

## RootOne 2023 T1 (Pre-Trip) Survey: Survey Instrument

### **Please take note of the following conventions:**

1. Titles introducing each section as well as other headings will **not** be visible to respondents and are used for organizational and analytical purposes only.
2. All grey-shaded information within brackets serves a placeholder for text that will be embedded from the contact list or survey platform.
3. All purple-shaded information within brackets is for the online survey programmer and will **not** be visible to respondents.

### **Additional notes:**

1. We will not be asking about DOB, grade level, or zip code, given that we will already have this information from the contact lists.
2. We will be asking about participants' desire to visit Israel in the future (one of our key outcomes/indicators) in the post-trip survey (where we will also ask what they plan to do in Israel in the future).
3. As the survey progresses, we will include colorful pop-ups that say things like "Great job so far!", "You're almost there!", etc. We've used these in the GenZ study and other teen-based projects to motivate respondents along the way.

## SURVEY LANDING PAGE

Thank you in advance for participating in this survey! This survey has been commissioned by RootOne and is being administered by Rosov Consulting, a professional services firm. It should take approximately 15 minutes to complete this survey. As a reminder, completing this survey is a pre-trip requirement.

Whatever information you provide in the survey will be kept confidential, and nothing you share here will be connected to you personally. Any reporting will summarize the overall set of responses and will not identify individual responses. You can view our privacy policy [here](#). Should you have any questions, please contact Rosov Consulting at [rootoneteensurvey@rosovconsulting.com](mailto:rootoneteensurvey@rosovconsulting.com).

Thank you again for your participation and enjoy the trip!

## SECTION 1: SATISFACTION WITH PRE-TRIP PROGRAMMING

As you get ready to go on your trip, please take a moment to reflect on the pre-trip educational programming you participated in.

1. [Required] Approximately how many hours of pre-trip programming have you participated in so far?
  - a. None [If selected, continue to Section 2]
  - b. 1-3 hours
  - c. 4-6 hours
  - d. 7-9 hours
  - e. More than 9 hours
  
2. [Required] On the whole, how would you rate your RootOne pre-trip programming? (Please select the number of stars to indicate your rating; more stars indicate higher ratings.)



3. For you, was the content covered in your pre-trip programming...?
  - a. Too basic
  - b. At the right level
  - c. Too sophisticated
  
4. For you, was the average session of pre-trip programming...?
  - a. Too short
  - b. Just about right
  - c. Too long

5. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements about your pre-trip programming? [Randomize statements]

	Strongly Disagree	Moderately Disagree	Slightly Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Slightly Agree	Moderately Agree	Strongly Agree
The content was interactive and engaging	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The sessions were well-organized and well-executed	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The technology worked smoothly and effectively	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The topics were relevant to my interests	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
As a result of the pre-trip programming, I feel more prepared for the trip than I did before	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

I had opportunities to engage in meaningful discussions with peers whose opinions differ from mine	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I bonded with fellow trip participants	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I feel comfortable reaching out to the facilitator(s) with further questions or comments	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

6. Do you have any other comments about your pre-trip experience? (ex. any challenges you have in feeling prepared for the trip, any other feedback on the pre-trip learning, etc.)

## SECTION 2: CURRENT ENGAGEMENT **[All questions will be required]**

**We'd like to get a sense of your involvement in any kinds of Jewish or Israel-related activities, way before you signed up for [Program Name], and certainly before the pre-trip programming you participated in these past few months. Whether you have or have not been involved in such activities, that's okay! We're just trying to get a sense of the group's background.**

7. Aside from your required pre-trip programming, how frequently - on average - have you participated in Jewish activities in the past year, either in-person or virtually? *(The word "activities" refers to anything you may do as part of a program, club, synagogue/temple, or public event.)*
- Once a week
  - Once a month
  - Once every few months
  - Once or twice a year
  - I haven't participated in any Jewish activities in the last 18 months

8. Aside from your required pre-trip programming, how frequently have you engaged in the following activities in the past year? **[Randomize statements]**

