

PROGRAM

8:45 am - 9:15 am Registration
Allow time to pick up your individualized packet.

9:25 am - 10:25 am SESSION 1
Choose One Workshop.

10:30 am - 11:30 am SESSION 2
or ROUND TABLE SESSION

Choose One Workshop.

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(Each round table session has a limit of 15 participants.)

11:30 am - 12:00 pm Coffee Break (Cafeteria)

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm SESSION 3
Choose One Workshop.

1:00 pm & 1:15 pm MINCHA (Beis Medrash)

Online pre-registration is required by January 14th

ONLINE REGISTRATION PROCESS

How to register:

- 1) Go to www.att.org/ → For Teachers → Professional Development
- 2) Under the Rabbi Dr. Leonard C. Mishkin Teachers Educational Conference (scroll down the page), → click on [Teachers Conference Day Registration Form](#) link.
- 3) This will take you to the online registration form. Complete the required fields.
- 4) Submit the form, the last step of the online process.

If you do not have access to the Internet, please see your school representative or secretary and complete the paper form which the secretary will input online.

Please note that your registration will create an individualized packet for you when you arrive on Conference Day.

All registration is due by **January 14, 2020.**

Workshop description sheets are available from your school office and also on the ATT website: www.att.org/professional-development

SPECIAL SESSION FOR THE REACH SOCIAL WORK GROUP CONSULTATION MEMBERS

9:25 am—12:25 pm

Building Resiliency from the Inside Out: Effective School Based Interventions for Unexpected Events

Presented by Ed Reed, LCSW, Consultant, Robin Levine, LCSW, Director, Compliance and Clinical Quality; Director, J-CERT; JCFS Chicago, and Lynn Shyman, LCSW, Director, Adult and Family Counseling for the JCFS Skokie Counseling Center

Chaired by Debbie Cardash, LCSW, Consultative Director of School Based Social Work Services, REACH

(Room 418)

ADMINISTRATIVE SESSION

1:15 pm - 2:45 pm

Special Session for Principals, Assistant Principals, and Program Coordinators (ATT Boardroom)

School Culture is the Key: Leaders Making a Difference

Thomas R. Hoerr, PhD, University of Missouri - St. Louis, Author, Educational Consultant CoJDS, Emeritus Head of the New City School, Educational Leadership Columnist "The Principal Connection" 2004-2018



Teachers Conference Day Planning Committee Members

- Mrs. Chaya Esther Brand (Yeshivas Tiferes Tzvi)
- Mrs. Chani Friedman (Associated Talmud Torahs)
- Mrs. Olivia Friedman (Ida Crown Jewish Academy)
- Mrs. Judy Goodfriend (Arie Crown Hebrew Day School)
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The Rabbi Dr. Leonard C. Mishkin Teachers Educational Conference

Sponsored in memory of Irving Weiss, z"l
לעלוי נשמת ישראל בן דוב, ז"ל



The ATT's Teachers Educational Conference is dedicated to the memory of Rabbi Dr. Leonard C. Mishkin, ז"ל, who was its first Educational Director from 1933-1983. Under his leadership, the ATT grew into a dynamic organization comprised of its many affiliated schools, educational departments, and teacher welfare services.

This program was made possible in part by Catapult Learning

Monday, February 17, 2020
כ"ב שבט, תש"פ

Professional Development Program



Presented by:
Associated Talmud Torahs of Chicago

Parking and entrance is at the Ida Crown Jewish Academy
8233 Central Park Avenue, Skokie IL

Parking is limited - Carpools are encouraged.
No parking allowed in the ICJA fire circle - Your car will be towed.














Sponsors of Jewish Education



ATT is a partner with the Jewish United Fund in serving our community.

