

# REBBEIM



**RABBI NISSON FRIEDMAN**  
**Rosh Mechina**  
**11th Grade Rebbe**  
 Mir Brooklyn, Brisk Yerushalayim  
 Bais Medrash Govoha/Lakewood



**RABBI YOSEF ZEMEL**  
**7th Grade Rebbe**  
**Jr High Assistant Principal**  
 Yeshiva V'Kollel Beis Moshe Chaim



**RABBI YISRAEL WEBERMAN**  
**12th Grade Rebbe**  
 Yeshiva V'Kollel Beis Moshe Chaim



**RABBI MENACHEM HOROWITZ**  
**10th Grade Rebbe**  
**Shacharis Mashgiach**  
 Yeshiva Gedolah of Passaic  
 Rav Meir Soleveitchik/Yerushalayim  
 Bais Medrash Govoha/Lakewood  
 Miami Beach Community Kollel



**RABBI AVROHOM AARON ELIAS**  
**9th Grade Rebbe**  
 Philadelphia Yeshiva  
 Mir Yerushalayim  
 Bais Medrash Govoha/Lakewood  
 Miami Beach Community Kollel



**RABBI AARON DOV BARKANY**  
**8th Grade Rebbe**  
 Yeshiva Gedolah of Montreal  
 Rav Dovid Soleveitchik/Yerushalayim  
 Bais Medrash Govoha/Lakewood



**RABBI MEYER GREENBAUM**  
**8th Grade Rebbe**  
 Yeshivas Bais Moshe, Scranton  
 Ner Moshe, Rav Shalom Schechter  
 Bais Medrash Govoha/Lakewood  
 Kollel Zichron Michel, North Miami Beach



**RABBI PESACH SHIFMAN**  
**12th Grade Bekius**  
**Extra-Curricular Learning**  
 Yeshiva V'Kollel Beis Moshe Chaim  
 Yeshivas Mir Yerushalayim



**RABBI DANIEL GROSS**  
**11th Grade Bekius**  
**12th Grade Shoel U'mashiv**  
 Toras Moshe  
 Ner Yisrael, Baltimore  
 Yeshiva V'Kollel Beis Moshe Chaim



**RABBI SHLOMO KRAVETZ**  
**11th Grade Chumash/**  
**Halacha/Hachanah**  
 Yeshiva Gedola of Passaic



**RABBI YITZCHOK SHIFMAN**  
**10th Grade Bekias**  
 Yeshiva V'Kollel Bais Moshe Chaim  
 Yeshivas Mir Yerushalayim  
 Ner Yisrael, Baltimore



**RABBI AVROHAM ELEFANT**  
**9th Grade Bekias**  
 Yeshiva Gedolah of Cliffwood  
 Ner Moshe, Rav Shalom Schechter  
 Bais Medrash Govoha/Lakewood



**RABBI AHARON GREENBERG**  
**Shoel U'mashiv**  
 Yeshiva V'Kollel Beis Moshe Chaim



**RABBI BINYAMIN GOLDSTEIN**  
**Night Seder/Dorm Mashgiach**  
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 Yeshivas Mir Yerushalayim  
 Yeshivas Chosein Yehoshua,  
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**MIDDOS TOVOS AND**  
**DERECH ERETZ.**



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## A Passion for Limud HaTorah

The highly talented Rebbeim at the Mechina of South Florida are Talmidei Chachomim who inspire their students to develop a passion for learning. The Bochorim acquire a proficiency of skills and a comprehensive understanding and command of Yedios HaTorah. The Rebbeim motivate the Talmidim by example and by the strong personal bonds that they develop with them.



## A Multi-Faceted Experience

The Mechina of South Florida is a fully immersive experience. The Bochorim are taught how to learn, and their growth is encouraged in all areas of life.

Several optional programs take place on a consistent basis throughout the school year:

The **Mechina Masmidim** program is well attended and enables Bochorim to finish an additional Masechta in their free time. Younger Bochorim are paired with older Chavrusas to help them accomplish their goals.

The **Mechina Mishmar** program brings guest speakers and special presentations to the Mechina each and every Thursday night. The program focuses on the speaker's first-hand life experiences and their interplay with Yiddeshkeit and Torah values. Speakers have addressed the boys on a broad range of topics and current issues. **Friday Night Oneg**, Shabbos meals hosted by the Rebbeim, and **Rosh Chodesh Mesibos** with spirited singing help to foster a unique atmosphere of Ruach and Achdus.

The **Mechina Winter Shabbos Retreat** is the annual school Shabbaton. Learning, Shteiging amazing Shabbos Seudos with lively Zemiros, and great sports activities are all par for the course.

## Part of a Complete Unit

The Mechina of South Florida operates in conjunction with the Yeshiva and Kollel Beis Moshe Chaim. This connection allows the Bochorim to develop relationships with Beis Medrash Bochorim and Kollel Yungerleit in the atmosphere of a genuine Makom Torah.



## Academic Excellence

The general studies program at Mechina of South Florida provides students with a comprehensive, first-rate education. The fully accredited program is taught by certified and experienced teachers who provide the students with the skills and knowledge to succeed in any area, including further education.



## Comfortable Living

The campus at Mechina of South Florida offers a comfortable and spacious dormitory. Our dormitory is fully supervised and avails Bochorim of their every need. Dorms include separate bath/showers in every room, basketball courts, an artificial turf football field and recreational rooms.

## Junior High School

A major goal in the 7th and 8th grades is to foster a great love for Torah at this unique stage in the boys' lives. There is a strong focus on Gemara reading skills as well as challenging the Talmidim to strive further in their Gemara analysis. The Junior High Talmidim take active leadership roles in their own dedicated Minyan and enjoy bonding with the older Bochorim on Achdus outings and at Mesibos. Additionally, the general studies classes build a solid foundation of knowledge and skills.

## Valuable Community Connections

At Mechina of South Florida we pride ourselves in promoting a sense of shared communal responsibility and Ahavas Yisrael. Many Bochorim serve as leaders for the local Pirchei Agudas Yisrael, some have Chavrusas with local community members, and others perform volunteer work for community Chesed initiatives.



“ The Mechina should continue with its excellent work. ”

**HaRav Shmuel Kamenetsky**  
ROSH HAYESHIVA, PHILADELPHIA



“ Every time I come to Florida, I am impressed by the Roshem that Reb Nisson Friedman leaves on his Talmidim and the Ahavas HaTorah he instills in them. ”

**HaRav Malkiel Kotler**  
ROSH HAYESHIVA, BMG LAKEWOOD



“ I was impressed by the true Geshmak, high caliber of learning and Chein exhibited by the Bochorim of the Mechina. The decorum and Derech Eretz that the Bochorim displayed was truly outstanding. ”

**HaRav Eliyahu Brudny**  
ROSH YESHIVA, MIR BROOKLYN

