

Why Menachem Mendel Academy?

An Educational Crisis

Why do the vast majority of Jewish parents feel forced to send their children to non-Jewish schools in order to get an excellent education? Why isn't it the other way around? Jewish education is more than just an alternative to public education; it imbues in our children Jewish values and a strong connection to our incredibly rich heritage, ensuring a meaningful life and the eternity of our people.

Educating the Geula Generation

Our mission is to build an educational system for forming happy, centered, compassionate, and highly skilled children who are rooted in Torah and long to serve. **Our vision** is to create schools for students of all ages which will be emulated around the world, building a platform that implements the Lubavitcher Rebbe's vision of imparting the capacity for moral reflection to children everywhere.

Academic Excellence through Creative Learning

Toddlers today operate smart phones, elementary students are coding, and teenagers master their own international branding. Such youngsters already want to contribute to the world with purpose. MMA nurtures this mindset.

MMA teaches literacy in English, Hebrew Bible and Mishna, and introduces a variety of STEM skills through an integrated curriculum incorporating internationally acclaimed methods and assessment tools. A healthy balance of indoor/outdoor activities, group work/individual learning, textbook, technology, and tactile education keep children engaged and eager to learn. MMA prioritizes practical application, acquiring life skills, and developing character. Friday afternoons include service in the community.

Key Benefits

- *Holistic happiness.* MMA provides an environment that promotes development of the whole child, including physical, emotional, mental, social, and spiritual wellbeing.
- *Customized education.* Inspired by the Montessori method, MMA offers individualized, custom learning programs in multi-age classrooms that embrace each child's unique gifts and personality.
- *Critical Life skills.* Children gain confidence from learning time management, active listening, good manners, and leadership.
- *Goodness and kindness.* MMA teachers infuse compassion into every interaction recognizing that every child is good and will *do* good if he or she can.

Next Steps

Community support is vital for operating expenses and building renovation. For more information contact Chaya Mushka Ben-Shabat chaya@menachemmendelacademy.com

Enrollment applications for the 2019 – 2020 Academic Year are available at <https://menachemmendelacademy.com/2019-2020-enrollment/>

