

# B'NAI EMET SHABBAT SCHOOL REGISTRATION FORM

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Please fill out one registration form per student in your family.

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Hebrew Name \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Grade in Fall 2008 \_\_\_\_\_ Bar/Bat Mitzvah Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

\*\*\* If you have not yet scheduled a Bar/Bat Mitzvah date, please contact the office to do so \*\*\*

Where does your child receive his/her Jewish Education (MJDS, Talmud Torah, etc.)?

Father's and Mother's names (English) \_\_\_\_\_

Father's and Mother's names (Hebrew) \_\_\_\_\_

Address 1 \_\_\_\_\_ City, Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Address 2 \_\_\_\_\_ City, Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Parent E-Mail addresses \_\_\_\_\_

### **Emergency contact information (must be provided before admittance):**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ phone # \_\_\_\_\_ relationship \_\_\_\_\_

### **Physician's Information (must be provided before admittance):**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ phone # \_\_\_\_\_ clinic \_\_\_\_\_

Please explain any special health or educational needs the staff should be aware of:

## **CONGREGANTS MUST BE CURRENT WITH THEIR SYNAGOGUE OBLIGATIONS TO REGISTER FOR THE SHABBAT SCHOOL PROGRAM**

 **PLEASE CHECK ONLY ONE**

\_\_\_\_ **ALEF** (1<sup>st</sup> year – ~3 years prior to Bar/Bat Mitzvah)  
\$350 (early bird amount) if paid in full before July 25; \$375 after July 25 or if billed.  
**Please include an additional \$50 to cover the cost of a Siddur Sim Shalom and a Tikkun if you do not have them already.**  
\_\_\_\_ I don't need a Siddur  
\_\_\_\_ I don't need a Tikkun (please bring to Shabbat School to be marked)

\_\_\_\_ **BET** (2<sup>nd</sup> year – ~2 years prior to Bar/Bat Mitzvah)  
\$350 (early bird amount) if paid in full before July 21; \$375 after July 21 or if billed.

\_\_\_\_ **GIMEL** (final year before Bar/Bat Mitzvah)  
\$350 (early bird amount) if paid in full before July 21; \$375 after July 21 or if billed.

\_\_\_\_ **PROZDOR** (post Bar/Bat Mitzvah through 8<sup>th</sup> grade)  
\$150 (early bird amount) if paid in full before July 21; \$175 after July 21 or if billed.

### **PLEASE INCLUDE PAYMENT WITH REGISTRATION & PARENT/STUDENT PLEDGE FORM MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: B'NAI EMET SYNAGOGUE**

You may apply a 10% discount to each additional child's tuition. Discount applies to the lower tuition first.  
The 10% discount does not apply to the Siddur or Tikkun for Alef Students.

### **FOR OFFICE USE ONLY**

Amount paid \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Received by \_\_\_\_\_

## **Requirements for a Shabbat Morning Bar/Bat Mitzvah Celebration at B'nai Emet**

1. The family of the *bar/bat mitzvah* must be members in good standing of B'nai Emet Synagogue.
2. A boy's *bar mitzvah* date may be scheduled for any time after his thirteenth Hebrew birthday; girls' *bat mitzvah* dates are also scheduled around their thirteenth birthdays.
3. Students must have attended the Minneapolis Talmud Torah, or a Jewish day school, or their equivalent, for the five years immediately prior to the *bar/bat mitzvah* date and are **required to complete the current religious school year** at Talmud Torah or their day school.
4. Students must be enrolled in B'nai Emet's *Shabbat* School, or its equivalent, for the three years prior to the *bar/bat mitzvah* date and are **required to complete the current religious school year** in *Shabbat* School.
5. All *bar/bat mitzvah* administrative arrangements are made with B'nai Emet's Administrator.
6. In cases in which an exception to any of the above requirements is to be considered, please contact the Rabbi as early as possible.

### **Special Needs**

Please advise the Rabbi of any special needs or learning challenges that your child may have. Know that this information will be kept in the strictest of confidence, and will be shared only with pertinent members of our educational staff.

### **Hebrew Reading – IMPORTANT!!**

Proficiency at reading Hebrew is crucial to *bar/bat mitzvah* training and participation. The B'nai Emet Shabbat School does not teach Hebrew. If your child has not yet learned to read Hebrew (because he/she has not attended Talmud Torah or a day school), private tutoring in basic Hebrew reading skills must be arranged before they attend Shabbat School. B'nai Emet will provide you with a list of approved Hebrew tutors. Ideally, instruction in Hebrew reading will be complete before the *Alef* year. In any event, such tutoring must be underway by the beginning of the *Alef* year and continue until the *bar/bat mitzvah*. This tutoring is provided at the family's expense. Please contact the Rabbi to obtain a list of certified Hebrew tutors.

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