2021****

Please list reduced obligation amounts for last fiscal year:	Temple Membership Dues	\$ _____
	Religious School Tuition	\$ _____
	Preschool Tuition	\$ _____
	Other	\$ _____
	TOTAL	\$ _____

Please list amount paid last fiscal year:	Temple Membership Dues	\$ _____
	Religious School Tuition	\$ _____
	Preschool Tuition	\$ _____
	Other	\$ _____
	TOTAL	\$ _____

Statement of Ability to Pay for the 2021/22 Fiscal Year

Understanding that all members of Temple Beth Sholom are expected to pay dues to the extent and in an amount that they are financially able to do so, I/we state that I/we can reasonably pay the following by May 31, 2019:

Temple Membership Dues	\$ _____
Security	\$ _____
Building Fund	\$ _____
Religious School Tuition	\$ _____
TOTAL:	\$ _____

Payment toward obligation may be made before a reduction is approved.

The Tuition and Dues Reduction Committee encourage applicants to use either automatic credit card payment processing or automatic checking account transfers.

I/we hereby affirm that all of the information provided in this Confidential Financial Assistance Application is true and accurate to the best of my/our knowledge. I/we understand and agree that verification of the above statements will be provided to the Tuition and Dues Reduction Committee for review upon request.

Signature (Head of Household)

Date

Print Name

Please return by hand delivery or mail to:

**Temple Beth Sholom
Dues and Tuition Reduction Committee - Confidential
10700 Havenwood Lane
Las Vegas, NV 89135**

If you have any questions about this form or the Dues and Tuition reduction process, please contact Cori Saltzman, Religious School Committee Chair to the Religious School, via email at mlc0317@yahoo.com. All conversations will be kept confidential.