



Policy # 5.28

## **THE CALGARY JEWISH ACADEMY**

### **BINGO POLICY**

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#### **INTRODUCTION**

To keep tuitions as low as possible, The Calgary Jewish Academy participates in several different fundraising initiatives. Securing agreements with Bingo Halls to provide workers in exchange for a share of the profits is one of these initiatives.

#### **REQUIREMENTS**

Every family is assigned up to seven (7) bingos over the course of a year. The Bingo “Year” runs from August 1<sup>st</sup> to July 31<sup>st</sup> of each year. The Calgary Jewish Academy requires each family to:

- a) Work their assigned bingos (*or find suitable substitute to work on their behalf*); OR
- b) Opt-Out of working bingos by paying a bingo opt-out fee.

#### **MISSING A BINGO**

If families are unable to attend an assigned Bingo event, it is their responsibility to make arrangements for a suitable substitute to work on their behalf. The school Bingo Coordinator should be informed any time a substitute is working on a family’s behalf.

When a family misses an assigned bingo:

- 1) If it is the first bingo they have missed, a family has missed they will automatically be charged the “missed bingo” fee.
- 2) If it is the second bingo a family has missed, they will be charged the full bingo opt-out fee.

Bingos and/or related bingo financial obligations must be met by July 31<sup>st</sup> of any year for the registration of that families’ children to be accepted for the school year commencing September following.

#### **FAMILIES WITH 3 OR MORE CHILDREN REGISTERED AT THE CJA**

Families who have 3 or more children registered at the CJA, will be given the Bingo Opt-Out free of charge during the calendar year in which their children are registered.