	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often
Reading about Jewish or Israeli topics in books/magazines/newspapers/blogs/online	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Listening to Jewish or Israeli music	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Talking about Jewish or Israeli topics with friends or family	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Volunteering with your Jewish friends	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Giving money to Jewish or Israeli organizations	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Creating content with Jewish or Israeli themes on social media (e.g., Instagram, TikTok, Snapchat, Facebook, Twitter, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Engaging with content with Jewish or Israeli themes on social media (e.g., Instagram, TikTok, Snapchat, Facebook, Twitter, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Watching Jewish or Israeli videos (e.g., on YouTube, Netflix, Apple TV, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Wearing a Jewish symbol on clothing or jewelry	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Marking Shabbat in a way that is different than the rest of the week	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Following news about Israel	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

9. Since January 2022 (i.e., during the last 18 months) have you personally experienced any form of antisemitism, either in person or in a virtual space?
- Yes
  - No
  - Not sure

10. How likely are you to do any of the following after graduating high school?

	Not at all likely	Not very likely	Somewhat likely	Very likely
Study in a yeshiva, seminary, or gap year program in Israel	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Attend a college that has an active Jewish campus life	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Participate in a Birthright Israel trip	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

## SECTION 2A: NCSY Questions

Your NCSY advisers are particularly interested in your answers to the following questions.

NCSY 1. In the past month, how often have you...?

	Never	Once	Two or three times	Four or more times
Had a special meal on Shabbat	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Attended synagogue	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Studied Torah on your own, in a shiur (class on Judaism), or with a chavruta (study partner)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Talked to an NCSY advisor, a rabbi, or another Jewish mentor	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Used a cell phone on Shabbat (do not count emergencies)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

NCSY 2. To what extent do each of the following reflect your own beliefs?

	Not at all	A little	Somewhat	Very much
It's important that I marry a Jewish person	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Torah learning is an essential part of being a Jew	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Shabbat is a gift that God gave the Jewish people	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Eating kosher food is a meaningful way to express Jewish commitment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
God gave the Torah to the Jewish people, through Moses, at Mount Sinai	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

## SECTION 2B: URJ Questions

The following questions come directly from your trip provider, the Union for Reform Judaism.

URJ 1. Which of the following would you say are the three biggest motivations for attending the trip?

- To spend time with my friends
- To make new friends
- To have fun
- To learn
- To connect with my Roots
- To have a Jewish experience
- To have a spiritual experience
- Other, please describe:

URJ 2. Please rate your interest in engaging with different aspects of Israel.

	Very Interested	Somewhat interested	Not very interested	Not at all interested
Nature	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Jewish history	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
History of Israel and its populations	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Geopolitics and Israeli Palestinian conflict	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Contemporary Israeli culture	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Jewish Renewal	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reform Jews in Israel	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

## SECTION 2C: JCC Maccabi Questions

The following questions come directly from your trip provider, JCC Maccabi.

JCCM 1. Which delegation are you representing?

- |                             |                               |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| a. Atlanta                  | p. New Orleans                |
| b. Bay Area                 | q. Orange County              |
| c. Birmingham               | r. Phoenix                    |
| d. Chicago                  | s. Sephardic Community Center |
| e. Cleveland                | t. Shames JCC on the Hudson   |
| f. Dallas JCC               | u. St. Louis                  |
| g. Glick - Indianapolis     | v. Team Alberta               |
| h. Greater Washington       | w. Team Long Beach            |
| i. Houston Maccabi          | x. Team Palisades             |
| j. JCC of Central NJ        | y. Team Philadelphia          |
| k. JCC of Greater Baltimore | z. Team San Diego             |
| l. LA - Valley JCC          | aa. Team Vancouver            |
| m. LA - Westside JCC        | bb. Toronto                   |
| n. Maccabi Montreal         | cc. Tucson                    |
| o. Miami Beach              | dd. J-Team                    |

JCCM 2. What sport do you play?

- |                           |                            |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| a. 17U Baseball           | h. 17U Girls flag football |
| b. 17U Boys Basketball    | i. 17U Boys Soccer         |
| c. 15U Boys Basketball    | j. 15U Boys Soccer         |
| d. 17U Girls Basketball   | k. 17U Girls Soccer        |
| e. 17U ice hockey         | l. Tennis                  |
| f. 17U Volleyball         | m. Swimming                |
| g. 17U Boys flag football | n. Star Reporter           |

JCCM 3. How many times have you previously participated in the JCC Maccabi Games?

