

TEMPLE BETH EMETH OF MT. SINAI POLICY REGARDING PREPAREDNESS FOR B'NAI MITZVOT. EFFECTIVE 7/1/2023

The Temple Beth Emeth Religious School's goal is to provide each student with knowledge in Hebrew and Jewish studies including holidays, history and traditions. Due to our size, we are able to meet each student where they are in order to prepare a positive and memorable Jewish experience. As a culmination of these experiences they will participate in a B'nai Mitzvah ceremony. It is a requirement for our B'nai Mitzvah candidates to be a part of our religious school for a period of time that should be determined by our faculty based on the candidate's prior experience and skills. All B'nai Mitzvah candidates must **be currently enrolled in** TBE's religious school in order to determine their readiness to participate in B'nai Mitzvah ceremony at TBE. If a determination is made that an individual is requesting to be a B'nai Mitzvah at Temple Beth Emeth, but does not comply with the policy of TBE regarding B'nai Mitzvah, the determination may be appealed to a committee that shall include the Rabbi, Religious School principal, and President of TBE.

TBE AD HOC COMMITTEE ON ALTERNATIVE RELIGIOUS SCHOOLING
Amy Schneider, Chairperson