






HIGH SCHOOL JEWISH STUDIES STAFF

	Name & Position	Subjects	Educational Qualifications	Teaching History	Other Communal Involvement
	Rabbi Yaacov Chaiton <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Head of JS* Teacher* 	Gemorah, Hashkafah	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Yeshivos: Israel, Canada, Australia, USA Semicha and Bachelor in Rabbinics (2008) Diplomas of Talmudic Studies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> KTC: 8 years 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rabbi at BINA Jewish Wisdom since 2010; daily shiur
	Rabbi Berel Light <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Head of Student Management* Teacher* 	Gemorah, Chumash, Dinim, Jewish History	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Masters – Educational Leadership Postgraduate Education & Technology Diplomas in Practical Rabbinics Advanced Rabbinical studies & ordination Graduate Certificate in Rabbinical Studies Bachelors – Talmud, Halacha and Chassidic Philosophy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> KTC: 4 years Mesivta Cheder Chabad: 3 years Yeshiva Centre: 4 years Ohel Chana Seminary Chabad of Aspen, Oceanside, Augusta 	
	Rabbi Yehuda Spielman <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teacher* 	Gemorah, Chumash, Dinim, Advanced Parsha/Yiddish	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bachelors – Rabbinics BA – Education Diploma – Arts (Classical Hebrew) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2004-07: KTC Founding Principal; FT Teacher from 2008 1998-03: Yeshiva Principal 1997: Yeshiva (teacher) 1996: Beis Menachem, QLD 1995: Chabad of La Costa CA 1994,97: Yeshiva Bondi 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teacher at BINA (2009-2013) Vice-President, Tzemach Tzedek Community Centre
	Rabbi (Dr) Ari Lobel <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teacher* 	Dinim, Classical Hebrew	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PhD in Talmudic Law Masters – Liberal Arts (Literature, History, Philosophy) Bachelors – Talmudic Law Certificate – Practical Rabbinics and Advanced Synagogue Management Teaching Certificate Semicha (1996) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> KTC: 8 years Since 2009: Lecturer at Sydney University (Hebrew, Biblical and Jewish Studies) Since 2008: Writer, Editor, Translator for Artscroll Jerusalem Talmud / English Mishnah 	
	Rabbi Dovy Rapoport <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teacher (GHS) Year Coordinator BHS 	Chumash, Jewish History	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rabbinic Ordination Bachelor of Science majoring in Psychology (current) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Teaching for the past ten years at KTC, Moriah and Yeshiva College 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assistant Rabbi at Central Synagogue

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	Rabbi Benjy Simons ▪ Teacher (BHS/PS)	Gemorah, Chumash, Dinim	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Bachelor of Commerce (Actuarial and Finance Studies) ▪ Diploma of Talmudic Studies (Jewish Law) and Philosophy ▪ Diploma of Language ▪ Bachelor of Education (Secondary) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ KTC: 8 years ▪ Tutor 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Rabbi / Baal Koreh at Kadimah with Weekly Shiurim ▪ Tutor
	Rabbi Mendy Barber ▪ JS LS Teacher (BHS/PS)	Kriah, Chumash, Gemorah LS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Yeshiva overseas ▪ Semicha: Pretoria, South Africa ▪ Bachelor of Liberal Arts & Masters in Special Education 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ KTC: 3 years ▪ Milestones Therapy Centre, NY ▪ Special Education Yeshivas Chofetz Chaim, NY ▪ United Lubavitcher Yeshiva NY 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Volunteer Chaplain, Prince of Wales Hospital (POWH)
	Rabbi Chaim Konceptolski ▪ Teacher (BHS)	Chassidus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Yeshiva Education: Ketana Tomchei Temimim and Gedola or Menachem Tzfat ▪ Postgraduate studies in Yeshiva NY, and Israel ▪ Cantorial training 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ KTC: commenced Term 1 ▪ Rabbi Avtson's Program, 'The RÁP' ▪ Teacher & tutor to teenage boys, Brazil ▪ Camp Counsellor 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Professional reader of the Torah ▪ Rabbi at Cremorne Synagogue ▪ Fluent in English, Hebrew, Portuguese and Yiddish
	Aaron Kastel ▪ Informal Education ▪ Teacher (BHS)	Dinim, Chassidus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Tomchei Temim Lubavitch, NY ▪ Yeshivat Chabad Holon ▪ Talmudical Seminary Oholei Torah, NY ▪ Yechiva Tom'hei Tmimim Loubavitch, France ▪ Rabbinical College of Australia and New Zealand 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ KTC: commenced Term 3 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Voluntary Youth mentoring ▪ Aide for child with special needs

