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Welcome to Jerusalem

Dear Student,

The Office of Student Activities (OSA) welcomes you to the Hebrew University's Rothberg International School and wishes you an easy adjustment period for both your studies in Jerusalem and life in Israel.

OSA was established in 1976 to provide extracurricular activities for international students, including lectures, workshops, weekend seminars, short excursions in and around Jerusalem, hiking trips, overnight tours throughout Israel, volunteer projects, social events, holiday celebrations and much more. We have planned a wide array of colorful and interesting activities, specially designed to enable you to become acquainted with Israel firsthand.

Our staff includes coordinators and *madrachim*, who will do their best to help you during your stay in Jerusalem. Please feel free to come to our office or to send us e-mail at <osa1@mscc.huji.ac.il>. You can visit the *madrachim* in the dorms, too. It is our pleasure to be in touch with you and to assist you during your stay at the Hebrew University.

This guide presents you with an introduction to both the Hebrew University and the city of Jerusalem. We hope it will answer some of your initial questions, as well as stimulate your interest and involvement. Then, the discovery is yours!

Enjoy your stay at the Hebrew University.

B'vracha,

Motty Butbul

Director,

Office of Student Activities

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The Hebrew University & Student Services

A Brief History of the Hebrew University

The foundation stone of the Hebrew University was laid on Mount Scopus in 1918, and in 1925 the University was opened. The University grew steadily as both a research and teaching center. The War of Independence in 1948 left the Mount Scopus campus cut off from Israeli west Jerusalem, and the campus remained an Israeli enclave in the eastern part of the city, then under Jordanian control.

During the next 19 years, the University built campuses at Givat Ram, Ein Kerem and Rehovot. But the dream of returning to Mount Scopus never faded, and with the reunification of Jerusalem in June 1967, rehabilitation and expansion of the campus began. In 1981, the Mount Scopus campus again became the main home of the Hebrew University. The University has since continued to grow, with the addition of new buildings and the establishment of new programs. In June 2000, the Givat Ram campus was renamed the Edmond J. Safra campus.

Mount Scopus campus: Faculties of Humanities, Social Sciences, and Law; Schools of Social Work and Social Welfare, Education, Business Administration, Public Policy, and Occupational Therapy; Rothberg International School; University Administration.

Edmond J. Safra campus: Faculty of Science; Schools of Computer Science and Engineering, and Library, Archive and Information Studies; Institute for Advanced Studies, Jewish National and University Library.

Ein Kerem campus: Faculties of Medicine and Dental Medicine; Schools of Nursing, Pharmacy, and Public Health and Community Medicine.

Rehovot campus: Faculty of Agricultural, Food and Environmental Quality Sciences; Schools of Nutritional Sciences and Veterinary Medicine.

Nearly 24,000 students are enrolled at the University, including about 2,000 international students.



Rothberg International School

The Rothberg International School offers a wide variety of academic programs and services for students from over 50 countries. For details on the following programs, including course lists, check our website:

<http://overseas.huji.ac.il>

- Preparatory Program – Mechina
- Freshman Program
- One Year/Semester Program
- M.A. Programs (taught in English)
- Graduate Year Program
- Jerusalem Ulpan/Summer Ulpan/Winter Ulpan
- Summer Courses

Officers of the Rothberg International School

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- Head Librarian: **Ms. Malka Ehrenfeld**
- Director, Office of Student Activities (OSA): **Mr. Motty Butbul**

RIS Calendars 2007/08

Summer Programs

Jerusalem Ulpan:	June 24–July 30, 2007
Language Programs:	June 24–July 30, 2007
Summer Institutes:	June 27–July 26, 2007
Tisha B'Av fast (University offices closed)	July 24, 2007
Programme Scopus:	August 2-30, 2007

Undergraduate Studies

Registration for Summer Ulpan:	July 31–August 1, 2007
Summer Ulpan begins:	August 2, 2007
Rosh Hashanah (no classes):	September 12-14, 2007
Summer Ulpan ends:	September 24, 2007
Yom Kippur:	September 21-22, 2007
Succoth vacation (University offices closed)	September 26–October 4, 2007
Autumn semester begins:	October 8, 2007
Midterm exam week (classes held):	November 5-11, 2007
Chanukah vacation:	December 9, 2007
Autumn semester ends:	December 20, 2007
Hebrew final exam:	December 21, 2007
Final exam week:	December 23-27, 2007
Intersession (winter recess):	December 30, 2007–February 23, 2008
Registration for Winter Ulpan (for new students only):	January 27, 2008
Winter Ulpan begins:	January 28, 2008
Winter Ulpan ends:	February 21, 2008
Spring semester begins:	February 24, 2008
Purim vacation:	March 23, 2008
Midterm exam week (classes held):	March 30–April 3, 2008
Passover vacation:	April 13-25, 2008
Independence Day vacation:	May 7-8, 2008
Spring semester ends:	May 29, 2008
Hebrew final exam:	May 30, 2008
Final exam week:	June 1-4, 2008

Graduate Studies and Preparatory Program

English Ulpan	July 10-31, 2007
Registration for Summer Ulpan:	July 31–August 1, 2007
Summer Ulpan begins:	August 2, 2007
Rosh Hashanah (no classes):	September 12-14, 2007
Summer Ulpan ends:	September 24, 2007
Yom Kippur:	September 21-22, 2007
Succoth vacation (University offices closed):	September 26–October 4, 2007
Level Aleph Supplementary Course:	September 30–October 11, 2007
Autumn semester begins:	October 21, 2007
Chanukah vacation:	December 9, 2007
Autumn semester ends:	January 25, 2008
Final exam week:	January 27-31, 2008
Midyear recess:	February 1-23, 2008
Registration for Winter Ulpan (for new students only):	January 27, 2008
Winter Ulpan begins:	January 28, 2008
Winter Ulpan ends:	February 21, 2008
Spring semester begins:	February 24, 2008
Purim vacation:	March 23, 2008
Midterm exam week (classes held):	March 30–April 3, 2008
Passover vacation:	April 13-25, 2008
Independence Day vacation:	May 7-8, 2008
Student's Day (no classes)	June 2, 2008
Shavuoth vacation	June 8-9, 2008
Spring semester ends:	June 20, 2008
Final exam week	June 22-27, 2008
2008/09 Academic Year begins:	October 26, 2008



University Departments

Faculty of Humanities

Rooms 4319/8, Mount Scopus, Tel. 02-5883852

The Humanities Building is divided into eight sections. The room number comprises both the floor and section. All departments, except where stated, are located in the Humanities Building.

Department	Telephone	Room
American Studies	02-5883901	5606
Arabic Language and Literature	02-5881220	5335
Archaeology (Archaeology Bldg.)	02-5882403/4	503/4
Ancient Near Eastern Languages & Civilizations	02-5883851	7702
Bible	02-5883605	5216
Classics	02-5883901	7702
Comparative & General Literature	02-5883901	7702
Comparative Religion	02-5883764	7702
Contemporary Israel	02-5883605	5216
Contemporary Jewry (Gaster)	02-5882467	312
East Asian Studies	02-5883648	6327/8
Education (Education Bldg.)	02-5882010/28 (M.A.)	327
English Language & Literature	02-588302-581	7820/1
French Language & Literature	02-5883965	6824/5
German Language & Literature	02-5883851	7605
Hebrew Language	02-5883502-58	6130
Hebrew Literature	02-5883616	6209
Hebrew Mechina	02-5883571/2	4205
History	02-5883764	6505
History of Africa	02-5883516	5330
History of Art	02-5883872	6718
History of the Jewish People	02-5883560	6134
Interdisciplinary Program	02-5883807	4607
Islamic & Middle Eastern Studies	02-5883885	6417
Iranian, Indian, & Armenian Studies	02-5881220	5330
Italian Language & Literature	02-5883851	7605
Jewish & Comparative Folklore	02-5883616	6209
Jewish Studies	02-5883504	4112

Department	Telephone	Room
Jewish Thought	02-5883605	5216/7
Linguistics	02-5883851	7605
Melton Center for Jewish Education (Edu. Bldg.)	02-5882033/4	401
Musicology	02-5883936	5805
Philosophy	02-5883759	5516
Russian & Slavic Studies	02-5883819	5606
Spanish & Latin American Studies	02-5883828	6604
Talmud	02-5883502-58	6130
Teacher's Certificate (Edu. Bldg.)	02-5882022	332
Theater Studies	02-5883936	5805
Yiddish	02-5883560	6134
FACULTY SECRETARIAT	02-5883852/3/4	4318/9

Faculty of Social Sciences

Room 2711, Mount Scopus, Tel. 02-5883413

Communication & Journalism	02-5883046	3414
Environmental Policy & Planning	02-5883017	3605
Economics	02-5883065	3216
Geography	02-5881292	3605
International Relations	02-5883061	3319
Political Science	02-5883060	3314/5
Population Studies	02-5883333	3412
Psychology	02-5883411/2	2618/9
Public Policy (Humanities)	02-580048	H1755
Sociology and Anthropology	02-5883048	3419/20
Statistics	02-5883047	3409
Urban and Regional Studies	02-5883367	4717
FACULTY SECRETARIAT	02-5883347	2710

School of Business Administration

Accounting	02-5881740	3118
Business Administration	02-5883078	3119

Faculty of Science

Ross Building, Room 52, Edmond J. Safra campus, Givat Ram,
Tel. 02-6585363

Department	Location	Telephone
Biotechnology	Silverman	02-6786006
Chemistry	Los Angeles	02-6585267
Computer Science & Engineering	Ross	02-6585357
Earth Sciences	Geology	02-6584923
Environmental Studies	Earth Sciences	02-6584923
Life Sciences	Silverman	02-6585337
Structural & Molecular Biochemistry	Silverman	02-6585924
Brain & Behavior Sci.	Silverman	02-6584899
Cell & Animal Biology	Silverman	02-6585924
Genetics	Silverman	02-6585105
Plant Science (Botany)	Silverman	02-6585985
Mathematics	Einstein	02-6584748
Physics	Levin	02-6585226
Science Teaching	Levy	02-6584492

Other Faculties, Schools and Divisions

Agricultural, Food & Environmental Quality Sciences	Rehovot	08-9489919
Dental Medicine	Ein Kerem	02-6758591/4
Environmental Studies	Rehovot (<i>tzrif 5</i>)	08-9481332
Law	Rosenblum Bldg., Scopus	02-5882532
Library, Archive & Information Studies	JNUL	02-6585023
Medicine	Ein Kerem	02-6758011
Microbiology	Ein Kerem	02-6758188
Nursing	Ein Kerem	02-6777141
Nutritional Sciences	Rehovot	08-9489265
Occupational Therapy	Riklis Bldg., Scopus	02-5813246
Pharmacy	Ein Kerem	02-6758617/8
Public Health	Ein Kerem	02-6777115
Social Work & Social Welfare	Education Bldg., Scopus	02-5882205
Veterinary Medicine	Rehovot	08-9489190

University Housing

The Hebrew University provides housing options on its Mount Scopus, Edmond Safra, Ein Kerem and Rehovot campuses and in the Kiryat Hayovel neighborhood in Jerusalem. Students studying at the Rothberg International School (RIS) are generally housed on Mount Scopus in the new Scopus Student Village or in the Maiersdorf (Reznik) student housing complex, located within walking distance of the School's Boyar Building and the neighborhood of French Hill.

A select staff of Israeli students (called *madrachim*), who reside in student housing, are appointed by the RIS Office of Student Activities (OSA) to help international students adjust to campus life and to ensure their well-being during the year.

Central Student Housing Administration

The Central Student Housing Administration is responsible for coordinating all matters pertaining to the Hebrew University student housing population.

► **Director:** Hofi (Yitzhak) Hafouta

Frank Sinatra Building, Room 325, Mount Scopus, Tel. 02-5881539

► **Assistant Director:** Rodica Bahajian

Maiersdorf (Reznik) Building 8/158, Mount Scopus, Tel. 02-5882680/4

Office Hours: Sunday-Thursday, 8:30 A.M.–2:00 P.M.

Student Housing Supervisors on Mount Scopus

The supervisors serve as the link between the student and the student housing authorities. Students may contact their supervisors regarding any housing problems.

Scopus Student Village: Sivan Itzkovich, Building 4, Tel. 02-5918003

Office Hours: Sunday-Thursday, 8:30 A.M.–5:00 P.M.

Maiersdorf (Reznik):

Building 1-12 (*Gush Elyon*): Limor Doyev, Building 9, 02-5882675

Building 13-19 (*Gush Tachtan*): Rodica Bahadjian, Building 17, Tel. 02-5882678

Office Hours: Sunday-Thursday, 8:30 A.M.–2:30 P.M.

Monitor on Duty (after office hours)

Scopus Student Village: Tel. 02-5918002

Maiersdorf (Reznik): Building 8/150, Tel. 02-5882674 or 054-8820115

Room Assignment

Room placement is coordinated through the Rothberg International School. While personal preferences are taken into consideration whenever possible, students should be aware that their requests cannot always be met.

Students who are *Shomrei Shabbat* can be housed in suites or on floors with other observant students.

Before receiving their room, students are required to sign a housing contract, which should be read carefully. A translation of the housing contract is available from the housing office.

All financial obligations must be paid before a student can receive a housing referral. Students must arrive at the Boyar Building by 2:30 P.M. to complete financial registration if they want to receive a room on that day (the housing offices are open until 5:00 P.M.). Students arriving after the office is closed will have to find alternative overnight accommodations.

Room Changes: Students wishing to change rooms may do so only through the student housing supervisor. It is *imperative* that the supervisor has the student's correct address on file at all times.

Student Housing Policies

The housing regulations are outlined in the housing contract. We would like to bring to your attention the following:

- ✓ In accordance with University policy, students residing in University student housing are personally responsible for all property. Before students depart from their building, their rooms will be inspected for damage and their keys must be returned to the student housing supervisor. **Students who do not return their keys at checkout or upon changing their room during the year will be penalized. Students will be charged for any damages. Any RIS students who leave without paying these charges will not receive grades or be issued transcripts.**
- ✓ Students are requested not to use cellophane tape or to glue posters on the walls.

Note: Israel's electric current is 220v, 50 cycles. Do not plug an American 110v shaver, hair dryer, or other electrical appliance into an outlet in Israel without a proper transformer.

Brief Descriptions of Housing

Scopus Student Village

The Student Village contains about 1,600 beds in 9 buildings, with about 120 students residing in each building. Students are housed in air-conditioned, single bedrooms in a suite containing 2-5 bedrooms, bathroom facilities, a living room, kitchenette and dining area. Students must supply their own linens, blankets, pillows, cooking utensils and dinnerware. The Village includes a supermarket (Building 2) and self-service laundromat.

Maiersdorf (Reznik) Student Housing Complex

Maiersdorf contains about 1,800 beds in 19 dormitory buildings, with 10 rooms per floor. Students are housed two to a room and must supply their own linens, blankets, pillows, cooking utensils and dinnerware. There is a kitchenette, toilets, showers and a main central lounge area on each floor. The buildings are centrally heated and are surrounded by small gardens with sitting areas. The complex also includes the Student Counseling Services (Building 10), study halls (Buildings 11, 13), TV room (Building 11), synagogue (Building 8), supermarket, Reznik Pub, and basketball courts.

Off-Campus Housing

Renting off-campus housing is an attractive option for many students. Monthly rent for an individual sharing an apartment can cost anywhere from US \$200 to US \$400, depending upon the size, location, and amenities of the room/apartment, as well as the number of roommates. When renting an apartment, students must take into account additional expenses: electricity, water, gas, municipal taxes (*arnona*), and the monthly building maintenance fee (*Va'ad Bayit*).

Several basic questions to ask before signing a contract:

1. How much is the rent and *Va'ad Bayit* (monthly building maintenance committee fee)? Rent is commonly quoted in U.S. Dollars and linked to the current rate of exchange (*sha'ar hayatzig*). It is illegal for landlords to request actual payment in dollars.
2. How are rental payments to be made? Often landlords require several month's rent in advance. (The standard request is the first and last month's rent.)

3. How is the apartment heated? Apartments with a high *Va'ad Bayit* fee are often centrally heated. Otherwise, there may be private central heating or the tenant must provide heaters, often provided by the tenant. Using individual electric or gas heaters can be expensive.
4. Is the water heated electrically or by solar energy (*dude shemesh*)? The difference in cost (i.e., the electricity bill) may be significant.
5. Is there a telephone? Installing a telephone line costs money.
6. Is a bus line to the University in walking distance? (4~~x~~, 19, 23, 23~~x~~, 26, 26~~x~~, 28, 30 or 46 to Mount Scopus campus; 9, 24 or 28 to Edmond J. Safra campus, Givat Ram).
7. How much is the lawyer's fee (if any) for signing the contract? If you are a member of the Student Union you are entitled to free legal counseling regarding apartment rentals.
8. How many months long is the lease? Can it be legally terminated by you or the landlord?
9. General location: Is the apartment on the ground floor? Are there metal bars (*soragim*) on the windows? Is it located on a noisy thoroughfare or on a quiet side street?