- a. This is my first year participating
- b. I have participated previously

JCCM 4. How did you hear about JCC Maccabi? *(Please select all that apply)*

- a. Through your Delegation Head
- b. Through a friend/family member
- c. Through your coach
- d. Facebook/Instagram Ad
- e. JCC Maccabi Website
- f. Local JCC website, flyer or brochure
- g. My sibling participated
- h. Previous Participant
- i. Synagogue/Jewish Day School/ other Jewish publication
- j. Other. Please describe:

JCCM 5. How important were the following in your decision to participate in JCC Maccabi this summer?

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Not very important	Not at all important
Having a fun experience	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Making new Jewish friends	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
My friends are participating	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Participating in something uniquely Jewish	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Traveling to Israel	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

JCCM 6. What parts of JCC Maccabi are you most excited about? *(please check up to 3)*

- a. Meeting Israeli teens
- b. Competing in my sport
- c. Exploring Israel and my Jewish identity through JCC Maccabi
- d. Having fun with my friends at JCC Maccabi social events
- e. Making the world a better place through JCC Cares (social action - community service program)
- f. Meeting Jews from around the world



### SECTION 3: OUTCOMES [All questions will be required]

We now have a couple of questions about how you view yourself, your relationship with others, and the role that being Jewish plays in your life. Please read each of the statements carefully as they touch on different issues.

11. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? [Randomize statements]

	Strongly Disagree	Moderately Disagree	Slightly Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Slightly Agree	Moderately Agree	Strongly Agree
I feel equipped to make important decisions about my life on my own	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Doing volunteer work is important to me	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I have close friendships with other <b>Jewish</b> teens, with whom I am regularly in touch	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am comfortable wearing a Jewish symbol on clothing or jewelry (e.g., Star of David necklace, clothing with Hebrew writing, kippah, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I generally feel confident about making my way through the world on my own	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
There are Jewish adults (American or Israeli) in my life - other than family members - whom I turn to for advice and support	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I have close friendships with <b>Israeli</b> teens, with whom I am regularly in touch	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Jewish ideas and values help shape	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

important decisions I make							
I see community service as part of my Jewish life	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am comfortable interacting with people who have different religious expressions or affiliations than mine	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

12. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? [Randomize statements]

	Strongly Disagree	Moderately Disagree	Slightly Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Slightly Agree	Moderately Agree	Strongly Agree
If it comes up in conversation, I never hesitate to say that I am Jewish	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I feel comfortable talking about my spiritual life with my peers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
There are Jewish adults (American or Israeli) in my life - other than family members - with whom I am regularly in touch	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I know who I am and what is important to me	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Being Jewish is a very important part of my identity	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I often reflect on what being Jewish means to me	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
It is important to me that I have Jewish adults (American or	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Israeli) in my life whom I look up to							
Jewish concepts of contributing to the world (for example, Tikkun Olam) inspire me to make the world a better place	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I have a good sense of when to seek advice from adults when making important decisions	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am comfortable engaging in conversation with people from different cultures	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

The next questions ask about your perspectives on Israel and Hebrew. Please read each of the statements carefully as they touch on different matters.

13. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? [Randomize statements]

	Strongly Disagree	Moderately Disagree	Slightly Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Slightly Agree	Moderately Agree	Strongly Agree
I feel a strong sense of connection to Israel	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I feel a sense of responsibility to Israel and Israelis	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Caring about Israel is a very important part of who I am as a Jew	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I have a good sense of what I know, and what I don't know, about Israel	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I feel a sense of compassion toward all of the different peoples living in Israel	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
It is important to me to have close relationships with Israelis living in Israel	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

I have respect for all of the different peoples living in Israel	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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14. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? [Randomize statements]

	Strongly Disagree	Moderately Disagree	Slightly Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Slightly Agree	Moderately Agree	Strongly Agree
I feel that speaking and/or understanding Hebrew is an important part of my life as a Jew	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I feel that Hebrew connects me to Israel and Israelis	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

The next question asks you to rate your level of knowledge about Israel and Jewish life generally. You won't be judged by how little or how much you know about these things, so please be as open and honest as possible. Please read each of the statements carefully as they touch on different things.

