

January 2017  
Main School  
Kodesh Entrance Exam

**Instructions**

Fill in the front cover.

Read the questions carefully before you start writing.

You can answer the questions in any order.

Write neatly.

Good Luck

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**בהצלחה!**

## Section A – Torah

Read the passage below and answer the questions that follow.

### **Question 1 {10 Marks}**

1. And Naomi had a relation of her husband, a rich man, of the family of Elimelech; and his name was Boaz.

2 And Ruth the Moabitess said to Naomi, Now let me go into the field and collect grain. And she said to her, Go, my daughter.

3 And she went, and came and cut the grain in the field after the cutters; and by chance she went into that part of the field which was the property of Boaz, who was of the family of Elimelech.

4 And Boaz came from Bet- Lechem, and said to the grain-cutters, Hashem be with you. And they answered, Hashem should give you his blessing.

5 Then Boaz said to his servant who was in authority over the cutters, Whose girl is this?

6 And the servant who was in authority over the cutters said, It is a Moabite girl who came back with Naomi out of the country of Moab;

7 And she said to me, Let me come into the grain-field and take up the grain after the cutters. So she came, and has been here from morning till now, without resting even for a minute.

8 Then said Boaz to Ruth, Listen to me, my daughter: do not go to cut the grain in another field, or go away from here, but keep here by my young women:

9 Keep your eyes on the field they are cutting, and go after them; I have given orders to the young men not to bother you? And when you are in need of drink go to the jugs and take of what the young men have put there.

**10** Then she bowed down to the earth, and said to him, why have I found favour in your eyes, that you give attention to me, seeing I am a foreigner?

**11** And Boaz said to her, I have had news of everything you have done for your mother-in-law after the death of your husband; how you went away from your father and mother and the land of your birth, and came to a people that you didn't know.

**12** May Hashem give you a reward for what you have done, under whose wings you have come to take cover.

**13** Then she said, May I have grace in your eyes, my lord, for you have given me comfort, and you have said kind words to your servant, though I am not like one of your servants.

**14** And at meal-time Boaz said to her, Come here, and take some of the bread, and put your bit into the wine. And she took her seat among the grain-cutters: and he gave her dry grain, and she took it, and there was more than enough for her meal.

**15** And when she got ready to take up the grain, Boaz gave his young men orders, saying, Let her take it even from among the cut grain, and say nothing to her.

**16** And let some grain be pulled out of what has been tied up, and dropped for her to take, and let no bad words be said to her.

**17** So she went on collecting the grain till evening; and after crushing out the seed it came to about an ephah {this is a quantity} of grain.

**18** And she took it up and went into the town; and she let her mother-in-law see what she had got, and after taking enough for herself she gave her the rest.

**19** And her mother-in-law said to her, Where did you gather grain today, and where were you working? May a blessing be on him who gave such attention to you. And she gave her mother-in-law an account of where she had been working, and said, The name of the man with whom I was working today is Boaz.

**20** And Naomi said to her daughter-in-law, May the blessing of Hashem, who has at all times been kind to the living and to the dead, be on him. And Naomi said to her, The man is of our family, one of our near relations.

**21** And Ruth the Moabitess said, Truly, he said to me, Keep near my young men till all my grain is cut.

**22** And Naomi said to Ruth, her daughter-in-law, It is better, my daughter, for you to go out with his servant-girls, so that no danger may come to you in another field.

**23** So she kept near the servant-girls of Boaz to take up the grain till the cutting of the early grain and the cutting of the late grain were ended; and she went on living with her mother-in-law.

## Questions:

1. Who was Naomi's relative?
2. What country did Ruth come from?
3. What blessing did the people give Boaz?
4. What request did Ruth have of the field owner?
5. What happened at the meal time?
6. Using quotes from the text, explain how Naomi reacted when Ruth came back home.

Answer the questions on the lines below





## **Question 2 {5 marks}**

Write the following text in Script Hebrew.

מֹשֶׁה קָבַל תּוֹרָה מִסִּינַי, וּמִסְרָהּ לִיהוֹשֻׁעַ, וִיהוֹשֻׁעַ לְזִקְנִים, וְזִקְנִים  
לְנָבִיאִים, וְנָבִיאִים מִסְרוּהָ לְאַנְשֵׁי כְנֶסֶת הַגְּדוּלָה.

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## **Question 3 {18}**

Write three different pieces of information about the characters below.  
You will not get marks for writing that Adam was married to Eve and Eve  
was married to Adam. Only stories that are written in the Torah will be  
awarded marks.

1. Adam
2. Avraham
3. Sarah
4. Yitzchak
5. Rivka
6. Moshe

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## SECTION B – Festivals and Shabbat

### **Question 5 {12 Marks}**

Write the names of the months of the Jewish Year in the correct order.

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12.

### **Question 6 {7 marks}**

For each festival include a **Mitzvah not a custom.**

Festival	Mitzvah
Rosh Hashana	
Yom Kippur	
Succot	
Chanukah	
Purim	
Pesach	
Shavuot	







**Question 9 {10 marks}**

Tefilah

How many times a day do Jewish people daven /pray?

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What names are given to the different prayer times?

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Make a list of five different tefilot that are said in the morning.

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### **Question 10 {8 marks}**

In the space provided write the Bracha said for the listed food

Apple	
Banana	
Cake	
Bread	
Milk	
Wine	
Meat	
Rice	

*The End*