Some ways to look for off-campus housing:

1. Check the student bulletin boards on campus located near the libraries and in the lobby outside the cafeteria in the Boyar Building.
2. Consult the classified ads in the local press Friday editions. (These ads are often linked to realtors, who will charge around one month's rent as their commission fee.)
3. Check the Student Housing Board on the Hebrew University website (in Hebrew only): http://sites.huji.ac.il/house_open/
4. Sign up with an agency that will provide you with access to its extensive listings of apartments for rent and to share, for a reasonable monthly fee. Some agencies:

Ma'agar Meida
www.1.co.il
 Tel. 1-700-501555

Sheal
www.sheal.co.il
 Tel. 02-6254456

Keeping in Touch

Telephones and Internet in Student Housing

Residents of the Student Village who want access to the telephone line and rapid Internet connection in their rooms should set up an account with the Bezeq representative who sits in Building 4. Reception hours will be announced.

Residents of Maiersdorf (Reznik) must set up an account with Bezeq to use the telephone in their room. Calling within the housing complex is free. Upon registering for a telephone line, students are given a personal access code for dialing outside the complex. For information on open an account with Bezeq, students should contact their student housing supervisor.

Note: Students will be asked to pay a refundable deposit *or* have a resident of Israel who has a Bezeq telephone line sign a form agreeing to pay any outstanding bills.

Renting a Cell Phone

Students in the One Year/Semester and Freshman programs receive a rented cell phone as part of their tuition fees. The RIS has reached an agreement with Talk'n'Save Total Communication Solutions for the rental of cell phones to RIS students, within the Boyar Building. A variety of models and options are available.

For further information, contact Talk'n'Save at Tel. 02-6537568 or e-mail them at <info@talknsave.net>. **Note:** Students studying in the Division of Graduate Studies must pay US \$100 to rent a cell phone for the year from Talk'n'Save.

Public Telephones on Campus

There are public telephones in the basement level of the Boyar Building and in the lobbies and hallways of many buildings on all of the campuses. In Maiersdorf (Reznik), public telephones are located in the basement of Building 5 and in the TV room in Building 11. There is a Golden Lines (012) public telephone in the basement level of the Boyar Building.

In general, public telephones are operated by telecards, which are sold in vending machines throughout the campuses, including the Boyar Building basement level, near the public phones in the student housing complexes, and in post offices and kiosks.

Student Mail

Students studying in the Summer Ulpan who reside in student housing may initially have their mail sent to the following address:

Name of student
c/o Summer Ulpan
Rothberg International School
The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
Boyar Building, Mount Scopus
91905 Jerusalem, ISRAEL

Mail sent to this address will be placed in the student mailboxes outside Boyar Room 402. **The RIS bears no responsibility for student mail.** Students are advised to inform all parties of their permanent address as soon as it is available.

Students residing in the Student Village use the address:

Name of Student
Scopus Student Village
2 Lohamei Hagetaot St.
Building__, Floor__, Apt.__, Room__
97880 Jerusalem, ISRAEL

Students who live in Maiersdorf (Reznik) use the mail code 97665.

Fax Service for Students

Students may send faxes from the Media Shop, located on the middle level of the Forum. Faxes may be sent Sunday-Thursday, 9:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M. The cost of sending a fax depends on the day, time and destination of the transmission. Faxes are received only during opening hours and will be saved for up to three weeks. A small fee is charged for incoming faxes.

The fax number is 972-2-5881137 from abroad or 02-5881137 within Israel.

The fax number is also the Media Shop's telephone number.

Note: Personal mail should *not* be sent to students via the Rothberg International School fax, which is intended for administrative purposes only. Personal faxes will not be delivered, and the School *bears no responsibility* for such faxes.

Computers and Internet Services

The University makes every effort to provide state-of-the-art computer facilities and services on campus and for personal laptops in student housing.

Technical Support

The computer support staff is available to assist you. The support staff can be found in Boyar room 106, Tel. 02-5881253.

Hours: Sunday-Wednesday 9:00 A.M.–12:00 noon, 2:00-4:00 P.M., and Thursday 11:00 A.M.–12:00 noon

Computer Facilities

- Ports for laptop connections are available in the Boyar Building in the RIS library on the first floor (30 ports), in Social Sciences Bldg. 1, and in the central Bloomfield Library for the Humanities and Social Sciences.
- Computer stations providing e-mail and Internet access as well as Office software are located in Boyar rooms 105, 108, 109 and 310. Rooms 109 and 310 are also used for Hebrew lessons. Please note the schedule posted at the door. Students are required to leave the room before a class begins, even if unscheduled.
Hours: Sunday-Thursday 8:00 A.M. to Library closing hour. Room 310 closes at 5:00 P.M.
- **Berel Ginges Computer Center** with over 200 computer stations, located on campus, on the underneath the Bloomfield Library. This computer center can be reached by a staircase outside the Academic Bookstore or through the public transportation entrance to the University in the tunnel. Printers and multimedia stations (with scanners, CD/DVD writers) are also available.
- **Agnes Ginges Computer Center** with over 200 computer stations, located in Social Sciences Bldg. 7. Printers and multimedia stations are available.

Regular hours during the academic year:

Sunday 10:00 A.M.–10:00 P.M.

Monday-Thursday 8:15 A.M.–10:00 P.M.

Note: Summer hours may be different.

Setting up an Account

To use the computer facilities, you must open a Hebrew University computer account. You will need your Student ID number and a personal code (received at registration).

- 1) Go to the website: <<http://nwcodes.ms.huji.ac.il>>. Fill in your student ID number (first 8 digits) and your personal code.
- 2) A **declaration of proper use** will appear. You must agree in order to be able to continue.
- 3) Choose a username, and fill in your details according to the instructions on the website.
- 4) You will receive an option to enable remote access for laptops and/or a University mailbox.
- 5) Your username and, according to your choice, a remote access username and/or an e-mail address will now appear on the screen. Please write them down.
- 6) You are now registered, and within approximately five hours will be able to access the system.

Please remember your username and password for further use.
To change your public computer account password, repeat stages 1-5.

File Storage Options

The public computers will **not save your information** once the computer has been restarted.

Always backup your important files.

- **Drive A** – Diskette Drive: This storage medium is **unreliable**, and tends to become damaged. Protect your diskette and backup your files on other media. Not all stations have diskette drives.
- **Drive K** – Personal Network Drive: Files may be saved in a personal network drive. Being a network-based drive, it may be accessed from any public computer in the University.
A shortcut to it [with the same name as the username] can be found on the Desktop, or in My Computer. Please note: the personal drive is limited to 30 MB.
To access your drive K from the Internet: go to <<http://idisk.huji.ac.il>> and login using your username and password.

Laptop users can access their personal drive only by using this option.

- **USB Drive** (Disk-on-key/Memory stick) – All computer stations have USB ports.

Printing

B/W laser printers are located opposite Boyar room 109 and in room 310. You may print from any of the computers in the Boyar Building at a cost of NIS 0.20/page. You can use a smart card (*Mafil*), which can be purchased and recharged in each of the Computer Centers on campus, or your personal credit card (please note: the cost of using a credit card might be more expensive due to currency differences). In addition, color laser, transparency and duplex printers are available at each Computer Center. Instructions are posted next to the printer.

University E-mail Account (Pluto)

- If you haven't opened a mailbox yet, you may do so at:
<<http://plutocodes.msc.huji.ac.il>>.
- Your University e-mail address will be: *username@mscc.huji.ac.il*
- Access your e-mail account by using the website
<<http://plutomail.huji.ac.il>>.
Alternatively, you can find instructions for configuring your PC to access this account at: <<http://ca.huji.ac.il/services/internet/internet.shtml#mail>>.

Note: In the near future, students will receive Hebrew University Gmail accounts.

Using your Laptop

If you have your own laptop, connecting to our network will allow you to use the Internet, read e-mail, and access your personal drive on the network.

If you're using an e-mail client (as opposed to a web-based mailbox), in order to send e-mail from your laptop, you must use the University's outgoing mail server (SMTP): outmail.huji.ac.il

There are several ways to connect to the Internet:

1. **From home:** You must contact Bezeq, the phone company, or HOT, the cable company, to set up one of the following Internet connections:

- Modem (Dial up)
- ADSL
- Cable (HOT)

2. From student housing:

- Students may use a modem (after setting up an account with Bezeq) to connect their laptops to the Internet.
- Residents of Idelson 18, 19, 20 and Reznik 5, 6, 13 may use public ports to connect laptops (Ethernet card + cable required).

3. On campus students may:

- Connect their personal laptops to public ports (see above).
- Connect to the wireless Hot Spots around campus.

Wireless Connection

Students with wireless-enabled laptops may connect to the Internet in the Boyar Building in the library on the first floor, the cafeteria on the second floor and the third-floor lobby, or other Hot Spots around campus. In order to connect, students must first make sure they are receiving a strong signal, open a browser window, and login using their remote access account. Please go to <http://wireless.huji.ac.il> for connection instructions and wireless Hot Spot locations on campus.

Further information and help may be found on the web at <http://ca.huji.ac.il> or by contacting the support staff.

Drugs and Discipline

Students are expected to abide by the regulations of the Hebrew University while on campus or in University-operated dormitories. These regulations, as well as Israeli law, prohibit the importation, possession or use of any type of illegal drug or narcotic. Infraction of this rule on or off campus may lead to immediate expulsion from the University, or other disciplinary action, and create serious problems with the legal authorities of the State of Israel.

Security

Telephone Numbers

For any matter concerning campus security, please contact:

- ➔ Mount Scopus: (Security) 02-5882643 • (Emergency) 02-5883000, 02-5882653
- ➔ Edmond J. Safra campus, Givat Ram: (Security) 02-6584561 (Emergency) 02-6585000 or 02-6584455
- ➔ Ein Kerem: (Security) 02-6758005 • (Emergency) 02-6758060
- ➔ Kiryat Hayovel: (Security) 02-6585000

General Security Guidelines for all Dormitory Residents

1. Students should keep the windows shut and their doors locked at all times when outside of their rooms, even when leaving their room only for a brief moment. Very often articles are stolen during short periods of absence.
2. Students should keep a close watch on all personal items at all times and not leave them unguarded in or outside of their dormitories.
3. Valuables, such as expensive jewelry and large amounts of cash, should not be left in the dorms, but rather deposited in a safe deposit box in a bank.
4. Students should not invite strangers into their rooms or the dorm area.
5. It is recommended to lock the shower and bathroom areas while in use.
6. **Keys:** (a) As soon as students receive their key, they should remove the sticker revealing the room number. This is a simple safety measure

that is often overlooked. (b) Keys are personal and should not be lent out. *Never* leave keys in the post boxes.

7. There is a University lost and found located in the Security office.
8. Students should beware of (and should not touch) suspicious looking objects (e.g. abandoned bags) on and off campus, particularly in crowded places such as bus stops and malls. In turn, students should never leave their own belongings unsupervised.
9. Notify Security immediately in the event of a suspicious or violent act.

Mount Scopus

1. While the Mount Scopus vicinity is policed, it is strongly recommended that students avoid walking alone both on and off campus after dark.
2. Students should refrain from wandering into the eastern outskirts of Mount Scopus, even in groups.
3. **Jogging:** Students should never jog, walk or hike outside of the dormitory areas alone. Students who jog are urged to do so only during the daylight hours. Students who insist on jogging after dark should take precautions and remain in the well-lit neighborhoods of French Hill and Ramat Eshkol.

Edmond J. Safra Campus, Givat Ram

1. While the Edmond J. Safra campus, Givat Ram, and the surrounding area are heavily policed, it is strongly advised that students avoid walking in the Botanical Gardens alone at night.

Security on Trips in Town and Around the Country

1. Students interested in traveling are encouraged to join trips organized by the University or other institutions, which can provide the necessary security.
2. Students choosing to travel independently of the Office of Student Activities are urged to do so in groups and to inform OSA of their plans in advance.
3. Hitchhiking, whether in a group or alone, is strongly discouraged.

Presenting ID to a Security Officer

Stringent security measures are a part of daily life in Israel. University security officers have the right to request identification from any student who wishes to enter the University or who is already on University premises. In such cases, the student must present an identification card and allow the officer to copy the information contained therein. In cases where it is deemed imperative, security officers have the legal right to conduct a search of the body and/or possessions of any student. Student cooperation is expected. This is a precautionary measure and should not be seen as infringement of one's personal rights.

Note: Entrance to the Mount Scopus campus is permitted only to Hebrew University students or staff. Students who would like to have family members or other guests visit the campus must make arrangements in advance through their *madrichim* or the OSA office.

Reporting Sexual Harassment or Violence

Victims of sexual harassment or any form of violence should file a complaint with the Dean of Students office. The incident should be reported to the student's *madrich/a* or to the director of OSA as soon as possible. Victims can meet with a counselor at the Student Counseling Services in the Maierdorf (Reznik) housing complex, Building 10. All contact with the Student Counseling Services is absolutely confidential.

No Smoking on Campus

All of the campuses of the Hebrew University have been declared NO SMOKING areas. It is forbidden to smoke on campus, in the classrooms, lecture halls, libraries, offices serving the public, elevators, and hallways, as well as in the cafeterias and restaurants throughout the Hebrew University.

Smoking is permissible only in a separate, well-ventilated room, where a sign on the wall states that smoking is permitted.

Be aware that persons who do not abide by this regulation are subject to a fine.



Health Care

Health Insurance

All students at the Hebrew University must have health insurance coverage for the duration of their studies. Students who are Israeli citizens, including new *olim* (immigrants), are entitled to receive coverage through membership in one of Israel's four health funds (*kupat holim*). Such students are responsible for joining a *kupah* to assure their access to medical care.

Harel Insurance Company Ltd. University Medical Services

Visiting students enrolled in semester and year-long programs at the Rothberg International School (*not* including Nativ, PBI and other special programs) receive comprehensive health insurance, **University Medical Services (UMS)**, provided by the Harel-Yedidim Insurance Agency (2005) Ltd. (hereinafter, Yedidim). This coverage is in effect for the duration of the program only and does **not** include the Summer Ulpan, Jerusalem Ulpan or any other summer courses. Students who do not have a health insurance policy that is valid in Israel must purchase UMS coverage for the summer months.

The UMS policy covers the individual student only and does not include family members.

The UMS policy covers medical care within the borders of Israel only. Students who travel outside Israel (including Sinai and the Palestinian Authority) can purchase a separate travel policy for a set period of time (for example, Blue-White Travel Policy, from Yedidim representative).

At financial registration, students will receive a copy of the insurance policy and a list of important telephone numbers and the physicians, clinics and pharmacies providing medical services through the health plan. Students must use these service providers, unless written authorization by the insurer states otherwise.

Students must sign a declaration that they have not withheld information concerning their health or medical history. If the insurance agency discovers that information submitted about prior/chronic conditions is incomplete, all liability will be rescinded.

The health insurance membership cards will be available a few days after financial registration. Students are responsible for picking up their health insurance cards from the Office of Student Activities in Boyar Room 404. It is important to carry this card at all times, and it must be presented when seeking service.

Important Contacts for Students with UMS Insurance

- Amos Gilboa, Director, Health Division for International Students and Visitors, Yedidim, holds weekly reception hours at the Rothberg International School on Tuesdays in Room 402, 11:30 A.M.–1:00 P.M., Tel. 052-3250975.
- During work hours (Sunday-Thursday, 8:30 A.M.–2:30 P.M.), students can call Yedidim for any information or to make requests. Ask for Mali or Tohar. Tel. 03-6386216 or 03-6889407.
- The Harel National Hotline provides 24-hour information and assistance: Tel. 1-800-414-422 or 03-7547020; Fax: 03-7547333. Here students can receive all the help they need, such as locating service providers, referrals for special medical tests and referrals to an emergency room. **Important:** If your passport number is requested, please give them your student number.
- For problems that are not severe or are short term (e.g. the flu, sore throat), students can go to the Walk-In Clinic at the Jerusalem Medical Center, 9 Diskin St. (third floor), Kiryat Wolfson, 7:30 A.M.–9:00 A.M., Tel. 02-5610297, Fax: 02-5611256. Note that this medical center is staffed by many English-speaking physicians who are on the UMS list; appointments are required.

Emergency Care

Students who need medical attention when a doctor is not available should go to **TEREM**, an emergency treatment center open 24 hours a day, for assistance. No appointment is necessary. TEREM is located in the Magen David Adom building in Romema, 7 Hamemgimel St. (Bus #28), Tel: 02-6521748. Treatment at TEREM is free for UMS members, but they should not forget to bring their health insurance membership card.

Emergency Services at a Hospital Emergency Room (ER)

Treatment in an emergency room is the sole financial responsibility of the student, according to fees established by the Ministry of Health.

Students covered by UMS should go directly to an Emergency Room (ER) in the following cases:

- Any new fracture
- Severe shoulder or elbow dislocation.

- Injury requiring suturing by stitches or an alternative method of closure
- Inhalation of a foreign body into the respiratory tract
- Foreign body in the eye
- Cancer treatment
- Hemophilia treatment
- Cystic fibrosis treatment
- Taken by ambulance to an ER from the street or any other public place due to an unexpected event
- ER visit ends in non-elective hospitalization
- Medical emergency
- Hospitalization services given immediately after evacuation to an ER in the cases specified above.

