

## **Religious & Hebrew School: Actual Cost vs Member Supported Tuition Cost**

In our Jewish tradition, the responsibility to educate children rests not only on the parents but on the entire Jewish community. Our Temple Beth Emeth community takes this commitment seriously. Each year, part of your membership pledge directly supports the education of our youth. Religious & Hebrew School tuition covers only a portion of the actual cost of that endeavor. We are proud to be able to offer this shared-cost educational program.

As we all continue to do our best to plan for the unknown in this world of economic variability, we feel we have a responsibility to be more transparent about the actual costs of our core education program. We also recognize that families may be in different financial circumstances this year. Therefore, we have chosen not to raise the supported tuition level at this time, despite rising operating costs.

<b>Grade</b>	<b>Actual Cost</b>	<b>Member Supported Tuition</b>	<b>Difference</b>
<b>Pre-school 3</b>	\$594	\$250	\$344
<b>PS4-2nd Grade</b>	\$1320	\$556	\$764
<b>3rd-5th Grade (incl. Hebrew)</b>	\$2641	\$1112	\$1529
<b>6th Grade (incl. Hebrew)</b>	\$2713	\$1142	\$1571
<b>7th-12th Grade</b>	\$1392	\$586	\$806

If your family is able to do so, we would greatly appreciate any additional philanthropic donations to support the school Scholarship Fund.