



**LANGUAGE COURSES OF INSTRUCTION**  
**Fall Semester 2018-2019**  
**September 4 – December 21, 2018**

Courses may be available as credit-bearing or non-credit bearing. There is a difference in the course numbers for credit and non-credit courses. Be sure to register using the correct course number. You will be charged according to your registration.

- Course Numbers ending in C1 or NC are taught on campus;
- Course Numbers ending in J1 are taught in Jerusalem;
- Course Numbers ending in W1 or N1 are taught online;
- Course Numbers ending in H1 are hybrid courses taught in some combination of online and on campus.
- Course Numbers ending in AU are Community Education Courses, and when offered, may be taken on a non-credit basis only. These courses are not available for credit. These courses will have a different pricing structure than the regular credit/non-credit course and will not qualify for any type of discounts.

PLEASE NOTE: We use the online platform Schoology for our online courses. The majority of our campus courses also use the online platform. You must have an email address to participate.

Registration is not complete until you pay your tuition.

TUITION AND FEES INFORMATION

Registration fee: (non-refundable)

Credit courses only	\$110 per semester
Combination of Credit and Non-credit courses	\$110 per semester
Non-Credit Courses only	\$ 55 per semester

Tuition for all courses\*:

# Credits	Credit Price	Non-Credit Hebrew Online	Non-Credit Graduate Level Hebrew On Campus
Mekhina Hebrew		\$500	n/a
1 credit	n/a	n/a	n/a
2 credits	\$2,400	\$800	\$700
3 credits	\$3,600	n/a	\$1,050
4 credits	\$4,800	\$1,200	\$1,400

- This is the pricing for basic tuition. Matriculated students in the Rabbinic School, COSEL or the Pardes Educators' Program pay tuition according to their program.

**Dropping/Withdrawing from a course:**

*The student is responsible for notifying the Registrar's Office when dropping or withdrawing from any course.*

A conversation with the instructor is not sufficient. If the Registrar's Office is not notified, you will be responsible for full course tuition and not entitled to any sort of refund. You may drop a course *during the Add/Drop Period* by returning to the MyHC Portal and dropping the course. If you withdraw from the course after Add/Drop is over, you must email the Registrar's Office ([registrar@hebrewcollege.edu](mailto:registrar@hebrewcollege.edu)). Include your full name and the name of the course from which you are withdrawing.

Refunds will be applied as listed below:

**REFUND SCHEDULES**

- *Courses beginning September 4 and running the whole semester until December 21, 2018:*

*Add/Drop Period ends September 21, 2018*

**COURSES LASTING A FULL SEMESTER**

During the Add/Drop Period: 100 percent tuition refund. Registration fee is not refundable. No Transcript.

Second week of classes: 80 percent tuition refund. Registration fee is not refundable. Grade of W on transcript.

Third week of classes: 50 percent tuition refund. Registration fee is not refundable. Grade of W on transcript.

Fourth week of classes: 25 percent tuition refund. Registration fee is not refundable. Grade of W on transcript.

After the fourth week of classes: no tuition refund. Registration fee is not refundable. Grade of W on transcript.

- *Courses lasting less than a full semester: (courses start and end on various dates)*

*Add/Drop Period ends at 11:00 pm (Boston time) of the first day of class.*

**COURSES LESS THAN A FULL-SEMESTER IN LENGTH**

During the Add/Drop period for the specific class: 100 percent tuition refund. Registration fee is not refundable.

No refund after Add/Drop Period, Grade of W on transcript.

Students receiving Federal Direct Loans are subject to federally mandated refund regulations. Please contact the Financial Aid Office for further information: 617-559-8847 or [bgielow@hebrewcollege.edu](mailto:bgielow@hebrewcollege.edu).

Students with extenuating financial circumstances may contact the financial aid office for special consideration.

**HEBREW LANGUAGE (UNDERGRADUATE LEVEL)****MODERN HEBREW LANGUAGE ONLINE**

All classes are offered for non-credit only.

Any student who has not taken a Hebrew class at Hebrew College previously, must take the [free online placement test](#).

*All Hebrew courses require student to have a standard Hebrew-English dictionary.*

Course Title	Credit Course #	Non-Credit Course #
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HEBREW LANGUAGE (UNDERGRADUATE LEVEL)

<p><b>Mekhina (Preparation) for Hebrew Language</b> Smidar Goldstein</p>	<p>not available for credit</p>	<p><b>CU-Hebrw-015-N1</b></p>
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Online

**Required: All students must attend online Face-to-Face Oral Sessions, the date and time will be announced.**

*Prerequisite: proficient in Hebrew alphabet and vowels.*

*Schoology will open September 4 and close December 28, 2018*

The Mekhina course prepares students to participate in Hebrew College's online Hebrew courses by providing a basic foundation. Assuming a rudimentary reading level, the program systematically reinforces Hebrew reading while also providing basic vocabulary and grammar, including gender and number agreement in Hebrew nouns and verbs, the conjugation of select verbs in the present tense, and the use of specific interrogative words, prepositions, and conjunctions. The program utilizes a proficiency approach to Hebrew learning, providing opportunities to encounter authentic learning materials in written, audio, and video formats in both receptive and expressive modes. The Mekhina program focuses on everyday language relating to personal introductions, food and eating, transportation, and even some Hebrew slang. *Prerequisite: proficient in Hebrew alphabet and vowels.*