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	Lea Behar ▪ Teacher*	Ivrit/Tanach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Diploma – Education (Hebrew Methodology & Jewish Studies) ▪ Postgraduate: Semitic Studies (Hebrew and Jewish Civilisation) ▪ Degree: Architecture 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ KTC: 5 years ▪ 2004-7: Emanuel School ▪ 2003: Yeshiva primary ▪ 1994-2002: Moriah College ▪ 1992-93: TAFE ▪ 1986-92: Yeshiva GHS ▪ 1985: Moriah 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Teacher and Mentor for HS students preparing for Annual Bible Quiz (two KTC students in the Finals held in Israel, 2018)
	Shterny Dadon ▪ Teacher (GHS)	Chassidus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Diploma of Jewish Studies and Education (Ohel Chana VIC) ▪ Bachelor of Arts (Education) ▪ Bachelor of Teaching (Secondary) ▪ Cert IV in Workplace Training and Assessment 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Teacher at various schools in Israel, America and Sydney, since 2003 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Co-Director, Chabad for Israelis ▪ Founder/Director of Australian Jewish Fertility Network (AJFN) ▪ Chaplain, Royal Hospital for Women and Prince of Wales
	Shoshana Deitz ▪ JS LS Teacher (GHS)	Chumash, Kriah support	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Ohel Chana Seminary ▪ Machon Devora Teaching Diploma 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 1981 to present: KTC (previously Yeshiva College; including teaching in PS and HS, JS coordination and LS) ▪ Tutor 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Counsellor
	Chaya Gourarie ▪ Head of Informal Education (GHS) ▪ Teacher (GHS)	Dinim, Chassidus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Bachelor of Education (ongoing) ▪ Machon Shoshanat Seminary, Israel ▪ Ohel Chana Seminary, VIC 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ KTC: 2 years ▪ Beth Rivkah Ladies College: 4 years ▪ Ohel Chana Werdiger Learning Institute ▪ Spiritgrow Hebrew School: 1 year 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ BINA Events and program coordination ▪ Ad hoc shiurim and 1:1 learning
	Dina Gourarie ▪ Teacher (GHS)	Chassidus	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Teaching Diploma Beth Rivka Seminary NY ▪ Special Education – Sara Schnerer Education School 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ KTC & Yeshiva GHS for over 25 years ▪ Lubavitch Morristown ▪ Beth Rivka High School NY 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ BINA Rebbetzin ▪ BINA Adult Education

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	Avital Jacobs ▪ Teacher (GHS)	Novi, Jewish History	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Masters – High School Teaching (current) ▪ Bachelor – Biomedical Science (Advanced) ▪ Midreshet Rachel ▪ Nishmat ▪ Michlelet Mevaseret Yerushalayim 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ KTC: Term 2 ▪ 2017: Masada College ▪ 2016: Beth Rivkah Ladies College 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Tutor ▪ Informal Jewish Education Leader ▪ Volunteer, Friendship Circle
	Dvora Moss ▪ Teacher (GHS)	Chumash, Megillos, Life-cycle	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Ohel Chana Tertiary JS Program ▪ Teaching Diploma, Board of Education Jerusalem / Bais Yakov Secondary Teachers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 1985-2017: JS Coordinator ▪ 1985: establishment of GHS; teacher for all years/classes ▪ 1978-1985 Yeshiva PS 	
	Nissa Niasoff ▪ Teacher (GHS)	Chumash, Dinim	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Seminary Teaching Diplomas (Ohel Chana VIC and Bais Rivka NY) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 30 years' teaching: Kindergarten / Early Learning; BHS (Yeshiva/KTC); GHS (Yeshiva/KTC, Cheder Chabad) ▪ Private Tutor, Adult Education ▪ Music & Production: writing, directing, coaching and training for musical productions >30 years. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Bas Mitzvah classes for community/ synagogue – Kehillat Kadimah ▪ Music & Choir Training
	Shluchot ▪ Chaya Gutnick ▪ Faigy Niasoff			Commencing in August 2018	

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