

Defenders of the Desert

Dead Sea Campus 15-17/12/22

Day	Time	Activity
Thur 15/12/22	15:00-16:00	Arrival at Dead Sea Research Institute- Masada. Buses will collect students from the Arava, Mitzpe Ramon, Beer- Sheva, and El Fura'a
	16:00-16:30	Opening words at the Auditorium
	16:30-18:00	Dividing the students into mixed groups - Jews and Bedouins, familiarization games, and coordination of expectations
	18:00-20:00	Getting to Ein Gedi field school, Check-in, and Dinner.
	20:00-22:00	An evening of social gathering around the campfire
Fri 16/12/22	07:00-08:00	Wake up and breakfast
	08:00-11:00	Hiking in Wadi David- from Tel Goren, through Ein-Gedi spring to the main entrance
	11:00-13:00	Sinkholes observation and discussion. Meeting with an Expert and discussing the problem.
	13:00-14:00	Lunch at Ein-Gedi
	14:00-16:30	Visiting the Novomeysky visitor center. Meeting with people from the Dead Sea Works and discussing the industry's effect on the region.
	16:30-19:00	Free time for showers and resting
	19:00-21:00	"Kabalat Shabat" + Dinner
Sat 17/12/22	06:30-08:00	Wake up, have breakfast, and check out from rooms.
	08:00-08:30	Discussion in groups about the Dead -Sea and the environmental challenges
	08:30-09:30	Fareed Mahameed- introducing the El-Fura'a community and the environmental challenges of the Bedouin society
	09:30-13:00	Touring the Arad region and visiting the El-Fura'a school and the local Bedouin society. Meeting with people from the region.
	13:00-14:00	Summary conversation in groups and the end of the campus