Emergency Telephone Numbers

- **TEREM** (Magen David Building): 02-6521748 (24 hours a day, 7 days a week)
- **Ambulance–Magen David Adom**: 101 (24 hours a day, 7 days a week)
- **Hadassah University Hospital**, Mount Scopus: 02-5844111, Ein Kerem: 02-6777111
- **ERAN**, a 24-hour confidential help-line that offers emotional support to those who are lonely, depressed or going through a personal crisis: 1201 from any telephone
- **Rape Crisis Center** hotline for victims of rape and sexual harassment: 1202 from any telephone or 02-6255558
- **NATAL**, Israel Trauma Center for Victims of Terror and War offers immediate and specific assistance: 1-800-363363 (Sunday-Thursday 8:00 A.M.–10:00 P.M., Friday 10:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M. and as needed during emergency situations)

Note: Yad Sarah is a nonprofit organization that lends para-medical and rehabilitative equipment for free, against a small, refundable deposit, located at 124 Herzl St., Tel. 02-6444444.

Health Suggestions for Newcomers

Diarrhea and Stomach Cramps

These are usually caused by the entero virus and last about 48 hours. Other symptoms may include nausea, vomiting, headaches, weakness, and fever. The entero virus is usually acquired by eating unwashed fruits or vegetables or because of poor sanitary habits. Remember to do the following:

1. Wash your hands with soap and water before handling food, before meals, and after using the toilet.
2. Wash all fruits and vegetables with soap and water.
3. Keep all food covered against flies.
4. Avoid eating food that has been left over for a long period: more than 24 hours in a refrigerator or more than 6 hours at room temperature.
5. Eat only in restaurants that are clean. (This includes felafel and humus stands!)

If you do develop diarrhea and abdominal cramps, you should do the following:

1. Wait until the nausea and vomiting pass before trying to eat. Drink water and tea in small quantities frequently, if you are nauseous.
2. Afterwards, you should limit yourself to light foods, such as soup, tea, and jello, in order to avoid dehydration, which may result from severe vomiting and diarrhea.
3. Refrain from eating raw vegetables, eggs and dairy products during the next few days.
4. Rest in bed.
5. If nausea and vomiting or fever persist, go to TEREM.

Sunburn and Heat Stroke

It is very important to protect yourself from the strong sun in Israel. Wear a shirt and hat when outside and avoid overexposure to the sun, especially if you are at the beach or a swimming pool. Use suntan lotion with high protective sunscreen to avoid dangerous burns. You are advised not to sunbathe at the beach between 10:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. Overexposure to the sun may cause skin cancer.

Dehydration

Drink at least 10 glasses of water a day; it is very easy to become dehydrated in a semitropical climate.

Mosquito and Flea Bites

You may develop a severe allergic reaction to mosquito and flea bites in Israel, which usually subsides in a few days. To avoid this problem, use insect repellent and keep your room clean.

Counseling Services

Student Counseling Services

The Student Counseling Services are intended for students who seek help with personal distress and psychological problems. The counselors are psychologists, social workers, and psychiatrists specializing in work with students on campus.

The counseling programs:

- Individual psychological therapy
- Groups: dealing with problems in a group setting
- Couple and marital counseling
- Therapy for conditions of depression, anxiety and other emotional and functional problems
- Study skills and test anxiety

The first counseling appointment can be arranged by going in person to the Student Counseling Services. A fee is charged for each session.

A student in acute or immediate need can go to the Student Counseling Services *without prior notice or an appointment*. The student will be seen by a counselor for screening, and together they will try to find a way to handle the immediate problem. Students needing help after hours, including Fridays and *Shabbat*, should contact their *madrish* in student housing.

Every student at the Hebrew University is entitled to use these services. Needless to say, all contact with the Student Counseling Services is *absolutely confidential*. All information, including the client's identity, is confidential and will not be given to any person or organization outside the Counseling Services without the consent of the student.

Student Counseling Services

Maiersdorf (Reznik) Building 10, Mount Scopus, Tel. 02-5882685, 5881699, Fax: 02-5817212

Office Hours: Sunday-Thursday 8:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M.

Note: Therapy appointments are arranged individually and can take place at later hours.

RIS Psychologist

The RIS has an in-house psychologist with reception hours in the Boyar Building. RIS students who would like to meet with the psychologist should contact their advisors for a referral. Appointments will be available beginning in November 2007.

Counseling Hot Lines

- **ERAN:** 24-hour confidential help-line that offers emotional support to those who are lonely, depressed or going through a personal crisis: 1201 from any telephone
in Russian: 1-800-241201
in Arabic: 1201 ext. 2., between 12:00 noon and 8:00 P.M.
- **Rape Crisis Center:** 24-hour hotline for victims of rape and sexual harassment: 1202 from any telephone or 02-6255558.
- **Meitiv Crisis Center, Shmaryahu Levin 59, Kiryat Hayovel Tel.** 02-6449666; open 8:00 A.M.–4:00 P.M.

Student Activities

Office of Student Activities (OSA)

The primary responsibility of the Office of Student Activities (OSA) is planning and implementing extracurricular programs for students at the Rothberg International School. These activities include seminars, workshops, overnight trips, short excursions and volunteer projects. Since the office was established in 1976, some of its goals have included:

- ✓ providing opportunities to become acquainted with Israel by means of overnight and day trips
- ✓ providing diverse social and cultural activities
- ✓ exposing students to the complex political situation in the Middle East
- ✓ facilitating the absorption of those students who have made *aliyah* or are contemplating the possibility of settling in Israel.

OSA serves as a center for making the students' stay in Israel more pleasant and for handling the day-to-day affairs and problems encountered by overseas students.

OSA is located in the Boyar Building, Room 402, Tel. 02-5882622.

► **The OSA Staff:** To help fulfill these objectives, the RIS employs a select staff of Israeli students to serve as counselors (*madrichim*) for the international students. This staff works both for and together with the students in a number of areas, including helping them to solve administrative problems and to initiate different projects that will make their year more enjoyable. The close proximity of the students' dorm rooms to those of the *madrichim* promotes supportive relationships, and the OSA's open-door policy offers students a "shoulder" to lean on for even the smallest frustrations inherent in their acclimation to a new culture.

► **Shabbat On-Call:** Every weekend there will be a *madrich* staying in the student housing to whom students will be able to turn if anything should occur. Tel. 052-2608097.

► **OSA Activities Package:** All students enrolled in the Division of Undergraduate Studies (DUS) receive 12 activity points that may be used to register for all OSA **day** activities. All OSA **weekend trips** (marked in the OSA activities brochure with an asterisk [*]) are open to all DUS students without any additional payment (points or money).

Students must register in advance at OSA (Boyar 402/404), to confirm their participation. Points **may not** be used for any activities not under the auspices of OSA.

Students who would like to participate in additional activities may do so by paying a reasonable fee. Students who have points remaining, but not enough to fully pay for a desired activity, will be able to use those points to cover part of the cost (the amount will depend upon the cost of the activity). In order to ensure participation in the activities they desire, students are advised to submit their requests at an early date. Information about trips and activities can be found in the OSA activities brochure, produced several times each year, as well as in the weekly newsletter, **Now@RIS**.

► **Day Trips and Overnight Trips:** Throughout the year, the OSA organizes a variety of overnight trips that generally focus on a specific orientation. Fall and winter trips take students to the warm South, where they experience the Arava, the Judean Desert, and the Negev Desert. Spring trips highlight northern Israel with the annual “Sea to Sea” trip, a three-day adventure during which students hike from the Mediterranean Sea to the Sea of Galilee. During the hot Israeli summer, students explore the North. Through these trips, students come in contact not only with the Jewish Israeli population, but also with minority groups, such as the Bedouin and Druze.

► **Short excursions** offer students a chance to explore Israel and broaden their understanding of Jewish and Israeli history. Visits are organized to Yad Vashem, the Jewish Quarter of the Old City, Old Jaffa, the Bar Kochba caves and other sites.

► **Hiking Club:** Geared to the more adventurous and physically fit student, the Hiking Club offers students the opportunity to participate in challenging day and overnight hikes during the course of the year. Participants see Israel in a different light: camping outdoors, rappelling and hiking along special hiking trails. Trips are coordinated by club members and new ideas are welcome. A fee is charged.

► **Religious Activities:** OSA coordinates a wide range of religious programs to meet the diverse needs of all international students. These activities are run in conjunction with the Dean of Students Office, the Student Union, Beit Hillel and other organizations associated with the Hebrew University. For more information read the section on religious activities below.

► **Volunteer Projects – Tzedek (Justice):** OSA arranges for students to volunteer in select, supervised frameworks, such as elementary schools, hospitals, Big Brother youth clubs, and the like. OSA is constantly in touch with the organizations and the student volunteers.

► **Magen David Adom Volunteer Program:** Participants in the volunteer program for Magen David Adom (the Israeli equivalent of the Red Cross) take first aid courses and volunteer at Magen David Adom stations throughout the year, as well as in other organizations, as a service to the State of Israel and its people.

► **Clubs and Workshops:** OSA runs a variety of clubs, including Yoga, Meditation, Belly Dancing, Aerobic Dancing, Drumming workshop, Basketball, Soccer, Soo Bahk Doo, and more.

► **Now@RIS:** OSA's weekly newsletter can be viewed on the RIS website at: <http://overseas.huji.ac.il> and can be sent by e-mail to students who register for it on the website. **Now@RIS** keeps students informed about activities, events and lectures, and contains pertinent announcements of both an academic and a social nature.

► **Emergency Card:** In the information kit you will find an Emergency Card, which contains important telephone numbers. We recommend that you carry this card at all times and contact us when needed.

Hillel at Hebrew University

Founded in 1951, Hillel at the Hebrew University in Jerusalem has had a long and successful history, helping generations of Jewish students to connect with their Jewish identity. Located in Beit Hillel on the Mount Scopus campus, Hillel in Jerusalem offers a wide variety of unique programs for all types of students. The following is a sampling:

- **The Levana Center** at Beit Hillel offers a unique Jewish holistic experience. Through meditation, yoga, Reiki and healing, students learn about themselves and their Judaism while enhancing their spiritual journey through learning in a creative Beit Midrash. The Levana Center is supported by the UJA-Federation of New York.
- **Speaking Poetry** is a special program that brings popular Israeli musicians and a leading *paitan* (singer of traditional melodies) to share in an evening of music and song from a variety of cultural traditions. Speaking Poetry is sponsored by the Avi Chai Foundation.

- ***Pasifas (Mosaic)*** is a popular program that brings students together for intellectual workshops on Jewish topics, from Jewish mythology to analyses of the relationships of various couples in the Bible. Students are invited to offer their personal understanding and readings of a variety of Jewish texts and topics. *Pasifas* is sponsored by the Yoreinu Foundation.
- **The Center for Jewish Campus Initiatives** is a joint project of the Hillel centers at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem and Baruch and Hunter Colleges (CUNY) in New York. Student committees in each city meet via video conference to coordinate the joint project and meet in person twice a year, once in New York and once in Jerusalem. Each semester they invite their peers on campus to propose new initiatives for programs in their cities; the committees then choose the best initiatives and supervise them through the semester. Past initiatives have included programs on Jewish medical values, building bridges between Israeli and overseas students, Holocaust awareness, and an examination of intermarriage and assimilation.

Programs for Overseas Students

- **The Hillel-Hecht Beit Midrash Program** provides an opportunity for overseas students to build a Jewish learning community while strengthening their Jewish identity and their commitment to Jewish values and tradition. See also the section “Religious Activities” for further information.
- **The Beit Hillel Theater Workshop** under the direction of Michael Berl, serves as a magnet for talented overseas and English-speaking Israeli students who produce and perform in English a Broadway play (generally musicals) each winter.

For further information, check the Hillel website: <www.hujihillel.org.il> or call Tel. 02-5817714.

Sports

The Cosell Center for Physical Education, Leisure and Health Promotion

Sports facilities are located on both the Edmond J. Safra campus, Givat Ram, and the Mount Scopus campus. The Cosell Center also offers an array of classes in swimming, diving, yoga, martial arts, aerobic dancing and much more. Further information, including the schedule of hours, can be obtained from the offices of the Lerner Family Sports Complex on Mount Scopus and the Cosell Center on the Edmond J. Safra campus.

Membership Rates for RIS Students

- **Lerner Sports Complex**, Mount Scopus (including tennis):
NIS 1300 (Year)
NIS 920 (Half-year)
- **Cosell Sports Center**, Edmond J. Safra Campus, Givat Ram:
NIS 808 (Year)
- Monthly rate for summer students:
NIS 300

Please note: Students must submit either a letter from a physician stating that they are able to participate in physical activity or a photocopy of the medical form that accompanied their application to the RIS.

Sports Office Hours:

- ★ **Lerner Center, Mount Scopus:** Sunday 11:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M., Monday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M., Tel. 02-588-1234.
- ★ **Cosell Center, Edmond J. Safra Campus, Givat Ram:** Sunday-Tuesday 9:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M., Tel. 02-6586611.

Mount Scopus Campus

The Lerner Indoor Sports Complex

The Annette and Theodore Lerner Family Indoor Sports Complex is the most advanced sports facility in Jerusalem, and a leading one in Israel. The facilities include an indoor swimming pool adjacent to an outdoor open green area with gardens; a dry sauna; a large physical fitness and aerobics center, with over 80 of the most advanced fitness machines (Technogym, Precor, and Hammer); a spinning area with modern background music; a movement studio; nutrition clinic;

professional massage room; locker rooms; and a dairy restaurant overlooking the Old City of Jerusalem, with a “healthy” menu. The center is completely air-conditioned.

Members of the Lerner Center will enjoy a special lively/stimulating “academic” atmosphere, with corners and a patio for meetings and relaxation. The Center is non-smoking and the parking lot is private and safe.

The Sir Arthur Gilbert Tennis Club

The Center contains ten tennis courts and two multipurpose courts. Additional sports available on Mount Scopus include basketball, volleyball and mini-soccer.

The Tennis Facility (Tel: 5882796) offers students a discount card good for six hours of play. It is possible to rent a court for two players on an hourly basis.

Hours: Sunday 3:00 P.M.–10:00 P.M.; Monday-Thursday, 8:00 A.M.–10:00 P.M., Friday 7:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M., Saturday, 8:00 A.M.–4:00 P.M.

Note: Membership in the Lerner Center includes free use of the tennis courts. (There is a charge only when the courts are floodlit.)

Edmond J. Safra Campus

Recreational facilities on the Edmond J. Safra Campus, Givat Ram, include an indoor heated swimming pool, which was recently renovated to be of the largest and highest standard in Jerusalem (for a recording in Hebrew of pool hours call 02-6584292); tennis and squash courts, gymnasias, basketball, weight training room, aerobics fitness room and the newly renovated track and field stadium of international standard.

The aerobics fitness room contains sophisticated equipment, including Technogym treadmills, standing bicycles, rowing machines, stepping-stairs, cross trainers (upper limb exercise machines) muscle building apparatus and hand-free weights. Personal instruction is available at all times.

Other On-Campus Options

Physical Activity Courses and Clubs

The clubs/courses offered on the Edmond J. Safra and Mount Scopus campuses include the following: tennis (Mount Scopus); different kinds of dance, e.g., jazz, flamenco, salon; martial arts, e.g., taikwan do, kong fu, tai chai, kick boxing; various exercise methods, e.g. Feldenkrais, body sculpting, aerobic dancing, yoga; and swimming. In addition,

workshops designed to promote good health will open on the Edmond J. Safra campus in such areas as exercises for the back, meditation, proper nutrition and walking.

A schedule of courses and meeting times, as well as registration dates, will be posted on bulletin boards throughout the University at the beginning of the academic year. This information may also be obtained in a program booklet from the Cosell Center office. Registration is usually held at the beginning of each semester. Since classes are limited in size, be sure to register on time. A fee is charged for participation. Tel. 02-6586611.

Competitive Sports

Talented athletes are encouraged to try out for the University's competitive teams in a variety of sports, e.g., basketball, squash, volleyball, tennis, swimming, chess, triathlon, track and field, and more. In addition, students who would like to participate in intramural sports may register at the tennis facility. Basketball and mini-soccer groups will be formed. Tel. 02-6586611.

Selection of Off-Campus Sports Facilities

Swimming Pools



During the summer, most outdoor pools are open from 9:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. daily. Although all charge a rather high entrance fee, special student rates may be available (e.g. at the Regency Jerusalem).

