



## MATANEL FOUNDATION

### ACTIVITY REPORT

**Program:** *Neve Hof School Cultural Enrichment Program*  
**Year:** **September 2018 – August 2019**

Please present your activity report according to the following lines. The whole rapport will not exceed 2 or 3 pages (as word document).

Name of the Program: Neve Hof School Cultural Enrichment Program

Year of activity: September 2019 – August 2019

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Number of active participants in the program: 330

Estimated number of impacted participants: 330 (plus parents of students)

**Give the actually state of the program (where the program stands at the date of the activity report, no more than ten lines):**

Neve Hof Elementary School is located in Rishon LeZion. Last summer Neve Hof school staff prepared a cultural enrichment plan in the sum of 100,000 NIS spent on various activities in school and outside school. Students at Neve Hof experience a vibrant school environment with many innovative pedagogical ventures. The cultural enrichment program funded by the Matanel Foundation was incorporated into the numerous activities taking place at school. The donation allowed the expansion of the pedagogical school activity outside the school, thereby enabling the students' experiences and horizons to be broadened.

**The main achievements during the last year of activity (main achievements, number of events, number of participants, etc.):**

Matanel Foundation's grant expanded the students' experiences outside and inside the school. It allowed integrating new spheres of learning outside the classes and included a range of topics, especially in hands-on workshop and lectures and tours and trips. The cultural enrichment program also allowed workshops in art, media, and photography for all classes in the school throughout the year. Matanel Foundation's grant was spent on a total of 25 activities: Ten workshops and lectures; two school and district events; eight field trips and tours; four theater and cinema shows; one art museum visit (2 visits for each grade) (Please see attached Financial report for detailed information).

School highlights were a production of 5th-grade students of the play - Rumpelstilzchen and a current affairs conference initiated by 6th-grade students in

which journalist and social activists participated. For more information, please see the attached Financial Report and Image Report.

After school learning activities are absent from school students; therefore, it is of utmost importance to expose them to educational experiences that are not in the regular curriculum.

**The evaluation (methodology, results, comparisons with the precedent year, conclusions for the future...):**

The cultural enrichment program included all 330 students in Neve Hof school. Before Methalel Foundation's donation, cultural activities were primarily based on content provided by the Ministry of Education and on events produced by the school's staff. The grant enabled the expansion of learning activities to other professionals such as social activists, artists, poets, and the as well as learning opportunities in spaces outside the school. It also allowed enrichment activities to all class grades in the school itself, that were not available in previous years. The activities were divided between the different class grades, which made it possible to adjust them to the content taught in the classroom.

The funds for next year will be used in the same manner. Allocation will be distributed among the different class grades for specific activities that match the educational program and the focus of each class grade.

Neve Hof school staff is characterized by high entrepreneurship and innovative pedagogy. Next's year budget will be divided, as it was this year, between planned and institutional activities. Such as museum visits, field trips or attending theater shows or plays and the teachers' initiative at the school which expands conventional methods of learning.

**Provisional guide lines for the advancement of the program in the next year:**

1. 40% of the grant will be supporting the school staff's initiatives at school by extended annual and one-time workshops, lectures, and events .
2. 50% of the grant funds will be spent on activities outside school, including tours, plays, trips, and museum visits .
3. 10% of the funds will be spent on various other activities such as school events at holidays, sporting events, etc.

Please join the Evaluation Report, the Financial Report and the list of the participants to the program (as **PDF documents**)

Please join photos – as **JPG files** – and any link or any other document connected to the program which will seems to you relevant – as **PDF document**.

**Please join a 5 minutes movie which presents your institution and the particular project supported by the Matanel Foundation. The movie should be accessible to the philanthropic world and to other potential donors.**

Please find [Kedma's highlights video](#) for the 2017-2018 school year. You can get an impression of Neve Hof school at minutes 0:15-2:51. We are preparing a promotional video for the Kedma Association that we will send in the future, upon its completion. Also, this year, we summarized our activities in a photo album that we will send upon completion (mid-September).

Here is a video of the [Rumpelstilzchen](#) school performance.