<p><b>Hebrew Level 1A</b></p>	<p>not available for credit</p>	<p><b>CU-Hebrw-115A-N1</b></p>
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Online

**Required: All students must attend online Face-to-Face Oral Sessions, the date and time will be announced.**

*Prerequisite: Hebrew Mekhina Course or placement test.*

*Schoology will open September 4 and close December 28, 2018*

This Hebrew course provides students with opportunities to improve their Hebrew proficiency by encountering “authentic” Hebrew sources relating to real estate, Israeli geography, the shuk (Israeli outdoor market), the supermarket, and the mall. The course focuses on the use of present tense verbs, use of the infinitive form of verbs, recognition of past tense verbs, use of cardinal numbers, number and gender agreement between nouns and adjectives including numbers, the use of interrogative words and conjunctions, and basic Hebrew syntax. Students also learn about Israeli culture by listening to popular Israeli music, viewing segments of Israeli television programs and documentary clips, and learning about Israeli currency. In addition, a weekly online face-to-face oral Hebrew session is hosted by the instructor for the class group and is a requirement of the course. *Prerequisite: Hebrew Mekhina Course or placement test.*

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**HEBREW LANGUAGE (UNDERGRADUATE LEVEL)**

<b>Hebrew Level 1B</b>	not available for credit	<b>CU-Hebrw-115B-N1</b>
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Shani Sicherman

Online

**Required: All students must attend online Face-to-Face Oral Sessions, the date and time will be announced.**

*Prerequisite: Hebrew 1A or placement test.*

*Schoology will open September 4 and close December 28, 2018*

Hebrew Level 1B emphasizes immersion in the language for the purpose of absorbing and acquiring the language naturally. The online platform Schoology is used to introduce students to authentic Hebrew language materials including videos, music, poetry, texts etc. Students use online applications such as wizer to respond to real life situations and scenarios in Hebrew demonstrating growing proficiency in reading, speaking, comprehension and writing. Materials used develop knowledge of contemporary Israeli culture as well as Jewish life. Assessment tools are built into the platform allowing students to see evidence of their own progress. In addition, a weekly online face-to-face oral Hebrew session is hosted by the instructor for the class group and is a requirement of the course. *Prerequisite: Hebrew 1A or placement test.*

<b>Hebrew Level 2A</b>	not available for credit	<b>CU-HEBRW-215A-N1</b>
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Online

**Required: All students must attend online Face-to-Face Oral Sessions, the date and time will be announced.**

*Prerequisite: Hebrew 1A & 1B or Hebrew 1 or placement test.*

*Schoology will open September 4 and close December 28, 2018*

Hebrew Level 2A continues to emphasize immersion in the language for the purpose of absorbing and acquiring the language naturally. The online platform Schoology is used to introduce students to authentic Hebrew language materials including videos, music, poetry, texts etc. Students use online applications such as wizer to respond to real life situations and scenarios in Hebrew demonstrating growing proficiency in reading, speaking, comprehension and writing. Materials used develop knowledge of contemporary Israeli culture as well as Jewish life. Assessment tools are built into the platform allowing students to see evidence of their own progress. In addition, a weekly online face-to-face oral Hebrew session is hosted by the instructor for the class group and is a requirement of the course. *Prerequisite: Hebrew 1A & 1B or Hebrew 1 or placement test.*

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**HEBREW LANGUAGE (GRADUATE LEVEL)**

**Hebrew Grammar Intensive**

Dan M. Berman

**CG-HEBRW-207C-C1**

**CG-HEBRW-207C-NC**

3 graduate credits

Level: Year 1

Mondays 2:30-4:00 p.m. and Wednesdays 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

*Prerequisite: Hebrew 5-6 or equivalent*

This course is an intensive, step-by-step introduction to the grammar of Biblical Hebrew. The course touches upon all major aspects of Biblical Hebrew grammar—orthography, phonology, morphology, syntax—with special attention paid to the vowel system (niquddot), noun declension, and the verbal system. The course requires regular attendance and timely completion of readings and exercises assigned for each class session.

**Aramaic**

Harvey Bock

**RB-HEBRW-211-C1**

**RB-HEBRW-211-NC**

2 graduate credits

Level: 2

Fridays, 9:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.

*Prerequisite: with permission of the instructor*

Students will learn the basic features of Aramaic grammar, focusing on the dialect of Aramaic used in the Babylonian Talmud. A solid knowledge of Hebrew grammar will be expected, so that students can take advantage of systematic correspondences between Hebrew and Aramaic grammar. Some experience reading Talmudic texts will also be presumed. The texts that are read consist primarily of aggadic materials from the Babylonian Talmud. At the end of the course, other texts with liturgical and halakhic significance will be read as well.

**Liturgical Hebrew 1**

Deborah Klapper

**CG-LTGHB-601-C1**

**CG-LTGHB-601-NC**

4 graduate credits

Mondays & Thursdays, 11:15 am – 1:15 pm

*Prerequisite: Hebrew 4 or above*

This courses is for students interested in delving deeply into the meaning and grammar of Hebrew liturgy. The course will focus on selected weekday and Sabbath prayers, concentrating on parsing the text to determine the core meaning of each work. *Prerequisite: Hebrew 4 or above*