

# Café Olam



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On-going Program    One-time Program   |    Virtual    Face to Face

## Description

Café olam is a series of 8-session online conversational language course, where participants can practice their English, Hebrew, Hungarian or Yiddish skills in small groups. In the framework of a virtual café, students discuss current events and other topics of interest, similar to the way people share their thoughts in a foreign language in other P2G programs. The conversation is led by volunteer tutors who are native speakers of the language in practice. Our program champions supervise the tutors and may develop and provide special educational materials. In 2023, a delegation will be held, where tutors can teach under-served populations.

## Goals

1

Connect people from Israel, Budapest and USA through the experience of practicing a foreign language together

2

Foster a sense of jewish peoplehood among different P2G communities by helping them to express their thoughts and feelings in a foreign language on a deeper level

3

Expose participants and their families to other Partnership programs

## Measurable Objectives / Outcomes

1. Open conversational groups in English / Hebrew / Hungarian / Yiddish / other languages three times a year: after the high holidays, at the beginning of February and after Yom Ha'atzmaut
2. Have each group meet for at least eight meetings with the possibility for an extension in the next season of café olam
3. Give an opportunity to minimum 10 motivated volunteers per year to take part in the program as tutors
4. Engage 40 people per year

## TARGET AUDIENCE

<b>PRIMARY</b>	People with basic conversational knowledge of Hebrew, English, Hungarian or Yiddish, who would like to improve their spoken language skills. Native speaking volunteers with the desire to become a leader of a language group
<b>SECONDARY</b>	Family members and friends of participants and leaders

## BUDGET

Total Cost Of Program	\$1,000
Expected Participation Fee	
Funding From Other Sources	
Total Request From Partnership	\$1,000