15. On a scale from 1 to 7, where 1 = "nothing" and 7 = "a lot", how much do you know about the following: [Randomize statements]

	1 (Nothing)	2	3	4	5	6	7 (A lot)
The place of Israel in Jewish history	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The importance of Israel in the Tanakh (The Jewish Bible)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The role that Israel's geography (borders, land, etc.) plays in Israeli current events	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The basic histories of many different types of people living in Israel today	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The diversity of cultures, ethnicities, religions, and languages represented in Israel	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Issues that are most important to different types of people living in Israel today	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Day-to-day life in Israel	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Similarities</b> in Jewish life between North America and Israel	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
<b>Differences</b> in Jewish life between North America and Israel	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Different ways of being Jewish (including different expressions or practices of Judaism)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
What makes Shabbat different from the rest of the week	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**Thanks for rating your level of knowledge about Israel and more general things in Jewish life. The next two questions ask about your involvement with some of these same things. Whether you're involved a little or a lot, that's okay! Please read each of the statements carefully as they touch on different matters.**

16. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? [\[Randomize statements\]](#)

	Strongly Disagree	Moderately Disagree	Slightly Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Slightly Agree	Moderately Agree	Strongly Agree
I frequently speak about Israel with my friends	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I frequently speak about Israel with my family	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am able to give others a sense of what Israel is like	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am interested in learning more Hebrew than I know now	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am interested in participating in Jewish activities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Thinking ahead to college, it is important for me to be involved in Jewish life on campus	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am interested in learning more about Judaism and my Jewish heritage	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am able to engage in conversations about Israel's challenges	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am interested in participating in Israel-related activities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

17. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? [Randomize statements]

	Strongly Disagree	Moderately Disagree	Slightly Disagree	Neither Agree nor Disagree	Slightly Agree	Moderately Agree	Strongly Agree
I can explain to others what being Jewish means to me	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Thinking ahead to college, it is important for me to be involved with Israel on campus	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
It is important to me to make Shabbat feel different than the rest of the week	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am interested in learning more about Israel	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am comfortable engaging in conversations about Israel with peers whose opinions about Israel differ from mine	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am active about Israel on social media	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Thinking ahead to college, I feel capable of standing up to antisemitism	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Thinking ahead to college, I feel capable of handling anti-Israel sentiment	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I can envision having, or continuing to have, a leadership role in Jewish and/or Israel-related activities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

18. As you went through these questions, was there anything that surprised you about how you answered? Use the space below to reflect in 2-3 sentences to share anything you'd like to with the research team.

## SECTION 4: BACKGROUND & DEMOGRAPHICS

This last set of questions asks about you, your prior Jewish experiences, and a bit about your family. As a reminder, anything you share will be kept confidential.

19. Before ninth grade, for how many years did you attend each of the following:  
(For seasonal activities, such as summer camp, please count each season as one year.)

	Never	1 year	2-3 years	4 years or more
A Jewish early childhood program (e.g., Jewish preschool)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
A Jewish day school	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
A supplementary Jewish school, such as a Hebrew or Sunday school	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
An overnight camp that had Shabbat services and/or a Jewish educational component	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
A Jewish youth group or teen organization	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

20. Before ninth grade, how often had you attended a Passover Seder, either with your own family or with others?

- Never
- Rarely (a few times in my life)
- Sometimes (about every other year)
- Usually (almost every year)
- Always (every year)

