2027 Israel Summer Experience Scholarship Application

PLEASE MAIL OR EMAIL THE COMPLETED APPLICATION BY MARCH 14, 2027.
Mail to: Kaplen JCC on the Palisades, 411 E. Clinton Ave, Tenafly, NJ 07670,
Attn. Judi Nahary, *Chief Impact Officer*
Email: jnahary@jccotp.org

All applicants will be invited to schedule an interview with a small committee to share more deeply their interest in participating in the Israel Summer Experience, and why they should be chosen to receive an award. Up to 4 scholarships, up to $1000 each, will be awarded.

Applicant's Name_____ ☐ Male ☐ Female

Date of Birth_____ Age_____ JCC Member: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Address_____
Street City State Zip

Home #_____ E-Mail _____

School _____ Grade _____

Parent's Name_____ E-Mail_____

Occupation_____ Cell#_____

Parent's Name_____ E-Mail_____

Occupation_____ Cell#_____

With whom does the teen reside?_____

Siblings (if applicable) _____

Extra-curricular activities, special interests: _____

Congregation Affiliation (if applicable) _____

Jewish Studies (if applicable) # of Years_____ School(s) _____

How did you hear about this scholarship?_____

Previous experience in Israel (dates):_____

Have you applied for other scholarships? If so, which ones? _____

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Program Name, Dates, Complete U.S. Address, Contact Person & Phone Number

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Total Program Cost $_____

Amount parents will pay $_____

Amount student will pay (job, savings, etc.) $_____

Additional scholarships received and from where: $_____

Amount requesting from Kaplen JCC on the Palisades: $_____

On a separate sheet, attached to this application, briefly describe your trip, why you want to participate, and how you plan to bring what you learn back to your community.

Student's Signature_____Date_____

Parent's Signature_____Date_____

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PERSONAL COMMITMENT FORM FOR JCC ISRAEL PROGRAMS SCHOLARSHIP

In accepting the support of my community to help pay for my trip to Israel,
I, ____agree to:

1. Strengthen my knowledge and understanding of my Jewish heritage.

2. Behave in a manner that reflects positively on my home community.

2. Submit 2 photos and captions about my Israel experience to the Kaplen JCC on the Palisades, which may be published in the Jewish Standard, on Facebook, and the JCC website.

4. I agree to volunteer at the JCC within a year of returning from my trip.

Please sign the tear off sheet below and return it with your application.

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PERSONAL COMMITMENT FORM FOR JCC ISRAEL PROGRAMS SCHOLARSHIP

I have signed the Personal Commitment form and understand my obligation to volunteer upon my return.

Student's Signature_____________________________________Date____________________

I recognize the commitment of my child and will aid him/her in achieving these goals.

Parent's Signature______________________________________Date____________________