

**Hebrew University of Jerusalem**  
**Rothberg International School**  
**Disclaimer Form**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Program: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please return one copy of this disclaimer to the Office of Academic Affairs.  
Make a copy for your records.*

Dear Student,

This relates to the study programs at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem in Israel for the coming academic year or semester in which you are enrolled, and sets forth the following terms and conditions of the program to which your enrollment is subject.

1. Should you at any time for any reason determine not to avail yourself of the entire program or should you for any reason be unable to do so, you will receive no concession or refund in respect of any portion thereof not so availed of (beyond the terms set out in the *Programs of Study* and the *Preparatory Handbook*.)
2. The Office of Academic Affairs (OAA), the Rothberg International School, and The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, will bear no responsibility and will by no means be held liable for any injury, damage, loss or expense arising thereof caused or inflicted upon a student during his/her trip to the school before reaching the Hebrew University campus, during vacations, outside the Hebrew University campus or upon the student's departure from the school.
3. The University will not be held responsible for the above or any other occurrences during your stay on campus, unless such liability arises under Israeli law. Students are advised to take out a proper insurance policy to cover such damage, injury, loss or expense.
4. Any legal claim by students or third parties for damages allegedly incurred during their stay in Israel, or any action against the Hebrew University of Jerusalem or the Office of Academic Affairs, shall be governed by Israeli Law and subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Israeli courts.
5. Possession of illegal drugs and narcotics, including but not limited to hashish, marijuana and cocaine, as well as the use, sale, transmission, and growing thereof, is strictly prohibited by Israeli law and may result in severe punishment. You should be aware of and accept the policy of the Hebrew University of Jerusalem prohibiting such possession, use, sale, transmission, etc., of illegal drugs and narcotics, and understand that any student committing such offenses is subject to immediate dismissal from the University. Dismissal on these grounds will allow no refund in respect or concession of school fees.
6. The program fees include provision for medical services, similar to those provided to other Hebrew University students. This, however, covers only minor illnesses and is by no means a comprehensive coverage. Coverage will not be provided for conditions existing prior to departure for Israel. Such conditions must be reported in your medical examination report. Students who are over 30 years of age upon commencing their studies at the Hebrew University are covered except for hospitalization. Hospitalization coverage may be purchased for an additional fee. Further information on the student health service is available in the *Preparatory Handbook* and the *Student Guide*.
7. Since neither the Hebrew University nor the OAA shall be liable for any injury, damage, loss or expense resulting from any illness or accident except in the limited manner set forth in paragraph 6, you should obtain appropriate accident, sickness, and major medical insurance coverage to protect yourself against such occurrences.
8. The Hebrew University and the OAA shall likewise have no liability for any loss or damage to your property. Therefore, it is recommended that you arrange in advance of your departure for adequate insurance coverage for theft, loss, or damage to any personal belongings of material value that you may take with you.

9. This letter of agreement shall not be modified except by another agreement in writing signed by the party to be bound thereby.
10. All printed information released by The Hebrew University of Jerusalem is designed to provide general information and in no way constitutes a legal obligation on the part of The Hebrew University of Jerusalem. All printed information is correct as of the date it is published. The University reserves the right to change any information contained in its publications without prior notice.
11. **For parents of students under the age of 21:** Our signatures below signify our permission for our son/daughter to travel independently at his/her own expense during his/her year or semester of study at The Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

Please sign and return to the Office of Academic Affairs one copy of this letter to evidence your acceptance and agreement thereto electronically ([hebrewu@hebrewu.com](mailto:hebrewu@hebrewu.com)) or through the mail (One Battery Park Plaza, 25<sup>th</sup> floor, New York, NY 10004). **If you are under 21 years of age, please have BOTH parents sign on the lines provided below your signature to evidence their acceptance and agreement. Signatures must be witnessed** (notary public not required).

Very truly yours,

Office of Academic Affairs  
Rothberg International School

\_\_\_\_\_  
Keri Rosenbluh  
Director, Office of Academic Affairs

**ACCEPTED AND AGREED**                      **DATE** \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Participant/Name of Program

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent 1 or Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Parent 2 or Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address (if different than first parent)

**NOT VALID UNLESS SIGNED BY TWO WITNESSES:**

\_\_\_\_\_(Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_(Signature)