

MJCCA FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FAQ's
2017 Update for Camps/Preschools/BBYO/Maccabi

- 1. Is financial assistance available to anyone who requests help for MJCCA programs?**
 - Financial assistance is only available to MJCCA Members in good standing at the time of registration.
 - If your MJCCA account is past due, your financial assistance application will not be considered until your account is made current.
 - If you are not a current MJCCA Member, you must first establish a membership before enrolling into a program. If you plan to be a Summer member, your membership must be paid in full or you must establish a credit/debit plan for payment before camp starts.

- 2. How do I initiate the financial assistance process for my child's tuition?**
 - Submit an application for camp or school
 - Pay the required deposit
 - Please indicate on your camp or school registration form that you are requesting financial assistance
 - Apply for financial assistance on-line at www.online.factsmgt.com/aid

- 3. What documents are required?**
 - 1040/1040EZ or other 2016 Federal Tax Return, with all schedules, W-2 and 1099 Forms (2015 returns may be used until February 28, 2017)
 - Current 2016 pay stubs (2)
 - Public Assistance verification if applicable
 - Unemployment Insurance verification if applicable and most recent tax return
 - Social Security/SSI Income/ pension verification if applicable

- 4. Are there adjusted registration fees/deposits if I apply for financial assistance?**
 - **Camp Barney Registration:** You must pay the adjusted deposit of \$200 per child at time of registration to hold space. Fees will begin to be charged based on a 25% discount until financial assistance is determined.
 - **Day Camp/ Preschools/Club J/ Maccabi Games/BBYO Registration:** You must pay posted registration fee and camp deposit to hold the space

- 5. Am I required to begin paying for Camp/School if I am applying for financial assistance?**

All families applying for Financial Assistance **must** select one of the payment options at time of registration.

 - Payment plan 15th of the month
 - Payment in Full

- 6. May I pay the deposit by one payment method and the balance of the fees by a different payment method? YES**

- 7. What happens if I miss a payment for camp or school?**

If you default on the payment plan, your current and future financial assistance will be in jeopardy as well as your child's ability to participate in our programs. **Summer Camp Fees must be paid in full prior to the start of camp.** We will consider extenuating circumstances when establishing a payment plan.

8. What happens if I receive additional financial assistance from a source other than the MJCCA?

The MJCCA reserves the right to adjust all MJCCA financial assistance awards based on information regarding change in income or awards from outside sources toward tuition.

9. Do I need a separate application in FACTS for each child attending MJCCA Camps or Schools?

- Only one Financial Assistance form per family is required for the 2017 camp season and 2017-18 school year.
- You must list each camp or school for each child for whom you are requesting financial assistance.

10. What are the deadlines for financial assistance applications?

We welcome financial assistance applications throughout the registration period. Priority will be given to those applications that meet these deadlines:

- **Camp Barney Medintz** – November 20, 2016
- **Weinstein and Sunshine Schools**- February 1, 2017
- **Zaban Day Camps**- February 12, 2017
- **BBYO Conventions**-two weeks prior to each convention