

HEBREW EDUCATIONAL ALLIANCE RELIGIOUS SCHOOL 2011-2012
SCOPE & SEQUENCE

GRADE	TEXTS/MATERIALS	GOD	MITZVOT/MIDDOT	BIBLE/HISTORY	HEBREW / PARENT STUDENT PROGRAM	HOLIDAYS/BLESSINGS	ISRAEL & OTHER SKILLS
K	Let's Discover the: Alef Bet Mitzvot Shalom Sesame Curriculum	Made the world Created Shabbat Gives us things: food, trees Is everywhere Gave us rules telling us how to behave properly	Tzedakah, Shalom Bayit Derech Eretz, Shabbat Welcoming Guests Guarding our tongue Talmud Torah	Stories from the Bible- Part I-Creation, Abraham & Sarah	Introduction to Hebrew Letters Shabbat at Home Shemah Pillowcase	Shabbat focus holiday Introduction to Holidays- Part I Holiday Vocabulary Blessings for Food, Candles	Judaism in the Home Hebrew Classroom Vocabulary-Part I
1	I Can Learn Torah HEA Synagogue Scrapbook	Gave us mitzvot, the things God wants us to do We talk to God in prayer There is only one God Wants us to behave properly to each other	Prayer, Visiting the sick Guarding the Earth Honoring parents Not stealing, not lying, guarding the tongue	Stories from the Bible- Part II Genesis	Hebrew Letters and Vowels/Phonics Synagogue Shalach Manot Mitzvah Project	Introduction to Holidays- Part II Purim focus holiday Holiday Vocabulary Blessings for Food, Candles	Judaism in the Synagogue Hebrew Classroom Vocabulary-Part II
2	Bible People-Book I Kids Mensch Handbook	We are to perform mitzvot Created Nature The B'rit is the promise between us and God We are B'tzelem Elokim	Talmud Torah Enjoy Nature and things in Nature/Saving the Earth B'tzelem Elohim Doing mitzvot	Bible People in Genesis	Simple decoding begins as part of leveled Hebrew curriculum Betzelem Elohim/ Mensch Medal	Introduction to Holidays- Part II Holiday Vocabulary Blessings for Food, Candles Sukkot focus holiday	Judaism in Israel/Why Israel Hebrew Classroom Vocabulary-Part III
3	Bible People Book 2 Siddur Partners with God Welcome to Israel	Torah: God's plan for us and the entire world Established in Torah what is right and what is wrong Purpose of Mitzvot Gave us Eretz Yisrael Is active in our lives/world	Tikkun Olam Sh'mirat Halashon Shalom Bayit Hachnasat Orchim	Exodus Biblical Israel	Introduction to Siddur/ Ordered prayer service Creation of siddur covers Yom HaSiddur	Progressive Holiday Curriculum-Part I Blessings for Food, Candles, Tzitzit, Shehecheyanu Havdallah Pesach focus holiday	K-2 Vocabulary Why Israel
4	A Childs Bible: Lessons from the Prophets and Writings Assorted Lifecycle Texts	Is active in our lives/world Gave Eretz Yisrael to us as our homeland forever Is always with us Judges us by how we act Is not always understood	Kol Yisrael areivim zeh la-zeh Believe in God: accept things God does even if we don't understand them- FAITH Fulfill the Brit: do mitzvot	Judges, Prophets, Kings Writings-Selections	Why be Jewish/How do we experience God? Tikkun Olam/Tzedakah	Progressive Holiday Curriculum-Part II High Holidays focus holidays	Use K-2 Vocabulary Introduction to Jewish Lifecycles Unit—birth, bar/bat, wedding, death God & faith development, expressions
5	The History of the Jewish People: A Story of Tradition & Change Jewish Heroes, Jewish Values	Evolving relationship and understanding of God throughout history	B'rit: be Kadosh - elevate ourselves, be separate Community: key to Jewish survival L'dor Va-dor: product of past; history of the future	Jewish History overview with focus on who, when, what---what does this mean to me/my life	Name Project---The Crown of a Good Name & L'Dor Va Dor	Progressive Holiday Curriculum-Part III Chanukkah focus holiday (focus on study of dedication, assimilation, etc.)	Use K-2 Vocabulary Israel in Jewish History
6	The Rabbis' Bible Mah La'asot: What Should I Do? Arzeinu The Book of Miracles Make a Midrash Out of Me Pass the Torah Please	Torah is the foundation of Jewish law Torah contains mitzvot that all Conservative Jews must follow	Specific responsibilities Jews have to people and the world based on Torah, Talmud, Conser. Judaism Practical applications of Torah, Talmudic law	Introduction to Talmud Introduction to Conservative Judaism	Torah as the foundation for Jewish Law/Life & Spirituality Middot "Stained Glass" Project	Progressive Holiday Curriculum-Part IV Shavuot focus holiday	Use K-2 Vocabulary Our responsibilities toward Israel
7		Conservative view of God Personal view of God	Judaism provides an entire framework for living a righteous life through the performance of mitzvot and middot	Organized religion Love: God, family, others Responsibilities: to God and people	Transition Judaism Reflected Through Me	Observance in a non- Jewish world	Judaism through Tikkun Olam

Our goal is to provide our students with the basic beliefs, skills, knowledge, understanding & connections to our past & present that will enable them to participate comfortably & actively in all areas of Jewish life.