

October 2018
F.A.O. Head and RE Lead Teacher

Dear Colleagues,

Jewish Living Experience Exhibition
17 January – 1 February 2019
Norwich Cathedral, Tombland, 65 The Close, Norwich NR1 4DH

We are delighted to invite you and your pupils to the Jewish Living Experience Exhibition at Norwich Cathedral, in partnership with the Board of Deputies of British Jews. This is a national touring exhibition, hosted at venues across the UK. The exciting, innovative experience is an ideal opportunity for pupils and educators to learn about the Jewish faith in an interactive educational environment. Developed by the Education Department of the Board of Deputies of British Jews, the Exhibition is suitable for all Key Stages.

Class groups of approximately 30 pupils and accompanying teachers/assistants can be booked into a two-hour led session from **10am to 12 noon**, or **12.30 to 2.30pm**.

****ADVANCE PRE-BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL****

To book a class into a morning or afternoon session, contact:
Janet Marshall, Head of Schools & Family Learning at the Cathedral
email: headofschools@cathedral.org.uk
Tel: 01603 218320

There is a **£30 registration fee** per school. The charge includes the following:

- Pre-Exhibition INSET session for teachers at 4.30pm on 16th January 2019
- 36-page Teachers Handbook
- Copy of *Judaism GCSE Religious Studies – The Definitive Resource* by Clive Lawton.

You may wish to combine the Jewish Living Experience with a led visit to the Cathedral, comparing Jewish and Christian lifestyles and worship. This programme should be booked in advance, at the additional fee of £2.90 per pupil.

Extra sessions will be available at Norwich High School for Girls from 3rd to 8th February 2019.

An exhibition leaflet is attached. If you would like further information, please contact Marsha Parker or Sara Perlmutter. We look forward to working with you.

With best wishes,

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THE JEWISH LIVING EXPERIENCE EXHIBITION

TAKE A JOURNEY THROUGH JEWISH LIFE



EXPERIENCE JUDAISM

The Jewish Living Experience is a mobile travelling exhibition. Aimed primarily at school groups, it enables visitors to gain an insight into Judaism as a living faith with a lifestyle that has been sustained for over 5,000 years.

Designed by education experts, the Jewish Living Experience Exhibition supports the teaching of Judaism in line with all agreed Religious Education and Citizenship curriculums.

The Jewish Living Experience Exhibition supports community cohesion, interfaith dialogue and Prevent agendas.

Pupils and teachers alike can experience Judaism through beautifully illustrated display panels, authentic artefacts that can be handled and educational activities which promote experiential learning. It is an educational experience for all Key Stages, but is especially suitable for Key Stages 2, 3 and 4.

"Thank you so much for this informative and fascinating exhibition. I cherish the moment I was allowed to sound the shofar, fondly in the north Transcript, this is declaring our "mindfulness of G-d"

CCJ member and Cathedral guide

EXPLORE THE EXHIBITION

Visitors are encouraged to explore the exhibition on their own, while trained guides are on hand to explain the topics and answer questions. Jewish Living Experience staff run INSET training for teachers and provide worksheets and Teachers' Packs to support each school's visit.

The Jewish Living Experience Exhibition can be hosted at any suitable location, including educational, religious and civic venues.

For further details or to make a booking, please contact the Board of Deputies' Education Department on:

+44 (0)20 7543 5400 or
jewishliving@bod.org.uk

"My favourite activity was learning about Yom Kippur and writing my name in Hebrew, IT'S REALLY COOL."



"Wonderful – exceeded my expectations, comprehensive and beautifully presented. Can't speak highly enough of this exhibition! I particularly liked the portrayal of Bar/Bat Mitzvah. It showed that it has a joyful and celebrating side, as well as being spiritually significant."

Operation Exodus rep, Surrey

