MISHNA BEYADI WELCOME PACKET

משנה בידי



For students who have higher goals in their learning



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THIS WELCOME PAMPHLET CONTAINS ALL OF THE INFORMATION PERTAINING TO THE MISHNA BEYADI PROGRAM.

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Our Goal

Our aim at Mishna Beyadi is to help every student achieve their full potential in learning.

We believe that the foundation of all Torah study is Mishnayos, and we are dedicated to helping our students master this fundamental text.

Providing a gentle nudge in the right direction can set our students on a path to success that will last a lifetime. Whether you are just beginning your learning journey or are looking to take your studies to the next level, Mishna Beyadi is here to help you achieve your goals.

Program Integration

The program will be optimized if seen as a partnership between Mishna Beyadi and your school. On our end, we will be providing the main infrastructure while you can manipulate it to make it the best fit for your school and your students, because no one knows what's best for your students as much as you.

Fostering Excellence

The level of involvement in the program is left to the discretion of individual schools. However, it has been observed that students in schools that offer additional support and incentives tend to perform exceptionally well in the program and their learning.

Previously Done

- Used the Mishna Beyadi curriculum and tests as their Mishna class curriculum and tests.
- Used this as an extracurricular program after school, and provided refreshments during the learning.
- Used this program as their weekly mishmar.

Bechinas (Tests)

The bechinas serve as a means of accountability for students, ensuring that they don't simply rush through the Mishnayos but take the time to go through them thoroughly, making sure they understand it.

What is on them?

The bechinas will be on the basic understanding of the Mishna without the need for any commentaries to be studied beforehand. The tests will be closed book and will be administered online as a multiple choice Google Form quiz.

The tests are not there to be hard or tricky.

Tests are to show students all the learning they have accomplished.

Rules

The bechina is closed book.

To be included in the Masechta raffle, one would need to take the bechina within seven days from when the bechina opens.

Incentives

Every student that takes the bechina will automatically receive MB Points.

Additionally, they will be entered into the Masechta raffle. The higher the grade you get, the more raffle tickets you receive.

Raffle prizes will be for MB Points that can be redeemed for amazing things (see later in this pamphlet).

MB Points

One of the amazing parts of the Mishna Beyadi Program is its incentive program.

What are they for?

You can use MB Points to get themed sweatshirts and hats to show your learning pride. Additionally, our unique Shas Companion Water Bottle features accurate halachic measurements, making it a practical tool for both daily use and enhancing your Torah learning.

Besides for swag, and learning tools, you can get gift cards to Artscroll and Z. Berman to get seforim to help continue your learning journey.

How to get MB Points?

There are multiple ways to earn MB Points: by taking Bechinas, participating in raffles, and engaging in various contests that will pop up periodically during the year.



National Round

At the end of every year, the top students from each school are invited to join a Zoom call to showcase their grasp of the Mishnayos to their family, friends, and community. The National Round will encompasses all the Masechtas on the curriculum.

Qualification

The National Round will consist of the top qualifying students from each school. When determining which students will move on to the National Round, we consider their average grade and the number of tests they've taken. A student with a higher average grade will rank higher than those with lower ones; however, a student who took more tests and covered more of the curriculum will outrank a student who took fewer tests.

Additionally, the student must have also taken each test in the test window delineated in the <u>test schedule</u> for it to count.

Prizes

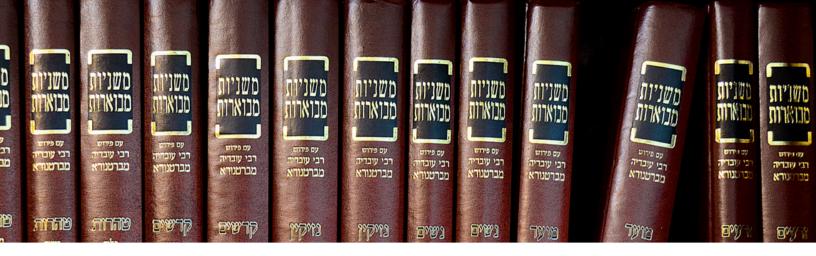
The winner of the National Round will win a full set of Artscroll Mishnayos (Hebrew or English) or a \$500 gift card for Seforim. Second and third place winners will win \$250 and \$100 gift cards respectively.

Speakers

Every National Round is graced by hearing words of chizuk, and helpful learning tools, from renowned Torah scholars.

Livestream

You will be able to watch the National Round livestream, as well as past National Rounds on our YouTube channel: https://www.youtube.com/@mishna_beyadi



HASKAMOS



Rabbi Moshe Possick

International Mechanech, former chair of the National Council of Yeshiva Principals, NCYP (Torah Umesorah)

"The strongest motivation to learn is success. MISHNAH BEYADI, I CAN ATTAIN, affords all the wherewithal to succeed in learning Torah."

Rabbi Moshe Bamberger

Mashgiach of Beis Medresh L'Talmud

"Mishna Beyadi introduces a Geshmak and a sense of excitement for Limud Mishnayos. Any school that participates is giving a gift to their Talmidim."





Rabbi Chaim Jachter

Rebbe at TABC, Teaneck, NJ

"Mishna Beyadi is the most effective way of motivating young Jews to master Shas Mishnayot. The competition and learning aids are the perfect tools to encourage great accomplishment and satisfaction in our Talmidim."