

## YESHIVA SHAAREI TORAH OF ROCKLAND

### ADMISSIONS POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

#### ADMISSION

Yeshiva Shaarei Torah of Rockland offers an intensive program of Talmudic studies at the undergraduate level, leading to a First Talmudic Degree. To be considered for admission to the program, students must meet the following admission requirements:

#### Admission Requirements:

Generally, students applying to Yeshiva Shaarei Torah of Rockland must meet one of the following requirements:

1. Have graduated high school and provide evidence of high school graduation.
2. Have completed homeschooling at the secondary level as defined by state law and provide documentation of homeschooling.
3. Meet one of the recognized equivalents. Recognized equivalents include:
  - a. GED/TASC/HiSET
  - b. Successful completion of an associate's degree program;
  - c. Successful completion of at least 60 semester or trimester credit hours or 72 quarter credit hours that does not result in the awarding of an associate's degree, but that is acceptable for full credit toward a bachelor's degree at any institution; or
  - d. Enrollment in a bachelor's degree program where at least 60 semester or trimester credit hours or 72 quarter credit hours have been successfully completed, including credit hours transferred into the bachelor's degree program.

Students must also show:

- Competence in the Chumash (Pentateuch) and commentaries
- Completion of 150 folio pages of Talmud
- Competence in the laws and customs codified in Jewish Codes of Law (Shulchan Aruch Orach Chaim), along with a personal commitment to their observance
- Positive references from previous schools attended
- A commitment to fulfilling the institution's mission and to conforming to its culture
- A commitment to high standards of morality and character

Admissions Procedure:

To initiate the admissions procedure, students must contact the Registrar, Mrs. Rachel Celnik at (845) 352-3431 or write to:

Yeshiva Shaarei Torah of Rockland

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Suffern, NY 10901

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Upon acceptance, students will be required to complete an admission form.

**READMISSION**

A student who voluntarily interrupts his study at Yeshiva Shaarei Torah of Rockland for more than one semester must seek permission for readmission from the Rosh Hayeshiva, Rabbi Mordechai Wolmark. Students readmitted under these circumstances continue their studies under the graduation requirements in effect at the time of their readmission.