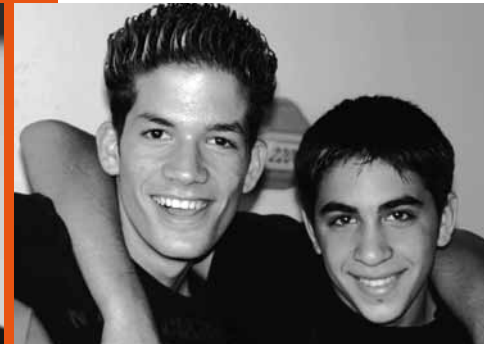


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KIRIAT YEARIM

SWISS YOUTH VILLAGE IN ISRAEL
EDUCATION PROGRAMS FOR THE ARABIC POPULATION
DIALOGUE & INTEGRATION






**KIRIAT YEARIM IS A SWISS CHARITY ORGANISATION
FOR CHILDREN AND YOUTHS AT RISK IN ISRAEL.**



Since 1951, we have been actively helping socially disadvantaged children and youths in Israel irrespective of their place of origin, language and religion.

We support...

-  the Swiss youth village Kiriat Yearim
-  education programs for the Arabic population
-  communication projects between the ethnic groups.

In our work, we strive to achieve social integration through education and dialogue.

*Giving a Future to
all Children in Israel*

Openness and Respect

To achieve a peaceful social co-existence, children should not only learn to understand their own identity and culture, but also those of their cohabitants. The basis for this is openness, interest and respect towards others including strangers and newcomers. We encourage this specifically for children and youths in Israel.

Inter-denominational and Inter-cultural

We actively support socially disadvantaged children and youths in Israel – independent of their place of origin, language and religion. Inter-denomination determines also our work in Switzerland.

Social Integration

We are committed to integration and the encouragement of dialogue. We actively support and accompany socially discriminated children and youths on their path towards becoming self-confident and independent members of society.

Schooling, Education and Culture

Schooling, education and culture are the fundamental building blocks for social integration. We give children the opportunity – and permission – to learn.

Direct Dialogue

Since our foundation in 1951, we consider direct conversation and personal relationships as one of our highest values. We are in constant dialogue with partners and those responsible for projects in Israel, as well as sponsors and volunteers in Switzerland.

Quality Assurance

High quality, transparency and sincerity are our guide-lines. Our reports are subject to a double revision and fulfil the quality standards set by Switzerland's official charity auditing agency (ZEW0). Sustainability and efficiency are important when selecting projects. The project monitoring is executed from Switzerland.

High Cost-Awareness

We are extremely appreciative of income through donations. This leads to high responsibility in managing our available funds; in average 90% of the donations we receive will arrive at their target purpose.



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