## OVERVIEW

The **iGive** initiative from Honeycomb is an immersive giving experience that focuses on helping Jewish youth build deep connections to Israel and strong Jewish identities. Through funding directly in Israel, participants explore issues they care about, create new relationships with Israel and explore ongoing engagement with Israel and its peoplehood.

Selected organizations will receive full curriculum, training, resources, and a microgrant from Honeycomb to launch this exciting program. Honeycomb will be accepting a limited number of communities to be part of the 2025-2026 cohort.

## PARTNERSHIP RELATIONSHIP & APPLICATION PROCEDURE

**HONEYCOMB WILL PROVIDE**:
- On-going programmatic support in order to implement the program.
- iGive curriculum and materials for organizations to adapt to suit their needs.
- Up to $1,500 of funding to be used for anything pertaining to the program (grantmaking pool, program costs, staff costs, etc).
- Evaluation measures and survey templates in order to collect effective data.
- Online training workshop for program facilitator.

**CRITERIA FOR ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS:**
- Have leadership and organizational capacity to implement a successful and effective Jewish youth philanthropy program.
- Provide a dedicated staff member to plan and facilitate the program.
- Complete an evaluation after the program is completed.
- Hold 501(c)3 status.
- Participate fully in Honeycomb iGive training (online).

**IMPORTANT DATES:**

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| Monday, March 17th, 2025 | Applications Open |
| Tuesday, May 13th, 2025 | Applications Close |
| Tuesday, May 27th, 2025 | Applicants will be informed of acceptance |

**CONTACT:**
Honeycomb wants to create long-lasting and meaningful relationships with applying organizations. We are happy to set up a consultation prior to your application submission. Please reach out to Laura Hemlock-Schaeffer, Honeycomb's Program & Education Director, at laurahs@honeycomb.org to set up a meeting.

**APPLICATION SUBMISSION:**
Organizations can apply using this **GOOGLE FORM** or by filling in the following application and email it to laurahs@honeycomb.org.

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| **Name of Organization** | |
| **Type of Organization** *(Synagogue, JCC, Foundation, Federation, Day School, Camp, etc.)* | |
| **Name of Jewish Philanthropy Program** *(if your organization has one)* | |
| **Professional Contact** | |
| **Program Contact** *(if different from above)* | |
| **Address** | |
| **Phone** | |
| **Email(s)** *(include professional and program contact emails if different)* | |
| **Website** | |

**Tell us about your organization:**

*Briefly describe the type of organization (Federation, Foundation, School, Camp, JCC, etc.), its role in your community, and your key constituencies.*

**Youth Programming Capacity:**

*Describe your organization's ability to provide high quality youth programming. Describe the teen demographic and programming landscape in your organization. Describe your current offerings for teens/youth.*

**Tell us about previous and/or current Israel programming within your organization (if any):**

*Describe your organization's previous and current Israel youth programming.*

## What are you hoping to achieve from the inclusion of an Israel-focused youth philanthropy program into your organization?

*Outline 3-5 goals for this program within your organization.*

## Participant Recruitment Plan:

*How do you plan to recruit participants for the program? Is there a particular group that you will be focusing on? Will this program be "opt-in" or a compulsory component (e.g. a set Religious School/Hebrew High/Confirmation class)?*

## Program Staff and Support:

*Describe the youth education staff you have currently in your organization. What additional resources will you need to assemble in order to make this program a success? Who/what position(s) in your organization will be responsible for the program's success? What department will this program sit under?*

## What is your proposed timeline and structure?

*When would you be holding your teen sessions? Will this program be offered to teens as a standalone experience or will it be integrated into an existing program?*

## Ongoing Sustainability:

*How do you plan to support this program once Honeycomb's support has ended? How will the program be stewarded in order to ensure its continuation?*