

Faculty and Staff 2016-2017



Denver Academy
of Torah

Head of School, K-12			
Mrs. Naomi Lev			
Academic Administration Structure		Operations and Business Administration	
Mrs. Faith Dyrsten	Dean of Experiential Education, Administrator, 9-12	Ms. Amy Berkowitz-Caplan	Director of Admissions and Communication
Mrs. Naomi Lev	Dean of Post Secondary Guidance	Ms. Marcia Chaimovitz	Administrative Assistant, 9-12
Rabbi Hyiam Reiffman	Dean of Information and Innovation, Administrator, K-8	Mrs. Charlene Engleberg	Business and Development Assistant
Mrs. Lisa Stroll	Dean of Student and Academic Affairs, K-8	Mrs. Linda Hamo	Office Manager, K-8
Mrs. Liora Wittlin	Dean of Student Affairs, 9-12		

Program Directors	
Mrs. CJ Darby	Director of Technology Services, 9-12
Morah Liat Gold	Director of Israel Engagement, 9-12
Mrs. Heather McLellan	Director of Learning Resource Coordinator, K-8
Morah Shanit Oesterle	Director of Student Programming and Israel Engagement, K-8
Mr. Vincent Ruscio	Director of Athletics, 9-12
Mr. Lawrence Stroll	Director of College Guidance, 9-12

Teaching and Support Staff, K-8		
Kindergarten Lead Teachers	Morah Gilat Steiner	Ms. Krystal Stark
Kindergarten Assistant	Morah Iris Freedman	

1 st Grade, General Studies	Ms. Linda Icenhower	
1 st Grade, Limudei Kodesh	Morah Sheindy Brackman	
1 st Grade Aide	Morah Robyn Hill	
2 nd Grade General Studies, Co-Teachers	Ms. Linda Icenhower	Mrs. Rebecca Mogyoros
2 nd Grade Limudei Kodesh Teachers	Morah Ariella Sunshine	Morah Rivka Gross
3 rd Grade, General Studies	Ms. Krystal Stark	
3 rd Grade, Limudei Kodesh	Morah Rivka Gross	
4 th Grade, General Studies	Mrs. Heather McLellan	
4 th Grade, Limudei Kodesh	Morah Inbal Shraiber	
5 th Grade, General Studies	Mr. Maxwell Rotbart	
5 th Grade, Limudei Kodesh	Mrs. Chaya Rachel Schnall	Mishna: Rabbi Leib Zalesch
6 th Grade	Ms. April Errico	Science
	Rabbi Seth Herstic	Tanach
	Morah Shanit Oesterle	Hebrew Language
	Mrs. Carolyn Reiffman	Literature, Writing, Social Studies
	Mr. Lawrence Stroll	Math
	Rabbi Leib Zalesch	Gemara and Halacha
7 th Grade	Ms. April Errico	Science
	Rabbi Seth Herstic	Tanach
	Morah Shanit Oesterle	Hebrew Language
	Mrs. Carolyn Reiffman	English
	Mr. Maxwell Rotbart	Social Studies
	Mr. Lawrence Stroll	Math
	Rabbi Michael Sunshine	Halacha
	Rabbi Leib Zalesch	Gemara
8 th Grade	Ms. April Errico	Science
	Rabbi Seth Herstic	Tanach
	Morah Shanit Oesterle	Hebrew Language
	Mrs. Carolyn Reiffman	Yearbook
	Mr. Maxwell Rotbart	Social Studies

	Mr. Lawrence Stroll	Math
	Mrs. Lisa Stroll	English
	Rabbi Leib Zalesch	Gemara and Halacha
Visual Arts	Mrs. Linda Hamo	K-8
Physical Education	Coach Rachel Johnson	Hot Shot Sports
Technology Education	Rabbi Hyiam Reiffman	K-8
Learning Resource Staff	Mrs. Rebecca Mogyoros	Morah Shanit Oesterle

Teaching and Support Staff, 9-12	
Mrs. CJ Darby	Geometry, Algebra 2, Algebra 2 Honors, Pre-Calculus, AP Calculus AB/BC, AP Statistics
Mr. Ed Davis	US History, CP and AP US Government and Politics
Mrs. Faith Dyrsten	Introduction to Design, Pre-AP and AP Drawing, AP Student Art, Independent Study Art
Rabbi Shmuly Engel	Gemara, Girls Advanced Gemara, Tefilla
Ms. April Errico	Physics
Morah Liat Gold	Hebrew
Reb Noam Horowitz	Boys Advanced Gemara, Halacha, Senior Seminar, Israel Guidance
Coach Rachel Johnson	Physical Education Coordinator, Basketball Coach and Coaching Coordinator
Ms. Melissa Krockner	9 th and 11 th Grade English, SCOPE
Mrs. Cheryl Makovsky	10 th and 12 th Grade English, 11 th Grade AP Language and Composition
Morah Gilat Steiner	Hebrew
Mr. Lawrence Stroll	Algebra, Business and Personal Finance
Mrs. Liora Wittlin	Tanach, Senior Seminar, Israel Guidance