MISSION TO MEXICO CITY | May 2-6, 2027
Anticipated Itinerary

Registration Link: https://cvent.me/1vBvxw

Day 1 **Sunday, May 2: Welcome to Mexico City!**

Group Arrival in Mexico City.

After clearing Customs, transfer to the **Hyatt Regency Mexico City** (Polanco)

6:30 pm **Orientation session** at the hotel

8:00 pm **Group Welcome Dinner with Mezcal tasting**

9:30 pm **Return to the hotel**

Overnight: Mexico City

Day 2 **Monday, May 3**

Breakfast at the hotel

8:00 am **Depart the hotel** (drive north to the pyramids)

9:15 am **Arrive at the Pyramids of Teotihuacan**

What is now the heart of this modern city was also once the center of the Aztec world, Tenochtitlan. Famous for its large pyramids dedicated to the sun and the moon, the site also contains beautiful murals and carvings and several museums through which you can explore the city's fascinating history

12:00 pm **Lunch** at **Aguamiel restaurant**

3:30 pm **Visit Centro Deportivo Israelita** – *the Israeli Sports Center, where you will be greeted and given a tour of the center. Learn from the **Jewish Agency for Israel (JAFI**) and the work they do in Mexico*

6:00 pm Return to the hotel and freshen up

7:30 pm **Group dinner** with guest speaker from **Comite Central** (Central Committee of Mexico's Jewish Community)

10:00 pm **Return to the hotel**

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Day 3 **Tuesday, May 4**

Breakfast at the hotel

8:30 am **Depart hotel** to the Olami ORT school

9:15 am **Olami ORT school**

Tour the facilities and meet the school's Directors. A vanguard new Jewish school, engaged with the values of Jewish and universal education of excellency. A space to explore, discover and innovate, where the student is the center. With a global vision, it focuses on personal growth for the good of our society

11:00 am Drive towards downtown to learn about Mexico City's history as you pass through the **Paseo de la Reforma** and view some of the iconic monuments like Diana the Huntress and the Angel of Independence.

12:00 pm **First synagogues in Mexico:**

*You will be guided through a tour of two prominent Synagogues in Mexico City, the **Justo Sierra** and the **Mount Sinai Synagogue**. Mount Sinai Synagogue was built in 1918 by Jews arriving from the Middle East while the Justo Sierra Synagogue was formed in 1941 for Orthodox Jews coming from Poland, Russia, Hungary, Germany, Czechoslovakia and Austria during the Second World War.*

1:30 pm Stop for lunch at **Limosneros**

3:30 pm **Zócalo, Metropolitan Cathedral and Templo Mayor**

*Upon arrival to the **Zócalo** your guide will have an explanation of the **Metropolitan Cathedral**. This beautiful, imposing cathedral dominates the vast expanse of Mexico City's central square, or zócalo. The Metropolitan Cathedral is not only one of Mexico's most treasured architectural masterpieces; it is also Latin America's largest and oldest cathedral.*

5:00 pm Depart downtown

6:00 pm **Return to hotel – evening at leisure**

Overnight: Mexico City

Day 4 **Wednesday, May 5**

Breakfast in the hotel

TBA Meeting with the **Israeli Ambassador to Mexico** (NC)

10:00 am Drive to **Coyoacan,** a historic borough and bohemian neighborhood

11:00 am Tour the **Frida Kahlo Museum**

Located in one of the oldest and most beautiful neighborhoods in Mexico City, the Blue House was made into a museum in 1958, four years after the death of the painter

12:30 pm Eat **lunch** in Coyoacan with **Moishe House residents** (NC)
3:00 pm Visit the **Chapultepec Castle**

Panoramic city views and rich Mexican history. This iconic castle, built in1785, served as an imperial and presidential residence and features 12 rooms that tell the story of Mexico from the Conquest to the Mexican Revolution

6:00 pm **Reflection Session** in a private room

7:30 pm Depart for **Farewell Dinner** at **Galea** restaurant

10:00 pm Return to the hotel

Optional Late-Night Outing:
Salsa dancing at Mama Rumba

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Day 5 **Thursday, May 6**

Breakfast at the hotel

Drive to **Aeropuerto Internacional Benito Juárez**
End of services

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Services Included in this itinerary

- One Group airport arrival and one group departure transfer
- 5 days of transportation on a private coach bus
- 5 days with an English-speaking guide in the itinerary
- 4 nights in the hotel listed above including breakfast
- One local security guard
- 2 bottles of water per day per person
- Tips and gratuities
- Porterage
- VAT and Local Taxes

NOT included:

- Any services not mentioned above
- Any personal nature expenses
- International airfare
- Travel and medical insurance (We strongly suggest the acquisition of comprehensive medical and travel ("Cancel for Any Reason") insurance.
- Quarantine expenses related to COVID

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