

Gateways Virtual Learning Opportunities 2022-2023 Beyond Boston

Gateways is pleased to offer the following virtual learning opportunities for supplementary schools beyond the Boston area. We are also happy to discuss how to customize options that will best serve the needs of your community.

Workshops

Gateways Hebrew Reading Program

Participants will study the structure and pedagogy of Gateways' multi-sensory Hebrew curriculum. Though designed specifically to support students with language-based learning disabilities, the curriculum is of value to all learners.

<u>Virtual Training Time</u>: 2 hours plus one hour of follow-up consultation

<u>Cost:</u> \$850 for one school, up to 15 participants (additional costs may be incurred if multiple schools join together and require individualized follow up)

Additional Costs:

- Hebrew curricular materials purchased separately \$180 per set of 9 student cards,
 \$35 per teacher set
- Additional follow-up consultation may be purchased for \$180/hour; can be purchased in 4-hour blocks for \$650/block

Teen Madrichim Curriculum and Training - Train-the-Trainer Model

The Teen Madrichim Training was revised in 2021-2022. The curriculum includes thirteen units that empower the teen madrichim with confidence and provide them with a set of skills to work in the classroom with diverse learners. This program, consisting of concrete strategies that can be



implemented in the classroom, focuses on preventing challenging behavior from occurring and providing in-the-moment strategies for adapting and modifying the environment to set students up for success.

*Wednesday August 31st 4:00PM-6:00PM (remote), with Mia Hyman, Educational and Behavioral Specialist

*This program is designed for multiple schools to participate together. If you are interested in this topic, but do not have any partner schools to sign up with, contact us to discuss customized options.

Cost: \$1,000

Additional Cost: Additional follow-up consultation may be purchased for \$180/hour; can be purchased in 4-hour blocks for \$650/block

Drop-in Series: Introductory Workshops on Neurodiversity (\$36 per person per session)

Each of these one-hour workshops will take place over Zoom. Participants can expect to gain an understanding of the topic, explore how this diagnosis will present in a religious school setting, and leave with three strategies to bring back to their classrooms.

- Executive Functioning with Sandy Gold
 - o Tuesday, October 25th, 7:00-8:00PM
- Dyslexia with Miriam Fein, Learning Specialist
 - o Tuesday November 8th, 7:00-8:00PM
- Autism with Tali Cohen Carrus, Director of Jewish Education Programs
 - Tuesday, January 10th, 7:00-8:00PM
- ADHD with Lisa Friedman
 - Tuesday, February 7th, 7:00-8:00PM
- Mental Health with Rachel Schein
 - Tuesday, April 25th, 7:00-8:00PM

Inclusive B'nei-Mitzvah

This workshop will introduce both clergy and educators to the possibilities of preparing for and executing meaningful, substantive b'nei mitzvah for children with a wide range of diverse learning needs. The team of two presenters have both worked in the Gateways B'nei Mitzvah program and share a mix of theory and specific strategies that can be utilized to help make sure that a meaningful Bar or Bat Mitzvah is possible for every Jewish child.

Virtual Workshop Time: 3 hours

Cost: \$1,500

Accommodating Diverse Learners in the Religious School Classroom

This workshop is designed for supplemental schoolteachers and directors and will examine best teaching practices for creating accessible classrooms and exploring specific strategies for accommodating diverse learners.

Virtual Training Time: 2 hours

Cost: \$850

Communities of Practice

- Gateways staff is available to facilitate a monthly Community of Practice for directors and/or learning specialists to guide them in their work of creating inclusive learning communities.
 - o Cost: \$180/hour
- Gateways staff is available to facilitate a monthly Community of Practice for teachers who are working with diverse groups of learners and are interested in expanding their skills and knowledge of neurodiversity.
 - o Cost: \$180/hour

For more information about these virtual learning opportunities, please contact the Center for Professional Development and Consultation at cplinfo@jgateways.org or call Gateways at (617) 630-9010.

Please note that Gateways' CPL offerings are subsidized by CJP for all schools within the CJP catchment area.