9:25 am - 10:25 am Session 1

-  **Understanding the Boundary Between Developmental and OT Issues** (Light Blue Room)
Mrs. Sherra Bloomenkranz, OTR/L, Occupational Therapist
JS & GS Pre-N, N, and K & Special Ed/Resource
-  **Building Confidence While Building Relationships**
Mrs. Becky Udman, Educational Consultant, Love and Logic Parent/Teacher Facilitator (Brown Room)
JS & GS Pre-N through Grade 6 & Special Ed/Resource
-  **Parent Stewardship** Mrs. Miriam Gettinger, Principal, Hasten Hebrew Academy, Indianapolis, IN; Educational Consultant
JS & GS Pre-N through Grade 12 & Special Ed/Resource (Orange Room)
-  **Beyond Preferential Seating: Managing Auditory Processing Deficits in the Classroom** Jeanane M. Ferre, PhD, CCC-A, International presenter, CAPD consultant, Author, Private practice
JS & GS Grades K - 12 & Special Ed/Resource (Gold Room)
-  **Putting On Our Own Oxygen Masks First: How the Teacher's Response to Stress and Trauma Impacts One's Students**
Mrs. Tzippy Kohen, MS, LCPC, Interim Clinical Director, Madraigos Midwest, Private practice
JS & GS Grades K - 12 & Special Ed/Resource **WOMEN ONLY** (Silver Room)
-  **Religious Development and Prayer** Rabbi Dr. Jay Goldmintz, Faculty Ma'ayanot Yeshiva High School, Author of Ani Tefilla Koren Siddur, Winner of National Jewish Book Award
JS Grades K - 12 (Dark Green Room)
-  **Get Them, Got Them, Good: Learning Your Students Before Teaching Your Students**
Mrs. Debbie Selengut, Assistant Principal, Bnos Bracha, Passaic, NJ
JS & GS Grades K - 5 & Special Ed/Resource (Dark Blue Room)
-  **Data Driven and Individualized Instruction**
Rabbi Yehuda Fogel, MA, Educational Consultant, Consortium of Jewish Day Schools, Mental Health Professional, Associate Principal of Hebrew Academy of Long Beach Middle School, New York
JS & GS Grades 4 - 12 & Special Ed/Resource (Light Green Room)
-  **Handling the Mean Girl Phenomenon: Tools for Relational Aggression in Adolescent Girls**
Lisa Ehrlich-Menard, MEd, JCFS Response for Teens Youth Advocacy, Coordinator - Outreach and Community Education
JS & GS Grades 5 - 8 & Special Ed/Resource (Black Room)
-  **Rywka's Diary - A Lesson in Holocaust Education**
Mrs. Wendy Singer, Director of Education, Illinois Holocaust Museum and Education Center
JS & GS Grades 7 - 12 (Red Room)
-  **STEP UP: A Cultural Change to Inspire Girls in STEM**
Mr. Nathan A. Unterman, STEP UP National Ambassador, Emeritus Physics and Materials Science Teacher/Consultant
GS Grades 7 - 12 (White Room)

For REACH School Based Staff Only
Session 1 - 9:25 am - 10:25 am **REACH Team Meeting** (Dark Pink Room)
Please choose from the general program options for Sessions 2 and 3.

10:30 am - 11:30 am Session 2 Workshop or Round Table






-  **Connection: The Prerequisite for All Learning**
Mrs. Becky Udman (Brown Room)
JS & GS Pre-N through Grade 6 & Special Ed/Resource
-  **Teacher Communication: Students, Co-Teachers, Parents, Administration** Mrs. Debbie Selengut (Dark Blue Room)
JS & GS Pre-N through Grade 12 & Special Ed/Resource
-  **Giving Talmidim/Talmidos the Gift of Simcha**
Rabbi Tzvi Mordechai Feldheim, Rosh Mesivta, Mesivta Kesser Torah, Baltimore, Maryland
JS Grades Pre-N through Grade 8 & Special Ed/Resource (Gold Room)
-  **Effective and Efficient Grouping Strategies**
Mrs. Miriam Gettinger
JS & GS Grades K - 5 & Special Ed/Resource (Orange Room)
-  **Using Escape Rooms to Teach and Review**
Sarah Burnstein, Service Operations, Walder Education and Debbie Steinberg, Librarian, Ida Crown Jewish Academy
JS & GS Teachers of Grades 5 - 12 & Librarians and Media Specialists (Red Room)
-  **Is It Real or Is It Memorex? How to Tell the Difference Between Normal Adolescent Behavior and Mental Health Problems**
Nina Henry, LCPC, CADC, Addiction Specialist, JCFS Chicago
JS & GS Grades 6 - 12 & Special Ed/Resource (Silver Room)
-  **Creativity with Educational Intentionality - Shabbos Make-and-Take** Walder Education Staff
JS Grades 1 - 4 (OFFSITE at Walder Education, 3512 Oakton—Transportation Provided - Meet at ICJA main entrance at 10:25 a.m.)
-  **Towards A Pedagogy of Tefillah** Rabbi Dr. Jay Goldmintz
JS Grades 6 - 12 (Dark Green Room)
-  **Engaging Our Students in Challenging Questions**
Rabbi Phil Karesh, Midwest Regional Director, Orthodox Union
JS Grades 6 - 12 & Social Workers (Black Room)
-  **More Best Math Games for the Elementary Classroom**
Mr. Daniel Alkhovsky, Director, DEEP (Developing Excellence in Educational Practice)
GS Grades 1 - 6 & Special Ed/Resource (White Room)

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Again This Year....

