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Introduction

Dear Shlichim, Teachers, Guides, and Educators,

The International Education Department - the Education Division of the KKL-JNF is happy to present the booklet

“Ways To Jerusalem”

The booklet includes a variety of activities with educational and value-based content, for a wide range of ages: preschoolers, elementary school, teenagers and youth, in both formal and informal educational settings.

Jerusalem, the Jewish People’s eternal capital and a united city, is a multifaceted city hosting a variety of traditions, religions, and cultures.

3,000 years after King David chose to place his capital there, and fifty years after its reunification, Israel’s capital is alive, breathing and developing, and it draws Jews and non-Jews from across the world like a magnet.

The selected topics are diverse and are related to the history of Jerusalem and to the realities of life in the city today. The activity plans utilize a wide spectrum of references to the city’s character, and familiarizes basic concepts like the Kotel (Western Wall), symbols of Jerusalem, and its main sites. It deals with complex questions of remembering and forgetting, and coping with conflicts of past and future, in modern Jewish life.

We hope that in addition to being an educational tool, this booklet will help you create significant personal emotional experiences for your students, and will add an important and significant layer to the development of Jewish identity for those who will take part in the activities it offers.

Sincerely,

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