



Shabbat Morning Children's Programs

@ Germantown Jewish Centre

All programs meet weekly during the school year with some exceptions



CHILDCARE



A supervised drop-off program that engages children in play, stories and snacks while parents are participating in Shabbat services. Our pre-school teacher, Tina Easley, supervises the program. No reservations are necessary. For children up to age 5, 10 AM—12:30 PM.

GINAT SHABBAT

A parent-child Shabbat service, Ginat Shabbat is a garden of delights for pre-schoolers ready to move their little bodies and partake in fun and engaging Shabbat activities! This minyan uses its own Siddur – the program includes prayer, sharing, and a puppet show highlighting themes from the weekly Torah portion or upcoming holiday. Each session features its own Kiddush followed by storytelling. For children up to age 5, 11 AM—12 Noon. Led by Kathy Amrom.



MINYAN ORANIM



This is a transitional service for children who have aged-out of Ginat Shabbat and are moving towards participation in Junior Congregation. Minyan Oranim will introduce the tunes and prayers of Junior Congregation and allow youngsters to take a guest role in the older service. Minyan Oranim will also include shomer shabbat games and Torah stories. Followed by Kids Kiddush. For children in Grades 1 & 2, 11 AM—12 Noon. Led by Dove Rosenberg

JUNIOR CONGREGATION

Junior Congregation is a weekly prayer service where children take the lead in running the program. This is a cross-age experience where students contribute in the ways that they are most comfortable – some lead prayers in Hebrew or in English, some prepare Torah readings, and the youngest children participate in a variety of activities that do not even require reading! You can reserve a leadership role in the service by contacting the leader. Followed by Kid's Kiddush. For children in Grades 3-7, 11 AM—12 Noon. Led by Rabbi Shai Gluskin.

