8th & 9th Grade Families:

Central Offers Flexible Learning Opportunities for you to Continue Your Jewish Education

8TH/9TH JEWISH LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

Meets Tuesdays, 6:30–7:45 pm, dinner included
5 SEMINARS (6 WEEKS EACH)
• Students participate in all 8th/9th Grade seminars, in addition to the Jewish Leadership Seminar, where students learn from influential lay leadership within our congregation and begin to develop their role as Jewish leaders
• One-on-one time with our clergy and staff
• Access to all outside programming, service opportunities, and trips

8TH/9TH GRADE SEMINARS

Meets Tuesdays, 6:30–7:45 pm, dinner included
FLEXIBILITY TO ENROLL IN 1–4 SEMINARS (6 WEEKS EACH)
• Program options fit to students’ schedules
• Program allows for student availability and interest
• Access to all outside programming and service opportunities

SEMINAR 1
Sept. 15–Oct. 20
Option 1: Jewish Cooking (8th Grade Only)
Option 2: Jewish American History (9th Grade Only - Civil Rights Trip in April)

SEMINAR 2
Oct. 27–Dec. 5
The Arab-Israeli Conflict: What is it and why it matters to us (8th and 9th Grade)

SEMINAR 3
Dec. 8–Jan. 19
Option 1: Jewish Advocacy (9th Grade only, L’taken Religious Action Center/ D.C. trip)
Option 2: The Holocaust (8th Grade only)

SEMINAR 4
Jan. 26–Mar. 9
Option 1: Jewish Cooking (9th Grade Only)
Option 2: Jewish American History (8th Grade Only- Civil Rights Trip in April)

SEMINAR 5
Mar. 9–May 11
Option 1: Jewish Leadership (only open to Leadership Institute students)

Please note: students enrolled in Jewish leadership will take each seminar once throughout the year.