

The University is committed to a policy of equal opportunity and nondiscrimination in admission and all other facets of its educational programs and activities. The University encourages applications from qualified students regardless of sex, religion, age, race, disability, marital status, color, or national origin, within the meaning of applicable law.

INQUIRIES

All requests for information about the School and supporting documents pertaining to admission should be sent to the Office of the Dean, Bernard Revel Graduate School, Yeshiva University, 500 West 185th Street, New York, NY 10033-3201.

REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES FOR MA AND PHD DEGREES

Students should apply at least three months prior to the semester in which they wish to be admitted.

To be considered for a scholarship and/or fellowship, a student must submit the application for admission and all supporting documents no later than February 15.

The applicant must hold a bachelor's degree or its equivalent from a recognized college or university, and have a grade point average of at least B (3.0). Academic background should include documented evidence of a Hebrew proficiency adequate for the required readings. In the absence of such evidence,

a Hebrew reading test may be required as part of the admission process.

The applicant for the PhD must also hold a master's degree from a recognized university in an area of Jewish studies.

Applicants are required to complete the application forms found at the back of this catalog and submit all supporting documents. Further procedure is listed in the application form.

CATEGORIES OF STUDENTS

Degree Students

Students admitted with permission to work toward degrees are considered matriculated. They fall into two categories:

1. *Regular Students*—Those who have met all conditions for admission.
2. *Provisional Students*—Those who have not met all conditions of the application process but who may become regular students once all conditions for admission have been met. Provisional students do not automatically become regular students.

Nondegree Students

Students who wish to enroll for courses to meet their particular needs without entering a degree program are considered nonmatriculated. They fall into two categories:

1. *Visiting Students*—Those in good standing at another school of Yeshiva University, who have the permission of the dean of that school and of the dean of Revel Graduate School, may register for a limited number of courses.
2. *Transient Students*—Those in good standing at other colleges and universities, who have the permission of their home institution and of the dean of Revel Graduate School, may enroll for courses for possible transfer to their home school.

Undergraduate Students at Yeshiva University

Students who wish to enroll for courses to meet their undergraduate and/or graduate needs fall into two categories:

1. *Bachelor's/Master's (BA/MA) students*—Undergraduate students may register for the joint BA/MA program (see pages 14–15).
2. *Undergraduate students taking graduate courses for undergraduate credit*—With the permission of the college dean and the dean of Revel Graduate School, undergraduate students may take graduate courses for undergraduate credit only. These courses cannot be converted to graduate courses should the student desire to enroll in Revel for a graduate degree.

Auditors

A limited number of persons with the appropriate background may, with the permission of the dean, register as auditors. They are required to pay a stipulated fee. The category of auditor does not entitle the student to submit any coursework or to receive an academic record. An auditor is not entitled to use any campus facilities.



FOREIGN STUDENTS

Foreign students applying for admission to the School are strongly advised to file applications for admission well in advance of the admission deadline in order to insure sufficient time for evaluation. They should have forwarded to the Office of the Dean complete transcripts of previous academic training and a certified translation of each document written in a foreign language other than Hebrew.

In addition to all admission requirements, proficiency in English—verbal and written comprehension and expression—is a prerequisite for study. Applicants whose native language is not English must submit acceptable proof of their proficiency in English before being considered for admission. Normally the student is expected to demonstrate proficiency in English by receiving an acceptable score on the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL), administered by the Educational Testing Service. This test is given in various locations throughout the world several times a year. Information on the location of testing centers as well as other pertinent information can be obtained by contacting:

TOEFL
Educational Testing Service
P.O. Box 6155
Princeton NJ 08541-6155
(609) 771-7100