	Address	Buses	Telephone
Beit Hanoar Ha'lvri	105 Herzog St.	6,17,19,31,32	02-6494111
Crowne Plaza	Givat Ram	9, 28	02-6588888
Inbal	3 Jabotinsky St.	4,4 8 ,14,18,30	02-6756666
Jerusalem Pool	43 Emek Refaim St.	4,4 8 ,14,18,24	02-5632092
King David	23 King David St.	4,4 8 ,18,21	02-6208776
Mount Zion	17 Hebron Road	7,8,21,30	02-5689555
Ramat Rachel	Kibbutz Ramat Rachel	7	02-6702920
Regency Jerusalem	Mount Scopus	4 8 ,19,26,28,30	02-5331234
Renaissance	6 Wolfson St.	9, 28	02-6599999
Sheraton Plaza	47 King George St.	4,4 8 ,7,8,9	02-6298666
YMCA (indoor)	26 King David St.	4,4 8 ,18,21	02-5692692

	Address	Buses	Telephone
Tennis Courts			
Jerusalem Sports Club	32 Hatzefira St.	4,4 8 ,14,18	02-5632125
Israel Tennis Center	1 Elmaliah St.	4,4 8 ,18,19	02-6792726
Folk Dancing			
Beit Hanoar Ha'Ivri	105 Herzog St.	6,17,19,31,32	02-6494111
ICCY Hall	12 Emek Refaim	4,4 8 ,14,18	02-5664144
YMCA	26 King David St.	4,4 8 ,15,18,21	02-5692692
Fitness/Health Clubs			
Beit Hanoar Ha'Ivri	105 Herzog St.	6,17,19,31,32	02-6494111
Jump	Binyanei Hauma	6,7,8,9,23,28	02-6233377
Crowne Plaza	Givat Ram	9, 28	02-6588888
Ramat Rachel	Kibbutz Ramat Rachel	7	02-6702920
Regency Spa	Mount Scopus	4 8 ,19,26,28,30	02-5331234
Renaissance	6 Wolfson St.	9, 28	02-6599999
YMCA	26 King David St.	4,4 8 ,15,18,21	02-5692692
Bowling			
Jerusalem Bowling Center	18 Yad Harutzim	12,14,30	02-6732195

Religious Activities

Religious activities at the Hebrew University are coordinated by the Office of Judaic Affairs (at the Hecht Synagogue, Mount Scopus), which is under the auspices of the Dean of Students Office, in conjunction with the OSA and in cooperation with Beit Hillel, the Student Union and other University departments. A wide range of programs and activities is available.

OSA coordinates a wide array of activities focusing on important aspects of religious life in general and specifically in Israel:

- ✧ Weekends with a *Shabbat* atmosphere are organized during the year at places of religious significance (Safed, the Old City of Jerusalem), with exciting and knowledgeable guest speakers.
- ✧ Visits and tours are arranged to the Western Wall (*Kotel*), *yeshivot* and museums, and meetings with individuals from interesting religious walks of life are held.
- ✧ Lectures are held in cooperation with the Dean of Students' office, the Student Union and other organizations associated with the Hebrew University.
- ✧ Every *Shabbat* students have the opportunity to attend services in the synagogue in Maierdorf (Reznik) student housing complex, Building 8.

Hecht Synagogue

The Hecht Synagogue, located on Mount Scopus in the Humanities Building (Block 3), is the focal point for religious activities. Daily *Mincha* services are held at 1:10 P.M., 2:10 P.M. and 4:10 P.M. During the academic year, *Shacharit* services are held at 7:00 A.M. and *Maariv* services at 6:10 P.M. Interesting and useful books are available from the Synagogue's lending library. The Synagogue staff is available for halachic guidance and advice on religious matters. Tel. 02-5817714 ext. 107.

The Hillel-Hecht Beit Midrash Program allows students of all levels and backgrounds the unique opportunity to explore classic Jewish texts with the aid and guidance of a qualified tutor or *chavrutah*. The program is designed to meet the individual interests, level and needs of each student. Examples of topics that may be selected by students include Torah, Talmud, *Halacha*, Women's Issues, Jewish Philosophy, Festival and Prayer. Small group study opportunities are also available.

The program, which is offered free of charge, meets every Monday evening at 8:00 P.M., at the Hecht Synagogue, in the Humanities Building 3, on the Mount Scopus campus. For further information, contact Rabbi Reuven Grodner by E-mail: <rgrodner@hotmail.com>.

Shabbat and Holiday programs are held both on and off campus. *Shabbatonim* are arranged for and by the students. *Shabbat* programs are developed for groups or individuals, including home hospitality arrangements in almost any area of Israel.

Student-initiated programs are encouraged and aided by the Hecht Synagogue staff. Trips, dormitory *Shabbat* programs, *mikveh* tours and programs with Israelis are examples of some of the programs.

Jewish Life on Campus Coordinator (JLCC)

Beit Hillel and OSA have a joint coordinator of Jewish Life on Campus who can be reached in the OSA office in Boyar Room 402 or by calling Tel. 02-5881614. The JLCC oversees programs designed to enrich the international student's knowledge of Judaism and the Jewish holidays. Interesting lectures and workshops are held.

Independent Organizations

✪ *OU Israel Center (Orthodox)*

The OU Israel Center, a division of the Orthodox Union, offers a wide range of informal and Beit Midrash classes and special lectures on a variety of topics for English speakers. There are also many other services available, including a Judaica library, Jewish videos, Torah tape lending library, trips, notice board, cafeteria, counseling, volunteering opportunities and more. The Center publishes a weekly Torah booklet, *Torah Tidbits*, which is also available by E-mail: tt@ou.org and at the website: <www.ou.org/tora/tt>.

Hours: 8:30 A.M.–10:00 P.M.

For further information, contact Phil Chernofsky, Educational Director, Israel Center, 22 Keren Hayesod St., Tel. 02-5609100, Fax: 02-5617432, E-mail: ouisrael@ouisrael.org

✪ *The "Center on Campus" Program of the United Synagogue Fuchsberg Jerusalem Center for Conservative Judaism in Israel*

Realizing that on- and off-campus activities play an important part in ensuring a positive Jewish experience in Israel, the Center for Conservative Judaism offers the following programs for overseas

students: *Shabbat* seminars, Friday night dinners, home hospitality, trips, lectures, *chugim*, *aliyah* and career information, religious counseling with a Conservative rabbi, and more. The “Center on Campus” is the student’s address for Conservative/Masorati movement activities in Israel. For additional information, contact Rabbi Ed Romm, Director of Campus Programs, the Center for Conservative Judaism in Israel, 8 Agron St., Tel. 02-6256386 ext. 4; E-mail: romm@uscj.org

✪ ***Hebrew Union College (Reform Movement)***

The Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion (HUC-JIR) promotes a Reform Jewish presence on the Hebrew University campus. HUC staff and faculty conduct educational activities and offer informal counseling at the University, with the help of rabbinical, cantorial and education students who study at HUC’s campus at 13 King David St. Hebrew University students are invited to join the HUC students and community for High Holiday services, Rosh Hashana Kallah including a festive seder dinner, *Shabbat* and holiday morning services at 9:30 A.M., *Shabbatonim*, once a month lunch and study on the HU campus, free concerts and many more activities. For additional information, contact Rabbi David Wilfond: Tel. 02-6203392 or E-mail: dwilfond@huc.edu

✪ ***Visiting Israel Students Association (VISA)***

The Visiting Israel Students Association (VISA), which runs programs with all the major universities in Israel, is dedicated to providing students with the opportunity to learn and experience the beauty and relevance of Judaism today. VISA offers ongoing classes and events on campus, home hospitality on *Shabbat* and holidays, major weekend programs around the country and the Jerusalem Leadership Seminar held twice a year. VISA is based on tolerance, non-coercion and creativity, and appeals to Jews of all backgrounds. For additional information, contact Emanuel Gentilcore, Tel. 02-5802642.

✪ ***Ohr Chadash: New Horizons in Jewish Experience***

Ohr Chadash is a nonprofit educational organization serving English-speaking students enrolled at various universities and other short and long-term programs in Israel, as well as immigrants and native Israelis. It provides a wide range of programming in an open, joyous, non-coercive and spiritual atmosphere, where participants

are able to explore Judaism at their own pace. Programs include classes, lunch and learn, concerts, *Shabbatonim*, home hospitality, leadership training, seminars, tours, counseling, and social action projects. Ohr Chadash combines heart and mind and caters to each participant's special needs. They provide a home away from home for students and maintain strong relationships for years to come. With the inspiration and skills that students learn, they return to their home communities eager to take leadership roles. Many students return to Israel and the bonds become even stronger.

For more information contact Rabbi Avraham Trugman, Tel. 08-9265247 or E-mail: trugman@netvision.net.il

Website: <www.thetrugmans.com>

Synagogues

Synagogues abound in Jerusalem, spanning the spectrum of different movements and customs in Judaism.

Below is a very partial listing of synagogues, including some close to Mount Scopus.

- ✧ Italian Synagogue, 27 Hillel St., City Center
- ✧ Jerusalem Great Synagogue, 56 King George St., City Center
- ✧ Ramot Zion (Conservative), 56 Bar Kochba St., French Hill
- ✧ Hadassah University Hospital, Mount Scopus
- ✧ Shaarei Rahamim Vesimha, 45 Hachail St., French Hill
- ✧ Beit Haknesset Hamercazi, 13 Hahagana St., French Hill
- ✧ Har-El (Reform), 16 Shmuel HaNagid St., City Center
- ✧ Kehillat Yedidya (Modern Orthodox), 12 Nachum Lifshitz St., Baka
- ✧ Mevakshei Derech (Reform), 22 Sderot Agnon, San Simon
- ✧ Merkaz HaRav Kook, 12 Ben Dor, Kiryat Moshe
- ✧ Moreshet Avraham (Conservative), Adam St., East Talpilot
- ✧ Beth Jacob, Paran St., Ramat Eshkol
- ✧ Kol Haneshama (Reform), 1 Asher St., Baka
- ✧ Moreshet Yisrael (Conservative), 4 Agron St., City Center
- ✧ Yakar (Carlebach), 10 Halamed Heh St., Katamon
- ✧ Yeshurun Central Synagogue, 44 King George St.

In addition, at the Western Wall (the *Kotel*) services are constantly held.

Kabbalat Shabbat services usually begin 20 minutes before sunset on Friday. The start of *Shabbat* morning services varies from synagogue to synagogue, but is generally around 7:30 A.M.–8:00 A.M.

Check **Now@RIS** for the exact time that *Shabbat* begins and ends for the upcoming week.

ⓘ Student Christian Forum – Chaplaincy for Christian Students

The Student Christian Forum is a meeting place for Christian students from the Hebrew University as well as other schools and institutions of learning in Jerusalem. It organizes a number of lectures, excursions and meals throughout the year and provides informal religious advising on campus in the Boyar Building, including information about church services in Israel.

Sr. Dr. Kirsten Stoffregen Pedersen (Tel/Fax: 02-6282618, Cell phone: 052-2829123, E-mail: jorsala@netvision.net.il) organizes the Student Christian Forum, under the auspices of the Ecumenical Theological Research Fraternity in Israel (executive secretary Rev. Dr. Petra Heldt and office secretary Mrs. Natalie King, Tel. 02-6735423, E-mail: ecu_frat@netvision.net.il). The Ecumenical Fraternity represents historic Churches.

Libraries

The Jewish National and University Library Edmond J. Safra Campus, Givat Ram

This library contains over two million books, including rare manuscripts and the world's largest collection of Judaica and Hebraica. It contains five reading rooms: General, Judaica, Asia-Africa, Manuscripts and Microfilmed Jewish Manuscripts, and Periodicals, and houses special collections and archives. Bibliographic and photocopy services are available. A library card may be obtained by presenting a valid student card at the main desk of the catalogue room.

Circulation: Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M., Tel. 02-6585004

Reference Service: Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M.,
Friday 9:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M., Tel. 02-6586136

Photocopy Services: Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–4:00 P.M.

Reading Rooms

Jewish Studies, General, and Asia-Africa: Sunday-Thursday
9:00 A.M.–7:00 P.M., Friday 9:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M.

Newspapers and Periodicals: Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–4:00 P.M.

Manuscripts and Archives: Sunday-Thursday, 9:00 A.M.–3:30 P.M.

Microfilmed Hebrew Manuscripts: Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–
5:00 P.M.

Rare Books and Scholem Collection: Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–
5:00 P.M., Friday 9:00 A.M.–12:45 P.M.

Edelstein Collection: Sunday-Thursday 10:00 A.M.–4:00 P.M.

Bloomfield Library for Humanities and Social Sciences, Mount Scopus Campus

This library contains the collections of all departments in the faculties of Humanities and Social Sciences (except for Archaeology, Assyriology and Egyptology, which are found in the Archaeology Library; and Education, which is found in the Education Library.) It holds about 600,000 volumes and subscribes to numerous periodicals in many languages.

Lending Service: All registered students may borrow ten books from the general collection, usually for a period of three weeks unless otherwise indicated, and two reserved books. Student cards serve as library cards. Books can also be renewed by computer in the library itself and in the Rothberg International School library.

Hours

Summer Hours: Sunday–Thursday, 9:00 A.M.–7:00 P.M.

Academic Year:

- **Reading Rooms/Circulation Desk:** Sunday–Wednesday, 9:00 A.M.–8:30 P.M., Thursday, 9:00 A.M.–7:00 P.M.
- **Media/Periodicals:** Sunday–Wednesday, 9:00 A.M.–8:30 P.M., Thursday, 9:00 A.M.–7:00 P.M.

Circulation Desk: Tel. 02-5882124/5

Reserve Desk: Tel. 02-5881501

Reference Desk: Tel. 02-5881587

Additional University Libraries

Archaeology Library, Mount Scopus, Tel. 02-5882415

Berman National Medical Library, Ein Kerem, Tel. 02-6758790

Earth Science Library, Givat Ram, Tel. 02-6584687

Education & Social Work Library, Mount Scopus, Tel. 02-5882066,
02-5883285

Harman Science Library, Givat Ram, Tel. 02-6584376

Law Library, Mount Scopus, Tel. 02-5882587

Mathematics & Computer Science Library, Givat Ram, Tel. 6584379

Truman Research Institute Library, Mount Scopus, Tel. 02-5882320

Judah L. Berger Memorial Library/Mekler-Benenson Families Reference Library, Boyar Building

This library, which has been dedicated by the Berger and Mekler and Benenson families, is located on the first floor of the Boyar Building. It includes a reading room with reserve book service, as well as lending library services.

The catalog is computerized and linked to the *Aleph* network, enabling students to search other university catalogs as well. Access to other databases and the Internet is also available.

Only students enrolled at the Rothberg International School are entitled to borrow books from this library, which contains publications in several languages, including English, French, Spanish, Russian and Hebrew.

Reserve books may be borrowed overnight, two hours before closing. These books may be borrowed for the weekend on Thursday afternoon until Sunday morning.

Non-reserve books may be borrowed for one or two weeks, depending on the demand.

Regular Hours during the Academic Year:*

Sunday-Wednesday 9:00 A.M.–9:45 P.M.

Thursday 9:00 A.M.–7:45 P.M.

Summer Hours:*

Sunday-Wednesday, 9:00 A.M.–7:45 P.M.

Thursday, 9:00 A.M.–5:45 P.M.

**These hours are subject to change.*

Note: External Ulpan students can only use the RIS library and may borrow two books at a time. At the end of the Ulpan, they must receive a clearance form from the library saying they do not owe any books, before they can receive their grades.



A Selection of Libraries in Jerusalem

- Beit Ha'am Central Municipal Library, 11 Bezalel St., Tel. 02-6256785; Sunday-Thursday, 10:00 A.M.–6:45 P.M.
- Israel Museum Library Tel. 02-6708886; Monday, Wednesday & Thursday, 10:00 A.M.–4:00 P.M., Tuesdays, 4:00-8:00 P.M.
- American Center Library, 19 Keren Hayesod, Tel. 02-6252376; Sunday-Thursday, 10:00 A.M.–4:00 P.M. Friday, 9:00 A.M.–12:00 noon.
- The American Jewish Committee Library, Beit Moses, 11 Mesilat Yesharim St., Tel. 02-6255281; Sunday-Thursday 8:30 A.M.–2:00 P.M. (*Visitors are advised to call in advance.*)

Photocopying on Campus

Two photocopying machines, which may be used during library hours, are located adjacent to the library on the first floor of the Boyar Building. The machines can be operated by using a photocopying card, which can be purchased in the Mexico Building, next to the Frank Sinatra cafeteria, or in the Forum.

The Student Union operates an extensive photocopying service in the Mexico Building, including color copiers and binding. Students may leave the material they want photocopied. Photocopying services are also available opposite the Academon general store adjacent to the Forum and in the Bloomfield Library for the Humanities and Social Sciences.

Digital photocopying in black and white or color is also available from the Office Services Unit on the middle level of the Forum. Here various types of binding are also available (e.g. spiral, ribbon), as well as typesetting and printing services, including graphic design.

The Forum

The Forum is the center of the University's Mount Scopus campus and the hub that physically connects the faculties of Social Sciences, Humanities and Law, the schools of Education, Social Work and Business Administration and the libraries.

The Forum serves some 25,000 students, faculty, staff and visitors, who arrive at and leave Mount Scopus by public transportation every day. In addition, the Forum is a traditional meeting place for students.

In recent years, the University has developed the Forum as a commercial and service center for the benefit of the students.

