

Welcome to the Lessans Camp JCC Kesef Information Session

November 8, 2023



Agenda

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Entering Grades 3 & 4 Options

- ❖ **Omanut (Creative Arts):** campers will draw, paint sculpt etc.
- ❖ **Habimah (Theater Arts):** campers will learn to act, design sets, dance and sing with a final performance for camp and families.
- ❖ **Maccabiah (Sports Camp):** campers will select team sports to specialize in. Ex: Soccer, basketball etc.
- ❖ **Kesef (Specialty Camp):** Campers will be enrolled in a specialized camp program.

Kesef Description

- ❖ Our Kesef, specialty program is designed for rising 3rd and 4th graders.
- ❖ For part of the day, campers will participate in the specialty activity in which they are enrolled. The rest of the day campers will return to the basic camp activities we offer at Lessans Camp JCC. (Activities include: recreational & instructional swim, climbing wall, art, sports, music, dance and more to round out their day. Kesef campers will enjoy going on field trips once a week.

Kesef Offerings

❖ There are four options for each session to choose from:

Session 1
(June 24-July 5)

Session 2
(July 8-July 19)

Session 3
(July 22-August 9)

1. Traditional	1. Traditional	1. Traditional
2. STEM	2. STEM	2. STEM
3. Pokémon Engineering using LEGO	3. Mainstages Summer Theater Lab	3. Culinary Creations
4. Gymnastics	4. LEGO	4. Claymation

Kesef Offerings cont.

❖ **Traditional**

- Our traditional camp will offer a variety of fun activities including sports, music, climbing wall, arts & crafts, Israel, dance, swimming and more.

❖ **STEM**

- We've partnered with Learning Undeclared to offer our campers an exceptional opportunity to do hands-on science experiments in a safe environment, with experienced professionals.

❖ **Pokemon Engineering using LEGO**

- Calling all Pokémon trainers! With the enthusiastic Play-Well Instructors we will build and catch our favorite Pokémon, rescue Pikachu from Team Rocket, take a ride on the S.S. Anne to uncover rare and mystic Pokémon, and battle to see who will hold the title of Pokémon Master. Come along on our journey to catch 'em all!

❖ **Legos**

- Campers will enjoy collaborating and creating with Legos while they learn about structural engineering, gearing, motors, and more. For Lego fans!

Kesef Offerings cont.

❖ **Gymnastics**

- Campers will learn developmentally appropriate gymnastics skills while gaining confidence in themselves and improving their strength and flexibility. They will work on skills on the balance beam, bars and floor. They will participate in stretching, relay races, obstacle courses and more.

❖ **Mainstages Summer Theater Lab**

- Campers will explore different themes through mainstages' improv, movement, music and critical thinking-based activities and work to learn new theatrical fundamental skills.

❖ **Culinary Creations**

- Our cooking camp allows our campers to learn to cook a new dish each day and then eat their amazing, delicious creations.

❖ **Claymation**

- Campers will create their own "stop-motion" film using clay and art materials. They will learn to storyboard, develop a script, create characters, design a set, edit, and add special effects, music and titles. The final result... a stop motion blockbuster to enjoy on the big screen with family and friends.

Kesef- STEM Schedule

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00-9:30	Opening				
9:35-10:05	Specialty Camp Activity			Field Trip	Specialty Camp Activity
10:10-10:40					
10:45-11:15					
11:20-11:50					Lunch
11:55-12:25	Teva	Sports	Drama		11:55-12:10- Change 12:10-12:40- Recreational Swim 12:40-1:00- Change
12:30-1:00	Lunch				
1:05-1:35	Climbing	Music	Dance		Shabbat
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2:50-3:20	3:00-3:20 Change	3:00-3:20 Change	3:00-3:20 Change		
3:20-3:40	Snack and Prepare for Dismissal				
3:45-4:15	Dismissal				

Kesef- Traditional Schedule

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00-9:30	Opening				
9:35-10:05	Teva	Art	Gaga	Field Trip	Chugim
10:10-10:40	Drama	Israel	Drama		Art
10:45-11:15	Music	Outdoor Games	Dance		Climbing
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Next Steps

- ❖ **How do I apply for Kesef?**
 - ❖ To apply, select the actual specialty program of your choice - not the specific unit (*Kesef*). For example, if your camper is interested in our Gymnastics program offered in Session 1, you will select Gymnastics under Session 1. If your camper is interested in LEGO for Session 2, you will select LEGO under Session 2.

More Questions?

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