



Group Program Bookings

Whether you are a school, shul, camp, youth group, or community organization, Shoresh offers a hands-on, Jewish, nature-based program that is just right for you!

Group Program Bookings are 1-2 hours long and can be booked year-round. Program fees are calculated based on program length and number of participants.

For more information or to book a group program, email education@shoresh.ca or call 416-805-8382.

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Group Bookings: Program Offerings

RECOMMENDED FOR CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

ROOTS & SHOOTS *Preschool & Kindergarten*

Using all five senses, discover the many sababa (amazing) plants and creatures that live in our urban green spaces. Discover where and how plants grow while searching for patterns in the natural world.

PLANTS & PEOPLE *Grades 1 & 3*

According to the Talmud, we are forbidden to live in a city without green spaces. Deepen your relationship with the natural world by tuning in to nature's cycles and seasons, discovering what plants need to survive, and getting dirty with soil exploration.

CREATURES & CRITTERS *Grades 2 & 4*

The Talmud teaches us that every creature has a purpose. Discover some of the many different animal, bird, and insect species that live in our urban green spaces, and how the choices we make affect the health of their habitats.

RECOMMENDED FOR B'NEI MITZVAHS, TEENS & ADULTS

BACK TO OUR ROOTS

This experiential workshop is all about getting back to our roots! Discover deep connections with Jewish history, values, rituals, community, and identity through nature-based activities.

JEWISH ORGANIC GARDENING

Discover how to grow your own Garden of Eden! This workshop will address the basics of planning and planting your own urban food garden.

TIKKUN OLAM & ENV. ACTION

The Torah commands us to be responsible stewards of the earth. Engage in a hands-on environmental stewardship project and live the Jewish value of Tikkun Olam, repairing the world.

HOLIDAY WORKSHOPS ADAPTABLE FOR ALL AGES!

FANTASTIC FOR ROSH HASHANAH! PROTECTING OUR POLLINATORS

On Rosh Hashanah, we enjoy apples dipped in honey...neither of which would be possible without our pollinator friends! Learn about the different native pollinators that live in our community, to better understand what we can do to ensure a happy, healthy new year for both humans and pollinators alike.

FANTASTIC FOR SUKKOT! WILD EDIBLES: CELEBRATING THE HARVEST

Who doesn't love a free nosh? Head outdoors with a Shoresh mentor to learn about the nutritional and medicinal properties of some of the plants, shrubs, and trees that make up our local ecosystem. This program is both educational and delicious!

FANTASTIC FOR TASHLICH OR SHEMINI ATZERET! LIVING WATERS

On Shemini Atzeret we begin praying for rain, reminding us how important water is to our survival. Explore the waters flowing through our local environment and discover firsthand how the choices we make shape and affect our watersheds.

FANTASTIC FOR TU B'SHVAT! MEET THE TREES

Celebrate the birthday of the trees by venturing outdoors to visit with the trees that support and sustain our communities! Learn to identify trees, look for signs of the animals who call our trees home, and say thank you to the trees for all they do for us.

FANTASTIC FOR PESACH AND SHAVUOT! WILDERNESS WANDERING

Following the Exodus from Egypt, the Israelites became a nation through their shared wilderness experience in the desert of Sinai. Take a wander through our own local wild spaces and deepen your connections to people, place, and spirit.

BRING IN A SHORESH SPEAKER

Invite a Shoresh educator to speak to your group. Topics can include Jewish agricultural teachings and food ethics, Jewish environmental values, or Jewish approaches to nature-connection.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT & CONSULTATION

Are you seeking guidance to develop your own Jewish nature space or program? Bring in Shoresh to develop a unique professional development workshop for your staff or consult on how to vision and develop your own unique natural space and educational approach to Jewish environmental education.