In the Forum you can find:

Upper Forum *Academon General Store*
Coffee Bar
Photocopy Machines/Service
Photo Booth
Automatic Teller Machine (ATM)
Stands selling a variety of merchandise, services and tickets

Middle Forum *Post Office* including postal bank
Grilled Meat Bar
Bank (Discount Campus) and ATMs
Media Shop: fax service, photography supplies, passport photos, photo development, CD/DVD conversions
Travel Agency (Ayala)
University Office Services: printing, photocopying, binding, and graphic design

Lower Forum *Minimarket*
Jewelry Shop
Beauty Salon
Optician: vision exams, eyeglasses, sunglasses, contact lenses and cleaning solutions
Student Travel Agency (ISSTA)
Bus Terminal

Bureaucracy in Israel

Visas

- **B/2 (Tourist) Visa.** A person who holds a valid foreign passport may enter Israel as a tourist (B/2 visa). Citizens of the United States, Canada, Mexico, South Africa and most European and South American countries do not need to request a tourist visa in advance. A B/2 Tourist visa issued at the port of entry is valid for a 90-day period, and may be extended for periods of three to six months by the Ministry of the Interior, for a total period of 27 months. To renew a tourist visa, an appointment must be made in advance at the Ministry's Regional Population Administration Office. Appointments can be requested by telephone (02-6290239 between 8:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M.) or fax (02-6290232), including name, address and telephone number. Several students can request an appointment together. Students should bring to the interview a letter from the University attesting to their enrollment, their foreign passport, which must be valid for the six months beyond the period of the visa extension requested, and one passport-size photo. The fee for extending a tourist visa is NIS 145. Upon renewing a tourist visas, the student should request a multiple-entry visa, to simplify the process of going abroad. It is the individual student's responsibility to renew his or her visa. Note that without a multiple-entry visa, upon returning to Israel from a visit to Egypt, including Sinai, you may receive only a one-month tourist visa.
- **A/2 (Student) Visa.** A student may exchange his or her B/2 Tourist visa for an A/2 Student visa at a Regional Population Administration office of the Ministry of the Interior in Israel. The student visa is good for one year and can be extended for the duration of the student's studies. In order to receive an A/2 visa, the student must present an official letter from an education institution confirming that he/she has been admitted to studies, has paid tuition and has sufficient means of support for his/her upkeep during the period of studies. For students who have completed a year of study and wish to continue for an additional year, a transcript of grades is required. The student's foreign passport must be valid for the full period of the visa. Married students should bring the passports of the other

family members as well. One passport size photo must be submitted. The fee for a student visa is NIS 145. Student visas are granted for multiple entries.

➔ ***Oleh* (New Immigrant) Visa.** Persons who are entitled to enter Israel under the Law of Return qualify for this visa. Persons who enter Israel on an *Oleh* visa or who switch their status to that of *Oleh* while in Israel are automatically granted Israeli citizenship after three months, unless they declare that they do not want Israeli citizenship. New immigrants may work, obtain income tax and customs concessions, and be subject to perform military service. *Oleh* students may be eligible for financial aid from the Student Authority. It is recommended that students planning to request *Oleh* status consult an advisor at the Student Authority or one of the immigrant associations. While Israel recognizes the right of persons to hold dual citizenship, not all countries do; therefore, one should check thoroughly the laws of his/her native country.

For further information and advice, contact the program advisor or the Student Authority: 15 Hillel St., Jerusalem, Tel. 02-6214555.

Ministry of the Interior, Regional Population Administration, Jerusalem:

1 Shlomzion Hamalka St., Jerusalem.

Nationwide information: Tel. *3450 (in Hebrew)

Hours: Sunday-Thursday 8:00 A.M.–12:00 noon.

New immigrants are also received Monday and Wednesday afternoons, 2:30 P.M.–5:30 P.M.

Important: A fine is charged to those who fail to extend their visa by the expiration date.

Driving

New immigrants (*olim*), tourists and returning Israeli residents (who have lived abroad for at least one whole consecutive year) may use their foreign driver's license while driving in Israel for one year from the day of arrival in the country.

Olim may convert their license within three years from their *Aliyah* date or from the day they were awarded their *Oleh* status. Tourists living in Israel may convert their license within one year from their date of arrival in the country.

Requirements for converting a foreign driver's license to an Israeli driver's license:

1. Original, valid foreign driver's license, issued at least six months before the date of entry into Israel.
2. Medical and eye examinations.
3. Pass a "control capability" driving test (if you had a valid license for at least two years prior to entering the country, you may request an exemption from this test).
4. Passport proving residence abroad at the time your license was issued and showing the date of your entry into Israel.

Apply in person at one of the Ministry of Transportation Licensing Bureaus in Jerusalem:

- 1 Hatnufa St. (Beit Carasso), Talpiot Industrial Area
Hours: Sunday-Thursday, 8:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M., Sunday and Tuesday afternoons, 3:30-6:30 P.M., Buses: 12, 14, 30, 48, 49
- 97 Jaffa St. (Clal Building)
Hours: Sunday-Thursday, 8:00 A.M.–1:30 P.M.

Places where you can be photographed for your license:

- *Roim 6:6*, Jerusalem Pearl Hotel, 15 Jaffa St.
- *Roim 6:6*, 19 Yad Harutzim St., Talpiot Industrial Area
- *Markowitz Optician*, Jerusalem Mall, Malcha, by the Rotem Gate

Nationwide telephone service for general information and to renew Israeli driving licenses: 1-222-56-78 or *5678

Hints for New Drivers in Israel

- According to Israeli law, all passengers in automobiles, in both the front and the back seats, must fasten their seat belts at all times.
- During November 1-April 1, headlights must be lit all hours of the day when driving on intercity roads.
- Weekdays usually until 7:00 P.M. (in some areas the hour is earlier or later) in certain areas of the city you should have coins ready for the municipal parking meters or nearby machines selling parking receipts, which must be placed in the car window nearest the curb. In these areas, the curb is usually painted blue and white (it is forbidden to park alongside curbs painted red and white) and there is a sign near the corner explaining the parking rules on the particular street. A more convenient alternative is “Easy Park,” a prepaid digital parking card, which may be purchased at various gas stations and other outlets. It is valid throughout the country and comes with detailed instructions.

Note: Persons officially residing on a street with restricted parking may obtain a resident sticker for a motor vehicle officially registered in their name. Cars parked illegally risk being towed or ticketed.

Parking on Campus

Residents of student housing are entitled to free parking in their complex’s parking lot. A parking sticker must be obtained from the University’s Security Department. The new parking garage in the Scopus Student Village is expected to open this year.

Students must pay for parking around the campus. They may choose from the following discounted payment plans – annual, semester or monthly – or pay daily or hourly rates. Note that parking on Churchill St. (Regency Hotel-Hadassah-Hebrew University) and in the parking lots of certain housing complexes is not included in the student parking arrangements.

Embassies and Consulates

Country	Address	Telephone
Argentina	85 Medinat Hayehudim, Herzliya	09-9702743
Australia	37 Shaul Hamelech, Tel Aviv	03-6935000
Austria	12 Hahilazon, Ramat Gan	03-6120924
Belgium (Consulate)	5 Biber St., Jerusalem	02-5828263
Brazil	2 Kaplan St., Tel Aviv	03-6919292
Britain (Embassy)	192 Hayarkon St., Tel Aviv	03-7251222
(Consulate)	19 Nashashibi St., Jerusalem	02-5414100
Canada	3 Nirim St, Tel Aviv	03-6363300
China	222 Ben Yehuda St., Tel Aviv	03-5467277
Colombia	111 Arlozorov St., Tel Aviv	03-6953416
Costa Rica	14 Abba Hillel St., Ramat Gan	03-6135061
Czech Republic	23 Zeitlin St., Tel Aviv	03-6918282
Denmark (Consulate)	5 Bnai Brith St., Jerusalem	02-6258083
Egypt (Consulate)	54 Basel St., Tel Aviv	03-5464151
El Salvador	6 Hamada., Herzliya Pituach	09-9556237
Ethiopia	48 Menachem Begin Rd, Tel Aviv	03-6397831
France (Embassy)	112 Herbert Samuel, Tel Aviv	03-5208300
(Consulate)	2 Emile Botta St., Jerusalem	02-6259481
Germany	3 Daniel Frish St., Tel Aviv	03-6931313
Greece (Consulate)	31 Rachel Imenu St, Jerusalem	02-5619583/4
Holland	4 Weizmann, Beit Asia, Tel Aviv	03-7523150
Italy (Embassy)	25 Hamered St., Tel Aviv	03-5104080
(Consulate)	16 Kaf Tet November, Jerusalem	02-5618966
Japan	4 Weizmann, Beit Asia, Tel Aviv	03-6957292
Latvia	2 Weizmann, Tel Aviv	03-7775800
Lithuania	50 Dizengoff St., Tel Aviv	03-5288514
Korea	38 Chen St., Tel Aviv	03-6963244
Mexico	25 Hamered St., Tel Aviv	03-5163938
Moldova	7 Havakuk St., Tel Aviv	03-6040014
Norway	40 Einstein, Kanion Ramat Aviv	03-7441490
Romania	24 Adam Hacoheh St., Tel Aviv	03-5244644

Country	Address	Telephone
Russia (Consulate)	1 Ben Yehudah St., Tel Aviv	03-5101020
South Africa	50 Dizengoff St., Tel Aviv	03-5252566
Spain (Consulate)	53 Ramban, Jerusalem	02-5633473
Sweden (Consulate)	58 Nablus Road, Jerusalem	02-5828212
Switzerland	228 Hayarkon St.	03-5464455
Turkey (Consulate)	87 Nablus Road, Jerusalem	02-5910555
Ukraine	50 Yermiyahu St., Tel Aviv	03-6040242
United States (Embassy)	71 Hayarkon, Tel Aviv	03-5197575
(Consulate)	27 Nablus Road, Jerusalem	02-6253288
<i>(The U.S. consulate on Nablus Road processes visas and passports, and handles all personal matters of U.S. citizens residing in Jerusalem. Check their website: <http://jerusalem.usconsulate.gov>.)</i>		
Uruguay	73 Nordau St., Herzliya Bet	09-9569612
Uzbekistan	4 Matel Aharon St., Ramat Gan	03-5796026

It is recommended that students register with the embassy or consulate of their home country. Lost or stolen passports should be reported immediately to the appropriate consulate and the local police.

Immigrant Organizations

The following immigrant organizations facilitate the integration of newcomers from the same country of origin by providing counseling, general information, legal advice, employment leads, and help with visa problems, various bureaucratic matters, consumer issues, etc.

⇒ **AACI – Association of Americans and Canadians in Israel**

11 Pinsker St., Jerusalem; Tel. 02-5617151

The AACI offers members a wide range of social programs, support groups, young adult social events and expert counseling on employment, housing, consumer problems, education, immigrant benefits, loans, taxes, culture shock, etc. Call in advance for an appointment with a counselor. A hot line is available several times a week, Sunday-Thursday, 12:15-1:15 P.M.

Reception hours: Sunday-Thursday, 8:30 A.M.–4:00 P.M.

⇒ **UJIA Israel (British, South Africans, Australians, New Zealanders and Scandinavians)**

11 Pinsker St., Jerusalem; Tel. 02-5634822; ronen@ujia.org.il

Reception hours: Sunday-Thursday, 9:00 A.M.–3:00 P.M. Appointment necessary.

Army

Serving in the Israel Defense Forces (IDF)

Israel's Defense Service law requires all Israeli citizens and permanent residents to serve in the Israel Defense Forces. New immigrants (*Olim*) are usually called up only after they have resided in Israel for twelve months. Every *Oleh* must report to the draft board within six months following the date on which he acquired *Oleh* status, regardless of whether or not he has received an "Order to Report for Registration" (*Tzav Gius*) by mail. *Oleh* students may be eligible for a student deferment.

If you have the status of *Oleh* and need information on your rights and obligations, contact:

IDF Recruiting Office

103 Rashi St. (Room 25), Mevor Baruch, Jerusalem,

Tel. 02-5007000

Website: www.aka.idf.il/giyus

Hours: Sunday-Thursday, 7:30 A.M.–5:00 P.M.

This office can answer questions regarding:

- ➔ The length of military service for various age groups and marital statuses.
- ➔ Reserve duty.
- ➔ The Academic Reserves (*Atudah Bet*), whereby students postpone active military service until the completion of their degree.
- ➔ Military service of female immigrants.
- ➔ Permission from the IDF to leave the country for a vacation, business trip, or an extended period of time.

Living in Jerusalem

Getting Around

Buses in Jerusalem



The Egged bus system in Jerusalem is fairly convenient. Tickets for rides within the city can be purchased from the bus drivers. Various ticket options exist, but those listed below are the most relevant for students. *The prices listed are subject to change.*

- **Single ride ticket** NIS 5.50.
- **Transfer ticket**, allowing the rider to transfer to another Egged city bus within one hour NIS 6.30
- **10-ride ticket** NIS 44.
- **Unlimited monthly bus pass** (*hofshi-hodshi*) for all Egged lines in the city of Jerusalem NIS 216. More expensive versions can be purchased that include the suburbs (e.g., Maalei Adumim, Mevasseret, Beit Shemesh, Gush Etzion, Givat Zeev).

During the past academic year, the new **Student Bus Pass** was instituted for students at the Hebrew University. Students can purchase a semester (5 month) pass or an annual pass, allowing unlimited rides on Egged buses within Jerusalem.

There is no public bus service in Jerusalem during Shabbat. Buses stop running on Friday approximately one hour before Shabbat begins and start running again on Saturday evening shortly after the end of *Shabbat*.

Information sheets on intercity routes originating in Jerusalem, can be obtained at the information booth in the Central Bus Station

The main bus routes to the Mount Scopus campus are as follows:

- 48 Katamon, German Colony, King George, Shmuel Hanavi, Ramat Eshkol, French Hill, Mount Scopus. (Runs until 8:40 P.M.; no service on Saturday night)
- 19 Hadassah, Ein Kerem, Kiryat Hayovel, Rehavia, King George, Bar Lev, Mount Scopus.
- 23 Ramat Denya, Mt. Herzl, Central Bus Station, Jaffa Rd., Damascus Gate, Sheikh Jarrah, Mount Scopus.
- 26 Kiryat Hayovel, Bayit Vegan, Beit Hakerem, Kiryat Moshe, Romema, Ramat Eshkol, Mount Scopus.

28 Givat Ram, Central Bus Station, Bar Ilan, Ramat Eshkol, French Hill, Mount Scopus. (Runs until 10:00 P.M.; no service on Saturday night.)

30 Gilo, Hebron Road, Damascus Gate, Bar Lev, Mount Scopus.

42 Hadassah Ein Kerem, Tzomet Pat, Givat Ram, Mount Scopus.

46 Neve Yaakov, Pisgat Zeev, Mount Scopus

University Shuttle Buses

Between the Mount Scopus Campus and the Edmond J. Safra Campus

During the academic year, on school days, the Hebrew University operates **free, direct bus service** between the Mount Scopus campus and the Edmond J. Safra campus, Givat Ram, for students and staff. A student ID card or employee card must be presented upon boarding. For an updated time schedule, check bulletin boards around the campus. The bus leaves Mount Scopus from the bus tunnel and picks up passengers at the bus stations outside the Hadassah University Hospital and the Scopus Student Village. In the opposite direction, the bus leaves Givat Ram from the hi-tech campus and then from the main entrance to the Edmond J. Safra campus.

Between the Mount Scopus Campus and the Scopus Student Village

During the regular academic year, on school days, a free shuttle bus runs between the bus tunnel on the Mount Scopus campus and the Scopus Student Village every 15 minutes, Sunday-Thursday, 6:00 P.M.–9:00 P.M. A student ID card or employee card must be presented upon boarding.

Scopus Student Village to Ein Kerem Campus

During the academic year, on school days, the Hebrew University operates **free, direct bus service, Bus 72**, between the Scopus Student Village and the Ein Kerem campus. A student ID card must be presented upon boarding.

Hours: From the Student Village – Sunday 9:15 A.M.,

Monday-Thursday 7:30 A.M.

From Ein Kerem – Sunday-Thursday 5:15 P.M.

New Jerusalem Night Lines

In July, six new night bus lines were launched between various neighborhoods in and around Jerusalem and the downtown and Talpiot

nightlife centers. **Bus 121**, commencing in Maalei Adumim, will stop at French Hill and Mount Scopus on its way to downtown Jerusalem (Jaffa Road), the German Colony (Emek Refaim) and the Talpiot entertainment district. Bus 121 departs Maalei Adumim every half hour (on the hour) between 10:00 P.M. and 1:00 A.M., and returns from Talpiot every half hour (on the hour) between 12:00 midnight and 3:00 A.M. Until August 31, the bus will run every night except Friday. From September, it will be operated on Thursday and Saturday nights.

