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London School of Jewish Studies

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1. About The London School of Jewish Studies

The London School of Jewish Studies (LSJS) is a world class centre of teaching and learning. We provide professional development for Jewish Studies teachers through our Jewish Education degree programmes and our Jewish Studies teachers' conferences.

We provide innovative, accessible and intellectually rigorous lifelong learning opportunities within our campus and around the community.

More than 170 years after it first opened, LSJS continues to grow and to cater to the evolving educational needs of the UK Jewish community as a thriving hub of Jewish educational excellence.

2. Our campus

London School of Jewish Studies

Schaller House

Wohl Campus for Jewish Education

44a Albert Road

London NW4 2SJ

The Campus is a short distance from Hendon Central underground station which is on the Northern Line.

Local bus routes 183 and 240 run from Golders Green Station and stop at Bell Lane. From there, the walk to LSJS is around 5-7 minutes.

Click here for a Google maps link.

3. Opening hours and contact details

General opening hours:

Monday – Thursday 9am-5.30pm

Fridays – 9am-12.30pm

Contact Details

Telephone	020 8203 6427
Email	lsjsadmin@lsjs.ac.uk

4. Accessibility

The Wohl Campus is all on one level and is suitable for anyone with mobility difficulties.

The building is fully wheelchair accessible and includes disabled facilities.

The campus is accessible by both car and public transport, with some parking available on site.

If you have a disability and you would like to receive information in an alternative format, please contact Suzanne Wayland by emailing Suzanne.wayland@lsjs.ac.uk or calling 020 8203 6427.

We make all our qualifications as accessible as possible and have a comprehensive range of services to support all our students.

5. IT Facilities

LSJS employs the Moodle VLE and Turnitin systems for our teaching, learning and assessments. Students will be able to engage with tutors, peers and the course materials via the LSJS virtual learning environment "e-lsjs" (Moodle.lsjs.ac.uk). You will receive a password and other login details as part of the registration process, and detailed information about how to use the site is included in your induction module.

Students are provided with their own individual LSJS email address and Moodle account as part of the registration process, and detailed information about how to use the site is included in the induction module.

We also provide students with access to a range of online library resources outside of the institution. These include:

- Full online access to e-books and journals in the LSJS library
- Behrman Jewish Policy Archive
- EBSCO
- J STOR
- SAGE
- Sefaria

6. LSJS Library

The Marc Weinberg Community Library

Combining the best of the old and the new, the Marc Weinberg Library is one of British Jewry's most significant resources. The library holds the historic Jews' College Collection, which contains over 50,000 volumes of Judaica and Hebraica.

The facility is a modern open library, suitable for both personal and academic study, with free wi-fi facilities and an online catalogue. The library provides a warm and inviting location for people to browse and borrow books. It is a comfortable place for research and study.

Opening hours:

- Sunday by arrangement
- Monday 9.00 – 18.30
- Tuesday 9.00 – 18.30
- Wednesday 9.00 – 18.30
- Thursday 9.00 – 18.30
- Friday 9.00 – 13.00 (winter hours)
- 9.00 – 15.00 (summer hours)
- Saturday CLOSED

You can email us via library@lsjs.ac.uk or call 0208 203 6427 extension 206.

Librarians

Our Librarian is Samantha Reuben.

Our Consultant Librarian is Erla Zimmels.

7. Social spaces

On campus

LSJS has two coffee lounges available for students, which provide hot and cold beverages free of charge.

The coffee lounges are a social space for students that can be accessed whenever the campus is open.

There is a coffee lounge available in each building on campus.

Off Campus

For food and drink off campus, you may wish to visit the shops, cafés and restaurants on Bell Lane, where there is a wide variety of choice from both Kosher and non-Kosher places.

Nearby, Hendon Park is a beautiful 12-hectare tranquil green space which has a Kosher café on site. Queens Road (Hendon Central Station) has a wide range of coffee shops and takeaways where you can grab a quick bite to eat.

If you wish to travel a little further afield, Brent Cross Shopping centre has a great variety of informal places, as well as many restaurants, including both recognised restaurant chains and independent gems.

8. Support services at LSJS

LSJS Administrative Office

The LSJS Administrative Office is the first port of call for student support and information. Suzanne Wayland is available during office hours and can be contacted at suzanne.wayland@lsjs.ac.uk.

