

Myra & Robert Kraft Passport to Israel Programs Summer 2015, Compiled by Ahava Rosenthal of Temple Emanuel, Newton MA
Study, Creative Arts and Social Action

Program Name	Nesiya	Mitzvah Corps Israel	Alexander Muss High School in Israel	EIE Summer Session
Program Type	creative arts and study	social action	Study	Study
Length in weeks	5	4	6	6
Date Range	6/29/15-8/3/15	6/28/15-7/26/15	6/16/15 to 7/29/15	6/28/15 to 8/7/15
Grade Range	10 to post grade 12	9 to 12	10 to post grade 12	10 to 12
Program Description	North American and Israeli teens explore Israel through creative study, community service, outdoor adventure, arts workshops and cultural exchanges	Social Action and service learning alongside Israeli teens as well as travel	Participants learn about the 4000 years of Israel's history both in and outside the classroom.	Participants study Jewish history and Hebrew language at Kibbutz Tzuba outside Jerusalem with 26 days devoted to travel throughout Israel.
Add'l Comments	A third of the participants are Israeli teens.		semester long sessions also run during the school year; high school and college credits offered	high school credits for Jewish history, Hebrew language and Physical Education; academic year semesters are also offered
program price	\$6,950.00(without airfare);\$8,095 (includes group flight from JFK	\$8,095	Early bird-\$7,750;Full price-\$8,250	\$9,495
Airfare included	optional	From JFK	no	From Philadelphia
Additional Scholarship / Discounts	\$500 early bird application discount by Dec. 31st. \$1,000 merit based awards for alumni of the following programs: Sarvas, Genesis,Bima, Panim, and Etgar 36	\$400 early bird discount before Jan. 1st 2015; URJ affiliation provides an additional\$200 discount.	\$500 discount if registered by Dec. 16th; an additional \$100 off if registered at least 7 months in advance of the program	\$400 early bird discount before Jan. 1st 2015; URJ affiliation provides an additional\$200 discount.
Interaction w/ Israeli Teens	High	High	Some	Moderate
Degree of Travel	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Movement Affiliation	Unaffiliated	Reform	Unaffiliated	Reform
Geographic Draw	North America and Israel	US and Canada	North America	US and Canada
# of Participants	30-35			20-30
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