Summary:
Kehillah Jewish High School is looking to add three new full-time teachers to its Jewish Studies Department, starting in the August 2015. We are looking for enthusiastic, innovative, and qualified full-time teachers in these areas:

- Classical Jewish Texts
- Jewish history
- Jewish thought

The ideal candidates will be dynamic and reflective teachers who love working with teenagers both in and out of the classroom. The respective candidates will have strong backgrounds in the study and teaching of Jewish texts, Jewish history, and Jewish thought. The successful candidates will be creative, thoughtful, and reflective educators capable of teaching a wide range of classes. They will have a deep appreciation for diverse communities and will be excited about developing new curricula and working collaboratively both in and out of the classroom. In addition to teaching responsibilities, all faculty members undertake student advisory roles, participate in class trips, mentoring student clubs, as well as undertaking various duties that contribute to the life of the school.

About Kehillah Jewish High School:
Coupling the best of the Silicon Valley mindset with rich traditions and deep Jewish values, Kehillah Jewish High School provides an exceptional academic program in the context of a supportive community that empowers students with the knowledge and strength to flourish in a rapidly changing world. It is our charge to provide our graduates with the skills and insight to succeed and find their place as adults in the Jewish community and the world-at-large. Kehillah is known for its academic excellence and is seeking an individual with the same dedication to excellence to join its Jewish Studies Department.

Required Qualifications:

Education and Experience
- A minimum of three years’ experience teaching Jewish texts, Jewish History, or Jewish thought at the high school level or above.
- At least a relevant undergraduate major from an accredited educational institution.
- Demonstrate commitment to ongoing professional development in the teaching/learning process.
- Must be comfortable with the existing technology of the school and expected future significant enhancements to support instruction; this includes: SMART boards, iPads, wireless technology, grading programs and other associated hardware and software. This technology must be a significant part of the daily lesson structure.

Key Skills & Competencies
- Knowledgeable and passionate about teaching Jewish Studies in a diverse community.
- Experienced in best practices in education and pedagogy.
- Skilled at creating curriculum from overarching ideas or themes.
- Adept at planning differentiated enriching learning opportunities.
- Comfortable working with students of various abilities.
- Effective at implementing positive classroom management techniques.
- Confident at working independently as well as collaboratively.
- Experienced in implementing innovative methodologies.
• Proficient at competently assessing student performances formally and informally and communicating.
• Skillful at identifying key texts, ideas, materials and supplies that work to reflect the school’s mission of academic excellence.
• Confidently and tactfully communicates with students, teachers, and families to ensure the highest quality educational experience for our students.

**Physical Demands and Work Environment:**
• Required to attend weekly faculty meetings, regularly scheduled safety training including fire drills, CPR and first aid.
• Able to attend workshops/conferences throughout the year.
• Sit and/or stand for extended periods of time.
• Reach overhead, above the shoulders and horizontally, bending at the waist and kneeling or crouching to retrieve books from cabinets and shelves.
• View and operate a computer frequently and consistently, especially in regards to primary work functions.
• Speak and hear to communicate effectively with school population.
• Sufficient manual dexterity to be able to operate all office equipment including but not limited to computers, copy machines, and telephones.
• Travel safely and comfortably across a 55,000 sq.ft. campus often several times in a workday.
• Lift up to 20 lbs. occasionally and up to 10 lbs. often.
• Work in standard classroom conditions and climate.

Serious applicants should send their cover letter and resume to: sgreen@kehilla.org