



“The roots of
education are
bitter, but its
fruits are sweet.”

(Aristotle)



“Leadership and Learning are
indispensable to each other.”
(JF Kennedy)



“Be the change you want
to see in the world.”

(Mahatma Gandhi)



“Freedom is not simply being freed from personal chains, but is living in a manner that respects and strengthens the freedom of others.”

(Nelson Mandela)



"No human being is wealthy or powerful enough to transplant a nation from one habitation to another. An idea alone can achieve that and this idea of a State may have the requisite power to do so. The Jews have dreamt this kingly dream all through the long nights of their history. 'Next year in Jerusalem' is our old phrase. It is now a question of showing that the dream can be converted into a living reality."

(Theodor Herzl)



"A leader takes people
where they want to go.
A great leader takes
people where they don't
necessarily want to go,
but ought to be."

(Rosalynn Carter)



“Don't simply accept the existing consensus, on the societal or on any other level. Society needs to know change. A society or a state that does not change, withers. Reality is not what it was fifty years ago. If something must unite youth, it is rebellion against consensus. Not rebellion for the sake of rebellion, but rebellion for the sake of change. Fulfill that which is worthy to actualize. Change that which requires change for there is much that needs to be changed.”

(Yitzhak Rabin)



“leadership is not
issuing orders. It is
the ability to center
oneself in reality
and to ask the most
penetrating
questions.”

(Shimon Peres)



“... My associates and I make no distinctions between one man and another. We do not ask to what race or religion a man belongs. If he is a man, that is enough for us.”

(Theodor Herzl)



“The society we dreamed of building is one for which all its members – secular and religious, Arabs and Jews, old time residents and new immigrants – are mutually responsible. Honorable guests, the mettle of a society that fights for its existence and, on the other hand, aims to achieve partnership, tolerance and equality is tested here in Israel.”

(From the inauguration speech of the President of Israel, Reuven Rivlin)



“It is not truly important to decide at a young age what one will do when he or she grows up. It is much more important to decide on a way of life. If you are honest with yourself, and honest with your friends, if you take part in good struggles for the sake of others, and not just for yourself, I think this is enough. And perhaps, what you end up doing, is actually less important.”

(Golda Meir)



“The only
thing to fear,
is fear itself.”

(Franklin D. Roosevelt)



“The only thing worse than
being blind is being
without a vision.”

(Helen Keller)



“Imagination is not only the uniquely human capacity to envision that which is not...In its arguably most transformative and revelatory capacity, it is the power that enables us to empathize with humans whose experiences we have never shared.”

(J. K. Rowling)



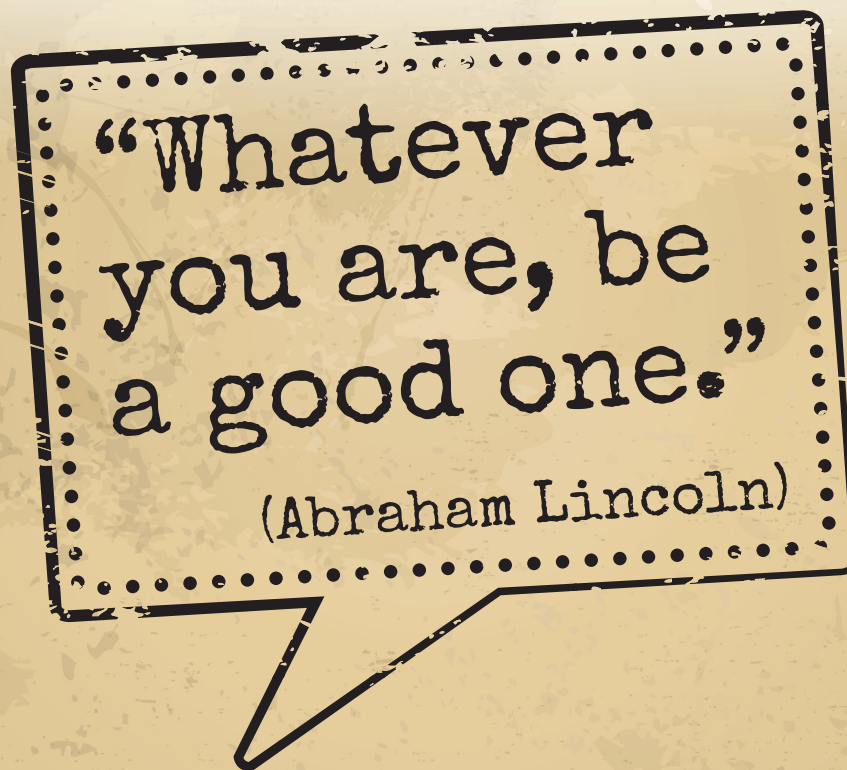
“The State of Israel will be open for Jewish immigration and for the Ingathering of the Exiles; it will foster the development of the country for the benefit of all its inhabitants; it will be based on freedom, justice and peace as envisaged by the prophets of Israel; it will ensure complete equality of social and political rights to all its inhabitants irrespective of religion, race or sex; it will guarantee freedom of religion, conscience, language, education and culture; it will safeguard the Holy Places of all religions; and it will be faithful to the principles of the Charter of the United Nations.”

(From the Declaration of Independence)



“I must follow
the people.
Am I not their
leader?”

(Benjamin Disraeli)





“Exercising leadership is an expression of your aliveness... But when you cover yourself up, you risk losing something as well. In the struggle to save yourself, you can give up too many of those qualities that are the essence of being alive, like innocence, curiosity, and compassion.”

(Ronald A. Heifetz)