



## Ivrit b'Ivrit

Israeli Cultural Center

עברית בעברית



Come join children and adults learning to speak Hebrew in fun afternoon programs filled with games, songs, art and stories. This program is intended for Israelis, for parents who want their kids to have fun learning to speak Hebrew with kids their own age, and for adults looking to strengthen their Hebrew conversational skills.

- Age appropriate activities: songs, stories, arts and crafts and games
- Israeli instructors who speak only Hebrew translating only when necessary; vocabulary focuses on spoken Hebrew (rather than Biblical), used in our daily lives (food, home, school, etc.) and students are encouraged to respond in Hebrew.
- Class Size: maximum of 8 students. New classes are formed with demand. A dated waitlist is maintained.

### Three Types of Classes Are Offered – Conversational, Reading & Writing & Family

*Conversational Class:* Students with friends their age learn to speak Hebrew. This class is a lot of fun, the teachers work with the class in a proactive, creative and dynamic way. Kids help each other, learn to speak the language together and foster strong relationships. Ages 3-12. Adult classes offered as well.

*Reading & Writing:* Students with friends their age learn to read and write Hebrew. This class is also conducted in Hebrew so students who are not fluent must take this course simultaneously with a conversational class. Students will learn the aleph bet, and learn to read and write using Israeli workbooks. Ages 3-12.

*Family Class:* This class is designed for the whole family. Parent(s) and sibling(s) learn Hebrew together through songs, games and/or stories. Parent participation is required. Ages 2-5.

**Curriculum/Materials:** "Chalav U'dvash" <http://www.chalav-udvash.org.il> is the foundation of the conversational class supplemented heavily by the teachers. Israeli workbooks have been selected for the reading/writing class. More information on the program is available on the web site such as teacher bios, sample class description and Hebrew immersion FAQ's.

**When:** Sessions are quarterly, with the summer off. A Keitana (summer camp) conducted in Hebrew is offered during the summer. Classes meet during the school year between 3:30-6:30, M-W. Class Schedule can be downloaded from the web site with specifics.

**Where:** Congregation Beth El, La Jolla. Participants do not have to be Beth El Synagogue members.

**Cost:** 12 week session Ivrit b'Ivrit class approx. \$185/session, Family class approx. \$265/session/family. Beth El members pay \$20 less.

Contact Jennie Starr to register or with questions 858-245-9375 or [jennie@keflisandiego.org](mailto:jennie@keflisandiego.org) or visit <http://www.keflisandiego.org> for more information.



**Beth El** A Congregation Beth El Viterbi Torah School Program. Participants do not need to be Beth El Members.

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