

Farber Hebrew Day School - Yeshivat Akiva is looking for a dynamic, motivated, creative High School Principal, with a start day of July 2021.

The High School Principal manages and oversees all of the operations of the High School, including faculty, instruction, curriculum, schedules and communications. The principal works collaboratively with the assistant principal of the High School, the principal and assistant principal of the Lower Division, the ECC director, the Educational Support Services Director and the Head of School.

The successful candidate will have the following:

- Several years of classroom teaching experience
- Relevant educational administrative experience
- An exceptional EQ and a record as a model team player
- Strong oral and written communication skills
- A background of creative thinking about education in general and Jewish education in particular
- An excellent rapport with high-school age students
- An ability to be firm when necessary, flexible when possible, kind at all times
- A mindset that allows him or her to accept feedback and grow in the job
- An ability to serve as a role model for Modern Orthodox Jewish teenagers
- A sense of humor to deal with whatever comes their way

Roles and responsibilities:

- Ensure an excellent academic environment by supervising faculty, instruction, curriculum and student progress
- Recruit and retain outstanding faculty
- Recruit and retain students into Farber from outside the school and from our 8th grade into 9th grade
- Inspire a culture of learning and growth among students and faculty
- Communicate consistently, effectively and sensitively with parents and students
- Collaborate with the Head of School in refining the school's vision for educational excellence and furthering the school's academic and religious mission
- Model good teaching in class

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Detroit's Modern Orthodox day school, Farber (formerly known as Akiva) educates Jewish children from toddlers through 12th grade. Located in Southfield, Farber has a well earned reputation as a tight-knit family and a school with menschlich students. The school is college preparatory with high academic standards in both general studies and Judaics and a strong record of acceptances at good yeshivot, seminaries and colleges. A strongly Zionistic school, Farber promotes a bond to the people of Israel, the land of Israel and the state of Israel and is proud to have many recent graduates make aliyah.

The Modern Orthodox community has deep roots and continues to grow with very affordable housing and standard of living. The Detroit area boasts many different shuls, with a robust Jewish infrastructure of shops, restaurants, mikvehs, schools and adult education.

Candidates interested in joining the Farber team should send a cover letter and resume to Linda Pedder, executive assistant to the Head of School, at [linda.pedder@farberhds.org](mailto:linda.pedder@farberhds.org).