IT Support

Any issues with IT access should be directed to either the Academic Office or the Programme Leader in the first instance.

If students require help using Moodle or submitting an assessment online, contact Suzanne Wayland by emailing suzanne.wayland@lsjs.ac.uk.

Counselling

Students are advised to contact their Personal Tutor, who will be able to help students find support and direct them to appropriate services.

Disability support

LSJS is an institution committed to inclusion and to accommodating any student with special access needs, whether they be physical or academic. In the first instance, students are advised to contact their Personal Tutor about any special access needs, and they will be able to discuss the various solutions available.

If student needs specifically concern access to the LSJS premises and buildings, please contact Paul Gould, Chief Operating Officer: paul.gould@lsjs.ac.uk.

Please see our Equality and Diversity Policy here.

Financial issues

Students facing financial difficulties, or who wish to have a confidential discussion about their financial situation, are advised to speak in the first instance to their Personal Tutor who will be able to direct them to the most appropriate support.

Specific financial matters

Students requiring specific advice on practical financial matters, such as payment schedules or student loans, are advised to contact Paul Gould, Chief Operating Officer: paul.gould@lsjs.ac.uk

LSJS is able to provide a list of suggested organisations to which students may apply for a bursary towards their studies.

Please contact Suzanne Wayland for further information: suzanne.wayland@lsjs.ac.uk.

9. Student discounts and student union memberships

LSJS students are entitled to the following benefits:

NUS Totum Discount Card

This is a student discount card which can be used at a very large number of retailers within the UK. Apply directly for your Totum card on the NUS website here. Please note that your Totum card will only be delivered to a UK address.

International Youth Travel Card (IYTC)

Students under the age of 35 can apply for the International Youth Travel Card (IYTC) which offers discounts on travel, shopping and experiences worldwide. The IYTC card costs £12 (price as of July 2025). Apply here.

Middlesex University Students' Union

As you are not attending a programme taught on a Middlesex University campus, you are not eligible to be a member of Middlesex University Students' Union (MUSU). Given that LSJS currently does not have its own students' union, you are not eligible either to be a member of the National Union of Students (NUS). Contact NUS for more information on starting a students' union here.

10. Synagogue

The onsite Synagogue is available to all students and members of the LSJS community.

The Synagogue can be accessed at any time during the LSJS opening hours when no class is being held in this space.

11. Teaching and learning facilities

The Wohl Campus has a variety of conference and lecture rooms.

Schaller House and Beit Meir have ample, well-equipped classrooms.

All rooms are equipped with good internet connections, power and projectors.

Electronic whiteboards are also available in some rooms.

Please see a map of the campus here.

12. Staff at LSJS

LSJS employs 16 members of permanent staff. Two members of the permanent staff teach on the degree programmes.

Additionally, LSJS has a pool of over 50 part-time lecturers who contribute to our degree and adult education programmes on an hourly-paid basis. Of these, approximately ten are expected to teach on the degree programmes. In addition, a number of international guest lecturers visit annually.

Key academic contacts

- Director of Post-graduate Degrees; Senior Research Fellow; LSJS Institution Link Tutor - Dr. Helena Miller, Helena.miller@lsjs.ac.uk
- Middlesex University Link Tutor, Rebecca Lerman, r.lerman@mdx.ac.uk
- Dean, London School of Jewish Studies, Rabbi Dr Raphael Zarum, Raphael.zarum@lsjs.ac.uk
- Director of Academic Quality, Shivanti Lowton, shivanti.lowton@lsjs.ac.uk
- Head of Undergraduate Degrees – Yolande Pieters, yolande.pieters@lsjs.ac.uk

Additional teaching staff

For a full list of additional teaching staff, visit www.lsjs.ac.uk/people

Technical staff

Luke Cox, Educational Technology Support Officer, helpdesk@lsjs.ac.uk

Administrative staff

Suzanne Wayland, Academic Registrar, suzanne.wayland@lsjs.ac.uk

Dani Serlin, Head of Academic Services, dani.serlin@lsjs.ac.uk

Paul Gould, Chief Operating Officer, paul.gould@lsjs.ac.uk

Signed on behalf of the LSJS Senior Leadership Team by Paul Gould, Chief Operating Officer

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