



Israel Experience Scholarship Application

This scholarship is a gift from the Jewish Federation of Greater Indianapolis (JFGI) for up to \$1,000.

Scholarship criteria:

- Israel experience scholarships will be awarded for trips that are approved by JFGI. Family trips are not eligible.
- The applicant is **no older than 26 years old**, or the applicant is participating in an organized trip to Israel through JFGI or the Hasten Hebrew Academy of Indianapolis.
- The applicant's family resides in the Greater Indianapolis area.
- The applicant has not previously received an Israel experience scholarship from JFGI.
- An applicant participating in a Birthright experience may only apply for funds toward the flight to port of departure. A copy of the registration confirmation and receipt of the airline ticket purchase must be submitted with this application.

Please complete this application, sign, date and submit it with the following information:

- Signed acceptance of JFGI Israel Experience Scholarship Policies and Procedures
- Copy of trip invoice
- If Birthright, confirmation of registration and airline ticket purchase (if applicable)

Please send your grant application with all attachments by email or mail.

Jewish Federation of Greater Indianapolis
Attention: Scholarships and Grants
6705 Hoover Road, Indianapolis, IN 46260
scholarships@jfgi.org

If you are awarded a scholarship, JFGI will send funds directly to the trip vendor upon receipt of all information.



APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: _____
(First) (Middle Initial) (Last)

Address: _____

City, State, ZIP: _____

Email: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Synagogue/Temple Affiliation (if any): _____

TRIP INFORMATION

Name of youth trip to Israel: _____

Trip Vendor: _____

Vendor Website: _____

Vendor Address: _____

Vendor City, State, ZIP: _____

Vendor Contact Person: _____

Contact Phone: _____

Contact Email: _____

Dates of trip to Israel: From _____ To _____

Total cost of trip to applicant, including tuition, transportation and fees, after all other financial aid is taken into account: \$ _____ **(please submit copy of trip invoice)**

If Birthright, cost of transportation to port of departure: \$ _____ **(please submit Birthright confirmation of registration and copy of receipt for purchase of airline ticket to port of departure)**

List any other sources of funding (synagogue, loans, other) and amount(s): _____



FAMILY INFORMATION

(To be completed if the applicant is a minor)

Parent/Guardian #1 (required)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Address: _____

City, State, ZIP: _____

Email: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Home Phone: _____

Parent/Guardian #2 (if applicable)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Address: _____

City, State, ZIP: _____

Email: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Home Phone: _____

We have checked this application and affirm that the information given is complete and correct. We understand that incomplete applications will be rejected.

Parent/Guardian #1 Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian #2 Signature

Date



Jewish Federation of Greater Indianapolis Israel Experience Scholarship Policies and Procedures

The Jewish Federation of Greater Indianapolis provides scholarships encouraging youth and young adults to participate in organized trips to Israel. Please read the following policies carefully, sign the bottom of this page acknowledging your acceptance of these policies, and return this with your application. We recommend you keep a copy for your records.

JFGI Israel experience scholarships are awarded based on the following criteria:

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If the total of all scholarships, financial aid, or other financial support, including funds from the Israel Youth Experience Grant Program are greater than the total cost of the trip program (including tuition, fees and transportation) then the grant will be reduced so that the total package will be equal to, or less than, the total cost of the trip program.

The Jewish Federation of Greater Indianapolis retains the right to limit the number of grants given each year. Only one grant will be made per student.

The difference in cost between the trip program chosen and the grant from the Jewish Federation will be the responsibility of the person requesting the grant. If the applicant is unable for any reason to attend the trip and is entitled to a refund, the refund shall be applied first to repay the Jewish Federation to the extent of the grant.

Parents or Guardians of youth granted funds under this program release the Jewish Federation of Greater Indianapolis from any liability under any circumstances for any problems and/or injury, etc., resulting from participation in the program chosen by the applicant.

The Jewish Federation of Greater Indianapolis reserves the right to make any changes without prior notice. We understand and agree to these Policies and Procedures.

Parent/Guardian #1 Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian #2 Signature

Date