Sign your child up for the 2025-2026 school year!

The Zichron Yaakov Municipal Education Department invites you to register your child for the upcoming school year; registration begins **Thursday**, **January 30**, **2025** and ends on **Wednesday**, **February 19**, **202**5 at www.zy1882.co.il.*

Please register on time as that will guarantee a spot for your child in the public school system!

If you are new to Zichron and your child's name isn't in the system, you may bring both parents' Teudot Zehut to the Education department at the municipality, including the sefach (that's the blue paper where your address and your child's name is documented).

If you don't have a Zichron address on your Teudat Zehut, please bring your rental/purchase contract. Divorced parents must present a divorce agreement with custody arrangements specified. Single parents must sign an affidavit.

Children who are moving from another city in Israel must bring a "cancelation of registration" from the previous city's municipality. Olim without a Teudat Zehut may register with an Israeli passport and rental/purchase contract.

Olim without residency in Zichron may not register children for school in Zichron.

Please note: any request to switch schools, or to register outside your zoning area or register your child to a school outside of Zichron MUST also be filed during this registration period. Requests for homeschooling should also be filed at this time. Requests should include all supporting documentation. All such requests will be discussed by a special committee in June.

Contact info for the staff of the Zichron Education Department: https://www.zy1882.co.il/Index2/?nodeId=1231

Which Kindergarten (Gan) does my child qualify for?

Chova: (5 year olds) for children born between 1.1.2020- 12.31.2020

Trom Chova: (4 year olds) for children born between 1.1.2021 and 31.12.2021.

Trom Trom Chova (3 year olds) for children born between 1.1.2022 and 31.12.2022.

You may register for Gan Chova, Trom Chova and Trom-Trom Chova online, once the registration period begins, at www.zy1882.co.il. Fill in your child's details and you will receive an email confirmation.

New Zichron residents may also register at www.zy1882.co.il but must upload:

- 1. A letter of cancellation of registration from their previous municipality (new olim need not include this).
- 2. A scan of both parents' Teudat Zehut with the appendix open (blue paper).
- 3. A rental or purchase contract for a home in Zichron.

Single and divorced parents must file an affidavit, also on the website .

Be aware that your child is guaranteed a spot in the municipal gan system if you register during the registration period. Children who are registered after this period will be accepted only if space is available.

Registering for a specific gan will not guarantee that your child will attend that gan; you will receive an email (later in the year) with the gan assignment.

Requests to switch schools, homeschool, or attend gan outside of Zichron must also be filed during the registration period.

Tzaharonim (after school care) will be operated by the Education Department this year. Details to follow.

New Parents are invited to an Open House on Wednesday, May 21 at 19:30 at the Public Library to meet the education department as well as the Child Psychology department, Miskal and various school representatives.

Kindergarden Department: irist@zy1882.co.il 04-6297168/04-6297184

First Grade

Children born between 1.1.2019- 12.31.2019 (6 year olds) need to register for first grade.

The options for public schools are mamlachti (public school) and mamlachti dati (religious public school). Every child from a dati family has a right to register at the Yavetz school, regardless of their Zichron address.

Every parent has the right to register their first grade child at their "anchor" public school within their zoning area (this is set according to your address). If you chose to register at your neighborhood school, where you are zoned, your child's place is guaranteed.

In order to increase parent choice, you can apply to any of the schools for first grade. Each parent rates their three choices: the Ogen/Anchor School (the school they are zoned to) and two other schools. A special committee is authorizes transfers outside the zoning area to available spaces at other schools. If any one school is oversubscribed, children will be assigned by lottery.

Be certain when you apply that your Teudat Zehut is updated to reflect your current address.

Open Houses at Local Schools

Hachita: 17.1 from 8:30-10:00

Nechama Katz: nechama@chitazy@co.il

Hahoresh: 31.1 from 10:00-11:30

Galit Bela: galitbela7@gmail.com

Nili: 24.1 from 8:30-9:30

Einat Dor On: 1002197602@edu.haifa.org.il

Keshet: 17.1 from 9:15-11:00, please sign up here:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1TRmpgQl841iIEZOm8sK1_B0cQRN33YP8tpU5q8QSgFA/

Yavetz: 24.1 from 8:30-10:00

Miri Madyuni: mirim@yavetzzy.co.il

Reserve your open house spot at the school of your choice directly with the school contact.

Kitat Mofet

(Gifted and Talented Class)

For children entering seventh grade.

Parents are invited to an Open House on Thursday, January 26 at 19:00 at the Theatre Room at Tichon Hamoshava.

Please sign up to attend:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc1OejLYtSfD7YBQ8mXWXSt0YIKUR56dsuVyT8cmnc1H9thDw/viewform

^{*}If you are an Oleh and have questions or concerns about this process (and if you need an English speaker) feel free to reach out to Naomi, Olim Project Director: 050-310-2290 or naomib@zy1882.co.il.