21. Have you had a Bar, Bat, or B Mitzvah ceremony?

- Yes
- Not yet, but I plan to have one
- No, and I do not plan to have one

22. Not counting the trip you are about to go on, how many times have you visited Israel before?

- Never
- Once
- Twice
- Three times or more

23. How many of your closest friends identify as Jewish?

- None of them
- A few of them
- About half of them
- Most of them
- All of them

24. Which of the following best describes your immediate family?
- a. We are all Jewish
  - b. Some of us are Jewish, some of us are not
  - c. We are not Jewish
  - d. Not sure
25. In terms of your Jewish heritage, which of the following best describes you? (Please select all that apply.)
- a. Ashkenazi (following Jewish customs of Central and Eastern Europe)
  - b. Sephardic (following Jewish customs of Spain)
  - c. Mizrahi (following Jewish customs of North Africa and the Middle East)
  - d. From Russian-speaking heritage
  - e. From Persian heritage
  - f. Other: \_\_\_\_\_
  - g. Not sure [Make exclusive]
  - h. Prefer not to answer [Make exclusive]
26. What language(s) do you speak at home or with family? (Please select all that apply.)
- a. English
  - b. Hebrew
  - c. Russian
  - d. Spanish
  - e. Persian/Farsi
  - f. Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_
27. With which gender do you identify?
- a. Man
  - b. Woman
  - c. Trans man
  - d. Trans woman
  - e. Non-binary
  - f. Genderqueer/Gender non-conforming
  - g. Not listed here or prefer to self-describe: \_\_\_\_\_
  - h. Prefer not to answer
28. How would you describe your sexual identity? (Please select all that apply.)
- a. Asexual
  - b. Bisexual
  - c. Heterosexual / straight
  - d. Homosexual / gay / lesbian
  - e. Pansexual
  - f. Queer
  - g. Questioning
  - h. Not listed here or prefer to self-describe: \_\_\_\_\_
  - i. Prefer not to answer [Make exclusive]



29. Which of the following describe you? (Please select all that apply.)

- a. African American or Black
- b. American Indian or Alaska Native
- c. Asian or Asian American
- d. Hispanic, Latinx, or Spanish Origin
- e. Middle Eastern or North African
- f. Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
- g. White
- h. Not listed here or prefer to self-describe: \_\_\_\_\_
- i. Prefer not to answer [Make exclusive]

30. Which of the following describe members of your immediate family? (Please select all that apply.)

- a. African American or Black
- b. American Indian or Alaska Native
- c. Asian or Asian American
- d. Hispanic, Latinx, or Spanish Origin
- e. Middle Eastern or North African
- f. Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
- g. White
- h. Not listed here or prefer to self-describe: \_\_\_\_\_
- i. Prefer not to answer [Make exclusive]

31. Teens identify in all kinds of different ways, in addition to being Jewish. Which of the following terms, if any, do you use to describe your identity to others? Please select all that apply to you.

[Randomize]

- |                 |                                 |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|
| a. Activist     | k. Feminist                     |
| b. Athlete      | l. Vegetarian/Vegan/Plant-Based |
| c. Artist       | m. Ally                         |
| d. Writer       | n. Environmentalist             |
| e. Influencer   | o. Caregiver                    |
| f. Traveler     | p. Foodie                       |
| g. Sports fan   | q. Progressive                  |
| h. Gamer        | r. Conservative                 |
| i. Upcycler     | s. Zionist                      |
| j. Entrepreneur | t. Other, please list: _____    |

31A. [Display if "Activist" Is selected in Q31] You mentioned you are an activist. What causes or organizations are you an activist for?

31B. [Display if "Influencer" Is selected in Q31] You mentioned that you identify as an influencer. What are a few words you would use to describe your brand?

32. Please indicate whether you have any of the following: (Please select all that apply.)

- a. A long-term mental health condition (e.g., anxiety, depression)
- b. A sensory impairment (vision or hearing)

- c. A learning disability or other diagnosis that interferes with your learning or ability to concentrate (e.g., dyslexia, auditory processing disorder)
  - d. A long-term medical illness (e.g., epilepsy, cystic fibrosis)
  - e. A mobility impairment
  - f. A sensory processing or integration disorder
  - g. An intellectual disability
  - h. A temporary impairment resulting from illness or injury (e.g., broken ankle, surgery)
  - i. Prefer to self-describe: \_\_\_\_\_
  - j. Prefer not to answer [Make exclusive]
  - k. None of the above [Make exclusive]
33. How would you describe your family's financial situation, to the best of your knowledge?
- a. We live comfortably
  - b. We meet our basic expenses and have a little left over for extra expenses
  - c. We just meet our basic expenses
  - d. We don't even have enough to meet our basic expenses
  - e. Prefer not to answer

## SECTION 5: THANK YOU AND OPT-IN FOR A FOLLOW-UP INTERVIEW

**You made it to the end! Congrats! Thank you for hanging in there with us - we know this was a long survey. We very much appreciate your time and all the information you shared, and we hope you have a great trip!**

**Please let us know if you would be willing to participate in a follow-up one-on-one interview in the next few months about your experience on [Program Name]:**

- a. Yes, I would be willing to participate in a follow-up interview
- b. No, I would not be willing to participate in a follow-up interview