Online pre-registration
Personalized packets at registration
3 one-hour workshops
Sharing with colleagues sessions

NOTE: All Round Table Sessions are Informal Discussion/Sharing with Colleagues

-  **ROUND TABLE: STEM/STEAM Activities with Resources You Already Have** GS Pre-N, N, K, Grade 1 (Room 312)
Facilitator: Mr. Noah Goldman, Hillel Torah North Suburban Day School
Co-Presenters:
Mrs. Sara Fox, Arie Crown Hebrew Day School
Mrs. Mindy Samberg, Arie Crown Hebrew Day School
-  **ROUND TABLE: After Alef Bais: Kri'ah Fluency and Fun - How to Achieve Both**
JS K, Grades 1, 2 & 3 & Special Ed/Resource (Room 314)
Facilitator: Mrs. Yosepha Krohn, Joan Dachs Bais Yaakov
Co-Presenters:
Mrs. Shulamis Greenberg, Kri'ah Specialist, Yeshivas Tiferes Tzvi
Mrs. Shoshana Marshak, Creator/Founder of Kriyalitics
-  **ROUND TABLE: Science Investigations: Formal Lab Space Optional** GS Grades 5 - 12 (Light Pink Room)
Facilitator: Mrs. Dina Romanoff, Lubavitch Girls High School
Co-Presenters:
Mrs. Chavee Gottlieb, Ida Crown Jewish Academy
Mrs. Janice Levitan, Arie Crown Hebrew Day School
-  **ROUND TABLE: How to Increase Your Skills at Examining Imagery** GS Grades 6 - 12 (Room 311)
Facilitator: Mrs. Sheri Goldstein, Ida Crown Jewish Academy
Co-Presenters:
Mrs. Shulamis Ashkanazy, Hanna Sacks Bais Yaakov
Mrs. Devorah Neiman, Lubavitch Girls High School
-  **ROUND TABLE: Classroom Strategies for Teaching Talmud** JS Talmud Rebbeim Grades 7 - 12 (Room 412)
Facilitator: Rabbi Shmuel Kurtz, Ida Crown Jewish Academy
Co-Presenters:
Rabbi Yosef Cohen, Arie Crown Hebrew Day School
Rabbi Aaron Leibtag, Hillel Torah North Suburban Day School

OR

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Special Ed/Resource Teachers
Please choose from the menu of offerings in the electronic registration form for all of the time slots.

11:30 am - 12:00 pm Coffee Break (Cafeteria)

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm Session 3

-  **Creativity with Educational Intentionality - Shabbos Make-and-Take** Walder Education Staff
JS Pre-N, N, and K (OFFSITE at Walder Education, 3512 Oakton)
Being that this is Session 3, we recommend that participating teachers relocate their parked cars to the Walder Education site
-  **Making Inclusion Work: Strategies and Criteria for Integrating Students into the General Classroom**
REACH: Mrs. Tamar Shames, MEd and Mrs. Amy Spotts, MEd
JS & GS Pre-N through Grade 12 & Special Ed/Resource (Gold Room)
-  **Doing Good 'Cuz It Feels Good** Mrs. Becky Udman
JS & GS Pre-N through Grade 8 & Special Ed/Resource (Brown Room)
-  **The Dysregulated Child - Strategies for School**
Rachael Levine, PhD, Associate Director of Child Programs, Compass Health Center, LLC and Jenny Ofman, SLP, Clinical Coordinator for the Young Child Program, Compass Health Center, LLC
JS & GS Pre-N through Grade 5 & Special Ed/Resource (Black Room)
-  **Preparation for Life: The Formative Five and Grit**
Thomas R. Hoerr, PhD, University of Missouri - St. Louis, Author, Educational Consultant Consortium of Jewish Day Schools, Emeritus Head of the New City School
JS & GS Grades K - 12 & Special Ed/Resource (Silver Room)
-  **Make Technology More Efficient Outside the Classroom (Advanced)** Rabbi Binyomin Segal, EdD, Tanach Dept., Ida Crown Jewish Academy
JS & GS Grades K - 12 & Special Ed/Resource (Dark Pink Room)
-  **Calm Classroom: Mindfulness for the Classroom**
Mrs. Sarah Oberlander, Arie Crown Hebrew Day School
JS & GS Grades K - 4 & Special Ed/Resource (Light Blue Room)
-  **Formative Assessment: A Teacher's Best Friend!**
Mrs. Miriam Gettinger
JS & GS Grades 4 - 12 & Special Ed/Resource (Orange Room)
-  **Get Them, Got Them, Good: Learning Your Students Before Teaching Your Students** Mrs. Debbie Selengut
JS & GS Grades 6 - 12 & Special Ed/Resource (Dark Blue Room)
-  **Differentiated Instruction in Judaic Studies** (Light Green Room)
Rabbi Yehuda Fogel, MA JS Grades 4 - 12 & Special Ed/Resource
-  **Spirituality in the Limudei Kodesh Classroom**
Rabbi Dr. Jay Goldmintz JS Grades 6 - 12 (Dark Green Room)

MINCHA: 1:00 pm & 1:15 pm
Beis Medrash only
(Please do not daven in classrooms.)

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