Buses to Jerusalem Neighborhoods:

Baka	7, 21
Bayit Vegan	16, 21, 24, 33, 39
Beit Hakerem	13,14, 17, 18, 20, 21, 23, 26, 27, 39
Downtown	3, 6, 7, 8, 11, 13, 14, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 27, 38
East Talpiot	8, 12
Ein Kerem	12, 17, 19, 27, 42 (infrequent route)
French Hill	4, 4 8 , 28
German Colony	4, 4 8 , 14, 18, 24, 49 (infrequent route)
Gilo	30, 31, 32, 33
Givat Masua	12, 13
Givat Mordechai	6
Givat Ram	9, 24, 28, 28 8 , 42 (infrequent route)
Har Nof	2, 11, 15, 33, 35
Jaffa Gate	3, 20, 23, 27
Jewish Quarter	1, 2, 38
Kiryat Hayovel	18, 19, 20, 23, 24, 26, 27
Mount Scopus route), 46	4 8 , 23, 26, 26 8 , 28, 28 8 , 30, 42 (infrequent
Neve Ya'akov	25, 25 8 , 41, 46, 49 (infrequent route)
Ramat Eshkol	4, 4 8 , 25, 26, 28, 39, 41, 45
Ramat Rachel	7
Ramat	16, 34, 35, 36, 40
Rehavia	9, 17, 19, 31, 32
Pisgat Zeev	8, 22, 46, 48, 49 (infrequent route)
Pisgat Zeev East	6
Talpiot (Arnona)	7
Talpiot (Shopping Area)	12, 14, 30, 49 (infrequent route)

Inter-City Buses

Egged buses offer relatively inexpensive public transportation to all parts of the country. Students holding an International Student ID card or a Hebrew University student card may receive a 10% discount on most intercity bus rides (costing more than NIS 21).

- **Express bus 480** leaves the Jerusalem Central Bus Station every 15 minutes for the Arlozorov St. Train Station in northern Tel Aviv. The last bus departs Tel Aviv for Jerusalem at 1:00 A.M.
- **Express bus 405** to the Tel Aviv Central Bus Station leaves Jerusalem every 10-15 minutes from the Jerusalem Central Bus Station. The last bus departs Tel Aviv for Jerusalem at 12:15 A.M.

Egged Information Center: Tel. 03-6948888 or *2800 from all telephones: Sunday-Thursday 6:30 A.M.–9:00 P.M., Friday and holiday eves 7:30 A.M.–3:00 P.M., Saturday night 9:00 P.M.–11:00 P.M.

You can also check the Egged website for information on intercity buses and tourist information: <www.egged.co.il> (in Hebrew; English and Russian).

A major provider of bus transportation in the Greater Tel Aviv area is the Dan Bus Cooperative. Check: <www.dan.co.il> (in Hebrew; English and Russian).

Dan Bus Information: Tel. 03-6394444: Sunday-Thursday 6:00 A.M.–8:00 P.M., Friday and holiday eves 6:00 A.M.–3:00 P.M., Saturday night 6:00 P.M.–10:00 P.M.

Inter-City Taxi (*Sherut*) Service

Sherut taxi service, in which the passenger pays a flat rate for an individual seat in a taxi, operates regularly between Jerusalem and Tel Aviv, Ben-Gurion Airport, Bnei Brak, Haifa, Beersheba and Eilat. Fares are reasonable, often similar to intercity bus fares. *Sherut* service to Tel Aviv is also available on *Shabbat* from the vicinity of the Central Bus Station and from Jaffa Road across from Zion Square.

Sherut Co.	Location	Telephone	Destination
Hauma	214 Jaffa Road	02-5389999	Tel Aviv
Geula	20 Strauss St.	02-6251222	Bnei Brak
Habira	3 Rav Kook St.	02-6254545	Tel Aviv (7 days)
Nesher	23 Ben Yehuda	02-6257227	Ben-Gurion Airport

City Taxi Service

Several taxi companies in Jerusalem work on a 24-hour basis, some including Shabbat. A taxi (*monit* in Hebrew) may be ordered by phone. In the city, fares are calculated by an electronic meter, which operates according to Tariff 1 (5:30 A.M.–8:59 P.M.) or Tariff 2 (9:00 P.M.–5:29 A.M. as well as *Shabbat* and holidays). For locations outside the city, fares are generally agreed upon in advance. Note that taxi drivers are required by law to use the meter, and if you request the driver must give you an official receipt from the electronic meter. These are just a sample of the Taxi companies in Jerusalem.

Taxi Company	Location	Telephone
Gilo*	Leshem 1	02-6765888
HaGiva*	32 Lehi 5823333	02-5821111,
Hapisga	Bayit Vegan	02-6421111, 6422222
Hapalmach*	20 Shai Agnon	02-6793333
Israel*	11 Hahistadrut	02-6252333, *2282
Rehavia*	3 Agron	02-6254444
Romema	9 Yirmiyahu	02-5385555
Smadar	Emek Refaim	02-5661235
Tsomet	3 Zalman Aranne	02-5826666

*These companies operate on *Shabbat*.

Note: In certain neighborhoods, taxis provide *sherut* service within Jerusalem on Shabbat. The *sherut* follows a set route, similar to existing bus routes, to and from the center of town, picking up passengers for a set fee per person.

Inter-City Train Service

After a six-year suspension, Israel Railways reinstated service to Jerusalem in April 2005. The historic scenic route between Jerusalem and Tel Aviv was rebuilt and upgraded and a new train station opened in Malcha, near the Jerusalem Mall, replacing the old station in Abu Tor. Unfortunately, passengers have to change trains in Bet Shemesh for the

Central Tel Aviv train station or the Kfar Saba/Hod Hasharon station, and the trip is significantly longer than a bus ride.

Egged buses that stop at the Malcha train station include 4, 4~~8~~ (from Mount Scopus), 6, 18 and 24 (from Givat Ram).

For information about the route, stations, and fares, check the Israel Railways website <www.israrail.org.il> or call: Tel. 03-6117000 or *5770, Sunday-Thursday: 6:00 A.M.–11:00 P.M., Friday: 6:00 A.M.–3:00 P.M., Saturday evening: from departure of the first train to 12:00 midnight.

One-way student fare: NIS 17 to Tel Aviv, NIS 27.50 to Kfar Saba/Hod Hasharon (subject to change)

In October 2004, a new line from Tel Aviv to Terminal 3 at Ben-Gurion International Airport was opened. This line will continue as a brand new high speed line to Jerusalem, and a new underground station beneath the Jerusalem Central Bus Station will be opened. Construction is expected to be completed in 2011. The ride between Jerusalem and Tel Aviv on this line will take 28 minutes.

Jerusalem Light Rail System: Under Construction

In recent years, intensive construction, creating noise, dirt, and traffic jams, has been taking place all over Jerusalem. In addition to the construction of several new roads and tunnels, major arteries have been dug up to renew and upgrade the infrastructure for the creation of a continuous route exclusively for public transportation. The first line of Jerusalem's light rail system is now scheduled to be inaugurated in 2009. This 14-kilometer line will run from Pisgat Zeev to Mount Herzl through Jaffa Road. On the way to Jaffa Road from Pisgat Zeev there will be stops at French Hill, Ammunition Hill, and Damascus Gate (the Old City). Construction work for laying tracks and building stations along the first line is currently taking place.

Seeing Jerusalem

A Tourist Information Center is located inside Jaffa Gate, Tel. 02-6271422. Reception hours: Sunday-Thursday 8:30 A.M.–5:00 P.M., Friday 8:30 A.M.–1:30 P.M.

Note that students are entitled to discounts upon presenting a student card at the entrance to many of the places listed below.

The New City

⊗ **Biblical Zoo:** A modern, innovative, open-space zoo, including exhibits of rare animals mentioned in the Bible. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M. (7:00 P.M. in summer), Friday 9:00 A.M.–4:30 P.M. (earlier closing in winter), Saturday 10:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M. (6:00 P.M. in summer). Tel. 02-6750111. Fee (discount with student card). Bus 12, 26, 33.

⊗ **Chagall Windows:** In the synagogue at the Hadassah University Hospital, Ein Kerem. These beautiful stained-glass windows depict the 12 tribes of Israel. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 8:00 A.M.–1:15 P.M., 2:00–3:45 P.M. Tel. 02-6776271. Fee. Bus 12, 19, 27, 42.

⊗ **Jerusalem City Hall:** Guided tours Mondays and Thursdays at 10:00 A.M. in Hebrew, English and Russian. Safra Square. Fee. Bus 1, 3, 6, 13, 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, 30.

⊗ **Jerusalem Forest:** This is a picnicker's paradise. Bus 6, 18, 21.

⊗ **Knesset:** Israel's Parliament. You can sit in on a session on Monday and Tuesday from 4:00 P.M. or on Wednesday from 11:00 A.M. You must bring your passport or *teudat zehut* to enter. Guided tours can be arranged in advance for Sunday and Thursday 8:30 A.M.–2:30 P.M. Tel. 02-6753420. Bus 32N.

⊗ **Liberty Bell Park** (*Gan Hapa'amon*): Contains a replica of the Liberty Bell. Recently renovated. It is a beautiful place to sit on *Shabbat*, picnic with friends and watch families. Bus 4, 4N, 7, 8, 14, 18, 21

⊗ **Mahane Yehuda:** This is Israel! Buy your fresh vegetables and fruits here. Delicious sweet *challah* sold at the Marzipan bakery. Open daily, except *Shabbat*, until sunset. Bus 3, 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, 18, 20, 21, 23, 25, 48.

⊗ **Mea She'arim:** Whether it reminds you of Borough Park or Stamford Hill, this is one of the oldest Jewish neighborhoods outside the Old City. You must dress modestly when visiting. Women must cover their arms and should not wear pants. Men should cover their heads. Less than a ten-minute walk from the center of town. Bus 1, 4, 4N, 9, 11, 15.

☞ **Monastery of the Cross:** In the Valley of the Cross, between Rehavia and the Israel Museum. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–4:00 P.M., Friday 9:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M.

☞ **Mount Herzl:** Military cemetery and Herzl's grave. Many important heads of state, including Yitzhak Rabin, are buried here. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 8:00 A.M.–7:00 P.M. Tel. 02-6511108. Bus 18, 23, 26.

☞ **Promenade, Haas and Sherover (*Hatayelet*):** Panoramic view of the Old City, Mount of Olives, Mount Scopus and downtown Jerusalem, with many paths and extensive gardening. Bus 8, 12

☞ **Supreme Court:** Free tour Sunday-Thursday at 11:00 A.M. in Hebrew and at 12:00 noon (July-August at 1:00 P.M.). In English, Sunday, Tuesday-Thursday 8:30 A.M.–2:30 P.M. Tel. 02-6759612/3. Bus 9, 24

☞ **Tombs of the Sanhedrin:** Burial caves from the Second Temple period. *Hours:* Sunday-Friday 9:00 A.M.–sunset. Bus 2, 9, 26.

☞ **Yemin Moshe:** The first Jewish neighborhood outside the Old City walls, established by Sir Moses Montefiore. Today this picturesque neighborhood is full of beautiful homes and art galleries. Especially scenic at twilight. Includes the Windmill Museum. Bus 4, 4~~8~~, 6, 7, 8, 18, 21, 38.

Museums

☞ **Ammunition Hill (*Givat Hatachmoshet*):** This was the most fortified position in Jerusalem during the Six Day war. It now serves as the memorial to those who died in the battle to recapture the city. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 8:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M., Friday 8:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M. Fee. <www.givathatachmosht.org.il> Tel. 02-5828442 Bus 4, 4~~8~~, 26, 28, 30.

☞ **Bible Lands Museum:** View the migration of the Hebrew people in the fertile crescent and the Exodus from Egypt through artifacts and quotes from the Bible. Saturday night concerts. *Hours:* Sunday-Tuesday, Thursday 9:30 A.M.–5:30 P.M., Wednesday 9:30 A.M.–9:30 P.M., Friday & holiday eves 9:30 A.M.–2:00 P.M. Tel. 02-5611066. <www.blmj.org> Fee. Bus 9, 17, 24, 24~~8~~.

☞ **Bloomfield Science Museum:** Hands-on exhibits. *Hours:* Monday-Thursday 10:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M., Friday 10:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M. Saturday 10:00 A.M.–3:00 P.M., Tel. 02-6544888. Fee. <www.mada.org.il> Bus 9, 24, 28.

⊗ **Herzl Museum:** New museum tells the story of the man behind the Zionist dream. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 8:45 A.M.–3:15 P.M., Friday 8:45 A.M.–12:15 P.M. Fee. Tel. 02-6433266 <www.herzl.org.il> Bus 6, 14, 18, 20, 23, 27, 33.

⊗ **Israel Museum:** *Note: The museum is currently undergoing substantial renovations and not all pavilions are open.* The museum's world-class collections range from prehistoric archaeology to contemporary art, and there are many dynamic temporary exhibitions. It houses the most extensive archaeology collection in Israel, displaying more than 10,000 years of habitation in the fertile crescent area. The Shrine of the Book displays the Dead Sea Scrolls. The Weisbrod Pavilion and Billy Rose Sculpture Garden display Rodin, Henry Moore and Picasso. The museum houses the world's largest collections of Judaica and the ethnology of the Jewish people. Audioguides are included in the entrance fee. *Hours:* Sunday, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday 10:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M.; Tuesday 4:00 P.M.–9:00 P.M. (August 10:00 A.M.–9:00 P.M.); Friday and holiday eves 10:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M. Tel. 02-6708811. Fee. <www.imj.org.il> Bus 9, 17, 24, 24⌘.

⊗ **L.A. Mayer Museum for Islamic Art:** Displays a significant collection of miniatures, paintings, and artifacts from the Islamic world. *Hours:* Sunday, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 10:00 A.M.–3:00 P.M., Tuesday 10:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M., Friday, Saturday and holiday eves 10:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M. Tel. 02-5661292. Fee. <www.islamicart.co.il/default-eng.asp> Bus 13.

⊗ **Menachem Begin Heritage Museum:** *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M. (Tuesday till 7:00 P.M.), Friday and holiday eves 9:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M. Tel. 02-5652020. Fee. <www.begincenter.org.il> Bus 4, 4⌘, 7, 8, 14, 18, 21, 30.

⊗ **Museum of Natural History:** Exhibit of birds, beasts, and human anatomy. *Hours:* Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday 9:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M., Monday and Wednesday 9:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M., Saturday 10:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M. Tel. 02-5631116. Fee. Bus 4, 4⌘, 14, 18.

⊗ **Museum of the Resistance Prisoners:** History of the imprisoned Hagana, Etzel and Lehi underground fighters during the struggle against the British, in the prison building from the Mandate period. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M., Tel. 6233166. Bus 18, 19, 20, 21, 23.

☞ **Museum on the Seam:** Sociopolitical, contemporary art museum. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M., Friday, 9:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M., Tel. 02-6281278. Fee. <www.coeistence.art.museum/eng/index.asp> Bus 2, 6, 23, 30.

☞ **Nahon Museum of Italian Jewish Art.** Contains a wide range of Italian Judaica. *Hours:* Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday 9:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M.; Monday 9:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M.; Thursday, Friday 9:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M. Tel. 02-6241610. <www.jija.org> Bus 18, 19, 20, 21, 23.

☞ **Rockefeller Archeological Museum:** Houses the collection of archeological finds of Israel before 1948. *Hours:* Sunday-Monday, Wednesday-Thursday 10:00 A.M.–3:00 P.M., Saturday and holiday eves 10:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M. <www.imj.org.il/eng/branches/rockefeller/history.html> Tel. 02-6708011. Bus 1, 2

☞ **Ticho House:** An exhibit of life in Jerusalem at the turn of the century. Anna Ticho's art work is also on exhibit. Lovely dairy restaurant with garden. *Hours:* Sunday, Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 10:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M., Tuesday 10:00 A.M.–10:00 P.M., Friday 10:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M. Tel. 02-6245068. Bus 4, 48, 9, 18, 20, 21, 23.

☞ **Wolfson Museum, Heichal Shlomo:** Important Judaica collection, also featuring miniature models of important events in Jewish history. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–3:00 P.M., Tel. 02-6247908. Bus 4, 48, 7, 8, 9, 14, 31, 32.

☞ **Yad Vashem:** The Holocaust Martyrs' and Heroes' Remembrance Authority. New Holocaust History Museum recently opened. Take your time and be sure to visit the Art Museum, Children's Memorial and the Hall of Remembrance. *Museum Hours:* Sunday-Wednesday 9:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M., Thursday 9:00 A.M.–8:00 P.M., Friday and holiday eves 9:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M. Tel. 02-6443400. <www.yadvashem.org.il> Bus 2, 6, 13, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26, 27, 33, 39.

The Old City

☞ **Burnt House:** The remains of the dwelling of a wealthy priestly family in the Second Temple era. This building provides direct evidence of the destruction of the upper city of Jerusalem in 70 C.E. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–4:30 P.M., Friday 9:00 A.M.–12:30 P.M. Fee. Bus 1, 2, 38.

☞ **Cardo:** This was the main thoroughfare in the Roman times and is believed to have reached from Damascus Gate to David Street. The

stones still show scars from the Roman chariots. After sunset the Cardo is open and illuminated until 11:00 P.M.

⊗ **Church of the Holy Sepulchre:** This church was built on the site of the crucifixion and contains the last stations of the cross. Tel. 02-6273314. Bus 1, 38.

⊗ **Church of St. Anne:** This church commemorates the birthplace of Mary, mother of Jesus. It is one of the best preserved examples of Crusader architecture in Israel. *Hours:* Monday-Saturday 8:00 A.M.–12:00 noon and 2:30 P.M.–6:00 P.M.

⊗ **City of David Visitors Center:** Contains First Temple period sections of Jerusalem; located near the exit from the Dung Gate. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M., Friday 9:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M. Tel. 1-800-252423. Fee, Bus 1, 2, 38.

⊗ **Davidson Center–Jerusalem Archaeological Park:** Temple Mount excavation site near the Dung Gate. On view are 22 strata, representing 12 different periods in Jerusalem's history. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 8:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M., Friday 8:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M. Fee. Tel. 02-6277550, Bus 1, 2, 38.

⊗ **Dome of the Rock and al-Aqsa Mosque:** Built on the Temple Mount, where the First and Second Temples stood, they are considered the third holiest Muslim site after Mecca and Medina. According to tradition, this is where Abraham went to bind Isaac and where Mohammed began his mystical journey to heaven. Entrance is not permitted at this time.

⊗ **Domitium Abbey:** Current fort-like building was built in the early 1900s on the site where, according to Christian tradition, Mary slipped into everlasting sleep. Religious concerts sometimes held here. Tel. 02-6719927, Bus 1, 2.

⊗ **Gethsemane and the Church of All Nations** (also known as the Basilica of the Agony). Many countries contributed to the construction of this church. Tel. 02-6284371.

⊗ **Hurva Synagogue:** This 19th-century synagogue was destroyed in the 1948 War of Independence, but a single arch remains.

⊗ **Mount Zion:** Site of King David's tomb, Dormition Abbey, and Cellar of the Holocaust. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 8:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M., Friday 8:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M. Bus 1, 2, 38.

☞ **Western Wall:** The *Kotel*, the sole remnant of the Second Temple, is a site of continual prayer and activity, including army swearing-in ceremonies and Bar Mitzvah ceremonies. Dress modestly. Visits to the tunnels beneath the Western Wall and the new Chain of the Generations Center must be reserved in advance by calling 1599-515-888. <www.thekotel.org> Bus 1, 2, 38.

☞ **Yochanan Ben Zachai:** Four ancient Sephardic synagogues which played a major role in the war of independence; three synagogues are currently in use and the fourth is a small museum depicting the life of the pre-1948 Sephardic community in Jerusalem. Sunday-Thursday 9:30 A.M.–4:00 P.M., Friday 9:30 A.M.–12:30 P.M. Bus 1, 2, 38.

Museums

☞ **Armenian Mardigian Museum:** Housed in a beautiful old building in the Armenian quarter of the Old City. The collection depicts the lives, achievements and history of the Armenian community in Jerusalem. *Hours:* Monday-Saturday 10:00 A.M.–4:00 P.M.. Tel. 02-6282331. Bus 1, 38.

☞ **Chamber of the Holocaust:** This museum on Mount Zion commemorates the Jewish communities destroyed during World War II. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 8:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M., Friday 8:00 A.M.–3:00 P.M. Tel 02-6715105. Bus 1, 2, 38.

☞ **Herodian Quarter–Wohl Archaeological Museum:** Features three mansions built for priests in the Second Temple period. The excavations include mosaics, several ritual baths, and stone and pottery dishes. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M., Friday 9:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M. Fee. Tel. 02-6288141. Bus 1, 2, 38.

☞ **Old Yishuv Court Museum:** This museum has exhibits depicting life in the Jewish Quarter before its destruction in 1948. *Hours:* Monday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M. Fee. Tel. 02-6284636. Bus 1, 2, 38.

☞ **Tower of David Museum:** Set in the citadel constructed by Herod, the Museum traces Jerusalem's long and eventful history with state-of-the-art displays. *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 10:00 A.M.–4:00 P.M., Friday-Saturday 10:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M. Special evening programs.

<www.towerofdavid.org.il/eng/> Fee. Tel. 02-62 65333 Bus 1, 38.

Cultural Activities

Symphonies, pop singers, jazz bands, and professional dance and theatrical troupes perform regularly in Jerusalem. Check the billboards in town and on campus, especially in the Forum on Mount Scopus, for current performances. The main theaters and concert halls in Jerusalem include:

Theater/Hall	Location	Buses	Telephone
Gerard Bachar	11 Bezalel	4, 9, 17, 18	02-6251139
Beit Shmuel	6 Shama St.	5, 6, 18, 21, 30	02-6203456
Binyanei Ha'uma	1 Shazar Blvd.	9, 26, 28, 28	02-6558558
Center Stage Theater			
at the Khan	Kikar David Remez	4, 7, 8, 21, 30	02-5619251
The Lab (Hama'abada)	28 Hebron Road	7, 8, 21, 30	02-6292001
Hazeira	4 Harekhavim St.	12, 14	02-6783378
International Cultural			
Center for Youth	12 Emek Refaim St.	4, 4 8 , 14, 18	02-5664144
Israel Museum	Ruppim St.	9, 17, 24, 24 8	02-6708811
Jerusalem Culture Center	27 Hillel St.	4, 4 8 , 18, 19, 21	02-6211777
Jerusalem Music Centre	Mishkenot Sha'ananim	4, 4 8 , 14, 18, 21	02-6241041
Jerusalem Theater	20 David Marcus	15	02-5605755
Khan Theater	Kikar David Remez	4, 7, 8, 21, 30	02-6718281
Menachem Begin			
Heritage Center	6 Nahon St.	4, 7, 8, 21, 30	02-5652020
YMCA	26 King David St.	13, 18, 21	02-5692692
Targ Music Center	Maayan St., Ein Kerem	17	02-6414250
Ticho House	9 Harav Kook St.	4, 4 8 , 9, 23	02-6244186
Yellow Submarine	13 Harechevim St.	12, 14	02-6794040

Tickets can generally be purchased at the box offices or on the Internet as listed below. OSA also sells a limited number of discounted tickets to select performances; check the bulletin board outside the OSA office.

- Bimot, 8 Shamai St., Tel. 02-6237000 <www.bimot.co.il>
- Klaim, 12 Shamai St., Tel. 02-6222333 <www.klaimonline.co.il>
- Tickets on the Internet: <www.cartisim.co.il>

Students can also purchase subscription tickets for a series of performances at the Jerusalem Theater, Khan Theater and Gerard Behar in the Forum.

Movies

Several times a month, movies are screened in the auditorium of the Boyar Building. Check *This Week* and posters around the School for details. Check billboards around the city and newspapers for Weekly listings of films in Jerusalem and elsewhere in the country can be found in the press and on the Internet. Billboards around the city advertise the films in local movie theaters.

Note: Some cinemas are open on Friday night, usually offering a 10:00 P.M. screening and sometimes a midnight show.

Cinema	Address
Binyane Ha'uma (1-4)	1 Shazar Blvd., Tel. 02-6221229, Phone reservations: 1-700-500222
*Cinematheque	11 Hebron Road., Tel. 02-5654333
Globus Jerusalem Mall (1-8)	Jerusalem Kanion, Tel. 02-6788448, Phone reservations 1-700-505050 or *0808 (cell phone)
Israel Museum	Rupin St., Tel 02-6708903
Jerusalem Theater	20 Marcus St., Tel. 02-5605755
Lev Smadar	4 Lloyd George St., Tel. 02-5618168, Phone reservations 1-700-500222
Rav Chen Jerusalem (1-7)	17 Ha'uman Street, Talpiot, Tel. 02-6792799, Phone reservations: 2022*

*Students are entitled to a discount on an annual membership to the Cinematheque. Members are given a card that allows free admittance to almost all screenings.

Lectures

Throughout the year, lectures are held on campus on social, political and scholarly topics. Check the bulletin boards for details. Lectures on a variety of topics are also held at:

- **Beit Shmuel:** Lectures, special programs, on social and Jewish themes. 6 Shamah St., Tel. 02-6253194.
- **Beit Avi Chai:** Symposia, lectures and workshops on the story of the Jewish people. 44 King George St., Tel. 02-6215310.
- **Mishkenot Shaananim:** Symposia, workshops in diverse cultural spheres. 9 Yemin Moshe, Tel. 02-6292220.
- **Van Leer Institute:** Special seminars on social and political themes. 43 Jabotinsky St., Tel. 02-5605222.
- **Yad Itzhak Ben-Zvi:** Lectures, especially on biblical, historical and archaeological themes. 12 Abarbanel St., Tel. 02-5398888.
- **Yakar:** *Beit Midrash*, lectures, courses, workshops on Jewish themes. 10 Halamed Heh St., Tel. 02-5612310.
- **Zalman Shazar Center:** Seminars and lectures on themes in Jewish history. 22 Rashba St., Tel. 02-5637171.
- **Zionist Confederation House:** Lectures on a wide variety of subjects. 5 Emile Botha St., Tel. 02-6245206.

Shopping

Business Hours

While today most stores stay open without a break, some stores close midday and are open 8:30 A.M.–1:00 P.M. and again 4:00 P.M.–7:00 P.M. Most stores close early on Friday (around 1:00 P.M. or 2:00 P.M.) and are closed all day Saturday, although some reopen Saturday night after *Shabbat* ends. In the Arab section of the city, stores are closed on either Friday (Moslems) or Sunday (the Christian Sabbath) but are open on Saturday.

Most large supermarkets have late night shopping hours and many stores also open on Saturday nights after *Shabbat*.

Several medium-sized shopping malls, where stores are open till 9:00 P.M. and sometimes later, can be found in the Talpiot Industrial Area, the Central Bus Station, Pisgat Zeev and Gilo.

Jerusalem Kanion (Malcha Shopping Mall)

One of the largest shopping malls in the Middle East is located in Malcha, adjacent to the municipal soccer stadium. This modern complex contains department stores, clothing and shoe stores, a large supermarket, drugstores, a wide variety of specialty stores, movie theaters, restaurants, cafes and a food court. The mall has kosher branches of Pizza Hut, Sbarro and Burger King.

General shopping hours: Sunday-Thursday 9:30 A.M.–9:00 P.M., Friday 9:30 A.M.–2:30 P.M., Saturday night a half hour after sunset–11:00 P.M. (department stores, supermarkets, pharmacy, movie theaters, cafes and restaurants are open till later), Tel. 02-6791333.

Buses: 6, 18, 31 from downtown or the Central Bus Station, 48 from the Mount Scopus campus, 24 from the Edmond Safra campus, Givat Ram, 12 from Hadassah Ein Kerem or the Talpiot Industrial Area.

The Academon—Student Book Store

Academon stores are located on all four campuses. The Academon also operates a publishing house. The stores carry textbooks, foreign and locally published books, reprints of lecture notes, records and cassettes, cosmetics and toiletries, stationery supplies, household items, toys, underwear, socks and sportswear. The Academon gives a discount to students with a Student Union membership card. Special sales are frequently held.

- **Academon Bookstore** Mount Scopus (by Humanities Bldg.), Tel. 02-5882161. **Hours:** Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M.
- **Academon Kol-bo** (general store) Rosenbloom (Law) Building, Mount Scopus, Tel. 02-5823312. **Hours:** Sunday-Thursday 8:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M.
- **Academon Bookstore** Sherman Building, Edmond J. Safra, Tel. 02-5663644. **Hours:** Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M., Friday 9:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M.
- **Academon Kol-bo** (general store). Sherman Building, Edmond J. Safra, Tel. 02-6584288. **Hours:** Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M., Friday 9:00 A.M.–1:00 P.M.

Selection of Second-Hand Bookstores

The Bookstore	Clal Center 104	02-6241342
Gur Arieh	8 Yoel Salomon St.	02-6257486
Moffet's Bookstore	Clal Center	02-6259872
Sefer Ve Sefel	2 Yavetz St.	02-6248237
Yalkut	8 Eliash St.	02-6257058

Food



Eating on Campus

Cafeterias and snack bars are located on both the Edmond Safra and Mount Scopus campuses. All eating facilities on campus are kosher. Hours are subject to change.

Key: (D) = Dairy, (V) = Vegetarian, (M) = Meat

Mount Scopus Cafeterias

- ☛ **Menza Student Cafeteria**, Student Center, Mexico Building (M,V,D) (alias Frank Sinatra), Meat Restaurant: Sunday-Thursday, 11:00 A.M.–4:15 P.M. Dairy Restaurant: Sunday-Thursday, 8:00 A.M.–5:30 P.M.
- ☛ **Rachel**, Humanities Building, Block 1 (D,V), Sunday-Thursday, 8:00 A.M.–7:00 P.M.
- ☛ **The Gilbert Cafeteria, Boyar Building**, Sunday-Thursday, 7:30 A.M.–6:00 P.M. (Summer hours are flexible.)

Mount Scopus Cafes

- ☛ **Sherman Research Administration Building** (also open-air seating), Sunday-Thursday, 7:30 A.M.–7:00 P.M.
- ☛ **Deli**, grilled sandwich bar, Forum, mid level, Sunday-Thursday, 8:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M. (until 5:00 P.M. in summer)
- ☛ **Elite Coffee Bar**, Social Sciences Building, Block 1, Sunday-Thursday, 6:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M.
- ☛ **Elite Coffee Bar-Cafe**, Social Sciences Building, Agnes Ginges Computer Center
- ☛ **Espresso Bar**, Forum.
- ☛ **Rosenbloom Building**, 4th floor (Law Faculty), Sunday-Thursday, 8:30 A.M.–6:30 P.M.

- ☛ **Cafe Vitamin**, Humanities Building, Block 8, Sunday-Thursday, 7:45 A.M.–6:30 P.M.
- ☛ **School of Education**, Sunday-Thursday, 8:00 A.M.–4:00 P.M.
- ☛ **Maiersdorf Faculty Club**, Sunday-Thursday, 9:00 A.M.–8:00 P.M.
- ☛ **Golshim B'Café**, Berel Ginges Computer Center, Sunday-Thursday, 9:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M.

Edmond J. Safra Campus, Givat Ram, Cafeterias 🍴🍷

- ☛ **Sherman Research Administration Building**, basement (M,V), Sunday-Thursday, 10:45 A.M.–4:00 P.M.
- ☛ **Menza Student Cafeteria**, near dorms, Sunday-Thursday, 7:00 A.M.–8:00 A.M., 11:30 A.M.–3:30 P.M., 5:30 P.M.–6:30 P.M.

Edmond J. Safra Campus, Givat Ram, Cafes (D) ☕🍰

- ☛ **Dvash Cafe**, Adjacent to the Cosell Center Pool
- ☛ **Kiosk**, main entrance plaza, Sunday-Thursday, 7:30 A.M.–5:30 P.M.
- ☛ **Jacob Levy Building**, (open air seating), Sunday-Thursday, 7:00 A.M.–6:30 P.M.
- ☛ **Faculty of Science**, Sunday-Thursday, 9:30 A.M.–3:30 P.M.

Buying Your Own Food



A **makolet** is an Israeli grocery store, which usually carries a wide variety of food and household items. Prices on regulated food items, including milk and bread, are normally the same in all stores, but other products tend to vary in price.

Small supermarkets are located in the dormitory complex on the Edmond Safra campus, Givat Ram, and opposite Maiersdorf (Reznik) dorm 13 on Mount Scopus. There is a minimarket on the lower level of the Forum on the Mount Scopus campus. Larger supermarkets near Mount Scopus are Mister Zol in the French Hill Shopping Center and Super-Sol Sheli in the Ramat Eshkol Shopping Center. There are also supermarkets in the basement level of Hamashbir department store in the center of town, in all the shopping malls in the Talpiot Industrial Area and in the Jerusalem Mall. Credit cards are accepted at all supermarkets. Deliveries can often be made for a fee.

Generally, the best fresh fruit and vegetables can be purchased in **Mahane Yehuda**, the outdoor market (*shuk*). Good buys on household

articles and staples such as rice, flour, spices and nuts are also to be found. Make sure you thoroughly wash all fruits and vegetables.

Most meat produced in or imported into Israel is *kosher*, but not necessarily *kashered* (soaked and salted). Generally, frozen chicken, turkey and chopped meat is *kashered* (*muchshar* in Hebrew). Ask the butcher if you are in doubt.

Laundries

On Campus

Scopus Student Village, Building 2

Self-service automatic machines for residents, open 24 hours a day:

- Wash NIS 8 (up to 7.5 kgs.)
- Dry NIS 9

Some Private Self-Service Laundries

The Laundry Place, 12 Shamai, City Center, Tel. 02-6257714

- Wash NIS 15 (up to 7.5 kgs.)
- Dry NIS 4 per 10 minutes
- Wash, Dry and Fold NIS 41
- Hours Sunday & Thursday 8:30 A.M.–9:00 P.M.
Monday-Wednesday 8:30 A.M.–8:00 P.M.
Friday 8:30 A.M.–3:00 P.M.

Note: Dry cleaning is available. Deliveries are available.

Lital, 1 Ha'Etzel St., French Hill, Tel. 02-5817602

- Wash NIS 15 (up to 7 kgs.)
- Dry NIS 10 per load
- Soap and Softener NIS 2 each
- Hours 24 hours a day (closed for *Shabbat*)

Rates are subject to change.

Banks

Jerusalem is overflowing with banks, all of which will cash foreign currency and traveler's checks for a fee. State of Israel Bonds may be cashed into Israeli currency at the Bank of Israel and main bank branches. Students are advised to open both dollar and shekel accounts in a Jerusalem bank. Students should arrange to have money sent from

abroad by bank transfer or by Western Union money transfer to a postal bank. Postal banks do not charge commission to cash traveler's checks or to exchange foreign currency. Never send cash, personal checks or endorsed checks through the mail!!!

Upon opening an account in Israeli currency (*shekel*), students should apply for a magnetic bank card that will allow them to withdraw money from an automatic teller machine (ATM). A combination credit/ATM card is also available. There are ATMs in the Forum on Mount Scopus, near the Bloomfield Library and the entrance to Bank Discount, and on Givat Ram, outside the main entrance gate to the Edmond J. Safra campus and next to ISSTA. These ATMs accept a wide variety of local and international cards. ATMs that give instructions in English to holders of cards issued abroad are found throughout the city.

Banks on Mount Scopus Campus

\$ **Discount Campus**, Mount Scopus, middle level of the Forum,
Hours: Sunday-Thursday 8:15 A.M.–4:00 P.M.

\$ **Postal Bank**, Mount Scopus, middle level of the Forum, Tel. 02-5817346, *Hours:* Sunday-Thursday 8:00 A.M.–3:00 P.M.

Major City Banks

Bank	Address	Telephone
Bank Discount (main branch)	11 Ben Yehuda	02-6754444
Bank Discount (Ramat Eshkol)	9 Paran St.	02-5320555
Bank Hapoalim (main branch)	1 Zion Square	02-6207171
Bank Hapoalim (Ramat Eshkol)	13 Paran St.	02-5320222
Bank Hapoalim (French Hill)	21 Hahagana St.	02-5320707
Bank Leumi (main branch)	21 Jaffa Road	02-6291611
Bank Leumi (Ramat Eshkol)	15 Paran St.	02-5320311
First International Bank	10 Hillel St.	02-6756888
United Mizrahi Bank	12 Ben Yehuda	02-6208922

Note: Banking hours differ from branch to branch. For exact hours, contact the appropriate bank branch.

Licensed Money Changers

The Bank of Israel licenses money changers that can be found in numerous locations throughout downtown Jerusalem and in most shopping malls. Commission is not charged in exchanging currencies, and rates are often better than those available in Israeli banks.

Air Travel



Air Travel in Israel

Domestic flights in Israel are operated by:

- **Arkia Israel Airlines**, reservations: Tel. *5758 or 09-8644444
www.arkia.co.il
- **Israir Airlines**, reservations: Tel. 1-700-505-777
www.israirairlines.com

The above airlines offer international flights as well.

Air Travel Abroad

Airlines	Telephone
Air Canada	03-6072111
Air France	03-7555035
Alitalia	1-800-521000
Austrian Airlines	03-5115111
British Airways	03-6061555
Continental	03-5116777
CSA Czech Airlines	03-5165115
Delta	03-6814000
El-Al	02-6770200
Iberia	03-7951920
KLM	03-7967999
Lufthansa	180 937 1937
Malev	03-5621100
Olympic	03-5110303
Swiss	03-5139000
Turkish Airlines	03-5172333

Ben-Gurion International Airport Flight Arrivals Information:

Tel. 03-9723332 (English)

Tel. 03-9723331 (Hebrew)

Tel. 03-9723366 (Russian)

Transportation from Jerusalem to Ben-Gurion Airport

➔ **Egged** offers regularly scheduled bus service from the Central Bus Station to Ben-Gurion Airport throughout the day and evening (an express bus departs approximately every half hour). Tel. 03-6948888.

➔ **Nesher** offers 24-hour *sherut* (shared) taxi service from your door or its office in town (23 Ben Yehuda St.) to Ben-Gurion Airport. Payment is per person (about US \$10 in Israeli currency).

Tel. 02-6257227.

➔ A private taxi may be ordered from a taxi company in advance for a set fee.

ISSTA (Israel Students Travel Association)

ISSTA arranges low-cost travel abroad (charters and student fares). Students are advised to contact ISSTA well in advance of their proposed trip. ISSTA also issues the International Student Identity Card. In order to obtain a card, you must supply proof that you are a student in the current academic year (e.g., university student card or a letter from the University, officially signed, dated and stamped) and an ID-size photograph.

ISSTA Mount Scopus

Lower Forum

Tel. 02-5358600

Sun.-Thurs. 8:00 A.M.–
6:00 P.M.

ISSTA Jerusalem

31 Hanevi'im St.

Tel. 02-6213600

Sun.-Thurs. 9:00 A.M.–
7:00 P.M.
Friday 9:00 A.M.–
1:00 P.M.

ISSTA Nahalat Shiva

4 Herbert Samuel St.

Tel. 02-6211888

Sun.-Thurs. 9:00 A.M.–
7:00 P.M.
Friday 8:30 A.M.–
1:00 P.M.

➔ **Ayala Travel and Tours Ltd.** is located on Mount Scopus on the middle level of the Forum. Tel. 02-5883485

Hours: Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–4:00 P.M.

➔ **Ophir Tours** is located on the Edmond J. Safra campus, Givat Ram, in the Sherman Research Administration Building.

Tel. 02-5617217

Hours: Sunday-Thursday 9:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M.

Telephone Services

Public Telephones

Most public telephones are operated by a telecard, a computerized card that initially bears from 20 to 150 message units, depending on the quantity purchased. Cards with a greater number of message units cost less per unit. Telecards are available from post offices, some stores and vending machines found in various public buildings, including the Boyar Building basement level, and many other buildings on campus. Make sure your telecard has enough message units, or you will be cut off in the middle of a conversation.

There are public telephones in the Boyar Building on the basement level and in the lobbies and hallways of most buildings on campus. In the Maierdorf (Reznik) student housing complex, public telephones are located in the basement of building 5 and in the TV room in building 11. There are also phones in Bronfman (Idelson) buildings 4 and 14.

A Golden Lines (*Kavei Zahav*–012) A Golden Lines multilingual public telephone, usable for both international and local calls, is located on the basement level of the Boyar Building. Calling cards may be purchased in the cafeteria on the second floor of the building.

Making International Phone Calls

Since the international telecommunications market in Israel was opened to competition, rates on international calls dialed directly from Israel are often cheaper than in the opposite direction. To make an overseas call, dial directly using one of the companies offering international service:

012 Golden Lines (<i>Kavei Zahav</i>)	dial 012
013 Barak	dial 013
Bezeq International	dial 014
Internet Zahav–Smile	dial 015
Netvision	dial 017
Exphone	dial 018

To illustrate, to call somebody in Manhattan, New York, via Golden Lines dial 012-1-212 and then the phone number; via Barak dial 013-1-212 and then the phone number.

You do not have to become a subscriber to any of the companies to call through them; however, special deals are available to subscribers.

Information on rates to all countries, subscriptions, operator assistance and the like is available from the following numbers:

Golden Lines (<i>Kavei Zahav</i>)	1-800-012-012 or 1828
Barak	1-800-013-013 or 1833
Bezeq International	1-800-014-014 or *014
Internet Zahav–Smile	03-9121900 or *3015
Netvision	1-800- 017-017 or *3031
Exphone	1-800-018-018 or 1788

Note: Several other companies have also entered the International telephone market and are offering competitive rates and VOIP.

Making Collect and Credit Card Calls from a Public Telephone

Tell the operator that you would like to place a **collect** or **credit card** overseas call. The operator will ask for your name and number and will call you back in several minutes. Numbers to dial:

012 Golden Lines (<i>Kavei Zahav</i>)	1822
013 Barak	1838
Bezeq International	1848
Internet Zahav–Smile	1858
Netvision	1878



Post Offices

On-Campus Post Offices

Mount Scopus, Forum, middle level, Tel. 02-5817346

Edmond J. Safra campus, Givat Ram, Tel. 02-5635089

Hours: Sunday–Thursday, 8:00 A.M.–3:00 P.M.

Closed Friday and Saturday.

Central Post Office

23 Jaffa Road

Tel. 02-6290647, 6290676, 6290695

Hours: Sunday–Thursday, 8:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M.

Friday and holiday eves, 8:00 A.M.–12:00 noon (closed on Saturday).

Information Service: 1-700-500-171

Other Post Offices

French Hill Branch (near the Scopus Student Village)

2 Abba Bardicher St., Tel. 02-5819657

Hours: Sunday–Tuesday, Thursday 9:00 A.M.–5:00 P.M.

Wednesday 8:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M.; Friday 8:00 A.M.–12:00 noon.

Other post offices are located throughout the city, and many are open as follows:

Hours: Sunday–Thursday 8:00 A.M.–2:30 P.M.

Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday 4:00 P.M.–6:00 P.M.

Friday 8:00 A.M.–12:00 noon.

Parcels Sent By Mail to Israel

Please note that goods up to the value of US \$10 only in parcels sent by mail are exempt from customs duties. Above that sum, you may have to pay a fees to release a parcel. Books sent as a gift for your personal use, except for material published in Arab countries (apart from Egypt) are exempt from taxes.

Trips

University-Sponsored Trips

For students at the Rothberg International School, the best and cheapest trips are offered through the Office of Student Activities (OSA). Transportation is provided to and from Mount Scopus. Notices about trips are posted on bulletin boards and appear in *Now@RIS*. Sign up early to reserve a place.

The Society for the Protection of Nature

Trips are offered by the Society for the Protection of Nature in Israel (SPNI or *Hahevrah Lehaganat Hateva*), including walking tours of Jerusalem and overnight tours throughout Israel. Contact the Society's Jerusalem office, 13 Helene Hamalka St., Tel. 02-6252357 or 6257682
Hours: Sunday-Thursday, 9:00 A.M.–6:00 P.M.; Friday, 9:00 A.M.–12:00 noon.

Municipality of Jerusalem Tours

The Jerusalem Municipality Tourism Authority offers free guided walking tours in English every *Shabbat* morning. Meet at 10:00 A.M. at the entrance to the Russian Compound, 32 Jaffa Road. Modest dress is required for holy places. The tours last about three hours. For the list of tours till the end of 2007, check: <http://tour.jerusalem.muni.il/?Ing=2>.

Tourist Information on the Internet

- Ministry of Tourism website: www.infotour.co.il.
- Jerusalem Municipality website: <http://tour.jerusalem.muni.il>. On this website, you can also subscribe to *Jerusalem Mosaic*, a monthly e-newsletter in English on tourism and culture in Jerusalem, produced by the city's Tourism Authority.

Christian Information Center

Inside Jaffa Gate, Tel. 02-6272692
Monday-Friday 8:30 A.M.–5:30 P.M.
Saturday 8:30 A.M.–12:30 P.M.

Youth Hostels



Israel Youth Hostel Association national reservations: Tel. 1599-510-511
On-line reservations: <www.iyha.org.il>; E-mail: iyha@iyha.org.il

Name	Place	Telephone
<i>Galilee</i>		
Tel Hai	Tel Hai	04-6940043
Safed	1 Lohamei Hagetaot St.	04-6921086
Ma'ayan Harod	Ma'ayan Harod	04-6531669
Poria	Tiberias	04-6750050
Karei Deshe	Karei Deshe	04-6720601
Peki'in	Peki'in	04-9574111
Shlomi	Shlomi	04-9808975
Beit Shean	126 Menachem Begin	04-6060760
<i>Coast</i>		
Haifa	Haifa	04-8531944
Petah Tikva	34 Yahalom St.	03-9226666
Tel Aviv	36 Bnei Dan St.	03-5441748
Jaffa	Jerusalem Blvd.	03-6827700
<i>Jerusalem</i>		
Yitzhak Rabin	1 Nahman Avigad St.	02-6780101
Bayit Vegan	8 Hapisga St.	02-6420990
Agron	1 Keren Hayesod	02-6217555
Beit Shmuel	6 Shama Street	02-6203456
<i>Dead Sea and South</i>		
Beit Sarah	Ein Gedi	08-6584165
Massada	Massada	08-9953222
Blau-Weiss	Arad	08-9957150
Beit Yatziv	Beersheba	08-6277444
Mitzpe Ramon	Mitzpe Ramon	08-6588443
Eilat	Eilat	08-6370088

Hotels in Jerusalem

Hotel	Address	Telephone
American Colony	Nablus Road	02-6279777
Ariel	31 Hebron Road	02-5689999
Caesar Jerusalem	208 Jaffa Road	02-5005656
Crowne Plaza	Ha'aliya 1, Givat Ram	02-6588888
Dan Panorama Jerusalem	39 Keren Hayesod St.	02-5695695
David's Citadel	7 King David St.	02-6211111
Eldan	24 King David St.	02-5679777
Grand Court Hotel	15 St. George St.	02-5917777
Inbal	3 Jabotinsky St.	02-6756666
Jerusalem Gate	43 Yermiyahu St.	02-5008500
Jerusalem Gold	234 Jaffa Road	02-5013333
King David	23 King David St.	02-6208888
King Solomon	32 King David St.	02-5695555
Knesset Towers	4 Vilnai St.	02-6558888
Lev Yerushalayim	18 King George St.	02-5300333
Little House in Bakah	1 Yehuda St.	02-6737944
Montefiore	7 Schatz St.	02-6221111
Mount Zion	17 Hebron Road	02-5689555
Novotel Jerusalem	9 Saint George St.	02-5320000
Olive Tree Royal Plaza	23 Saint George St.	02-5410410
Park Plaza	2 Vilnai St.	02-6582222
Prima Kings	60 King George St.	02-6201201
Prima Palace	2 Pines St.	02-5311811
Prima Royale	3 Mendele St.	02-5607111
Ramat Rachel	Kibbutz Ramat Rachel	02-6702555
Regency Jerusalem	32 Lechi St.	02-5331234
Renaissance Jerusalem	6 Vilnai St.	02-6599999
Shalom Jerusalem	25 Shacharai St.	02-6752222
Sheraton Plaza	47 King George St.	02-6298666
Y.M.C.A.–The 3 Arches	26 King David St.	02-5692692

Note: Students and their immediate families may benefit from a 10% discount on the cost of rooms at the Maiersdorf Faculty Club, located on the Mount Scopus campus. Reservations: Tel. 02-5819266.

Thinking Metric

Liquid Measures

American (Standard Cup)	Metric Equivalent
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1 cup = $\frac{1}{2}$ pint = 8 fl. oz.	2.37 dl.
1 tbs. = $\frac{1}{2}$ fl. oz.	1.5 cl.
1 tsp. = $\frac{1}{8}$ fl. oz.	0.5 cl.
1 pint = 16 fl. oz.	4.73 dl.
1 quart = 2 pints = 32 fl. oz.	9.46 dl.

British (Standard Cup)	
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1 cup = $\frac{1}{2}$ pint = 10 fl. oz.	2.84 dl.
1 tbs. = 0.55 fl. oz.	1.7 cl.
1 tsp. = $\frac{1}{3}$ fl. oz.	0.6 cl.
1 pint = 20 fl. oz.	5.7 dl.
1 quart = 2 pints = 40 fl. oz.	1.1 liter
1 cup = 16 tablespoons	
1 tablespoon = 3 teaspoons	
1 liter = 10 deciliters = 100 centiliters	

Solid Measures

American/British	Metric Equivalent
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1 lb. = 16 oz.	453 grams
2.2 lbs.	1000 grams = 1 kilogram
1 oz.	28 grams
$3\frac{1}{2}$ oz.	100 grams

Oven Temperatures

Centigrade	Fahrenheit
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Up to 105 degrees C.	Up to 225 degrees F. (cool)
105-135 degrees C.	225-275 degrees F. (very slow)
135-160 degrees C.	275-325 degrees F. (slow)
175-190 degrees C.	350-375 degrees F. (moderate)
215-230 degrees C.	400-450 degrees F. (hot)
230-260 degrees C.	450-500 degrees F. (very hot)

Weights and Measurements

1 mile	=	1.609 kilometers
1 yard	=	0.914 meter
1 foot	=	30.48 centimeters
1 inch	=	2.54 centimeters
1 square mile	=	2.59 square kilometers
1 imperial gallon	=	4.546 liters
1 liter	=	1.76 pints
1 pound (lb.)	=	0.454 kilograms
1 ounce (oz.)	=	28.35 grams
1 kilometer	=	1094 yards = 3,281 feet
1 meter	=	39.37 inches
10 centimeters	=	3.94 inches
1 kilogram	=	2.205 lbs.
100 grams	=	3.502 ounces

Clothing Sizes

Men

Shirts

Israel & Europe	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43
England & USA	14	14.5	15	15.5	15.75	16	16.5	17

Sweaters

Israel & Europe	44	46	48	50	52	54
England	34	36	38	40	42	44
USA	S		M	L	X-Large	

Women

Dresses, Suits, Shirts, Coats

Israel & Europe	40	42	44	46	48	50
England	12	14	16	18	20	22
USA	10	12	14	16	18	20

Blouses, Sweaters

Israel & Europe	38	40	42	44	46	48	
England		32	34	36	38	40	42
USA		30	32	34	36	38	40

RIS Administrative Staff

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