

Jerusalem Science Contest, 5769 – 2009 Prizes

If you earn the trip, you also get \$150 spending money for the trip. Whatever you don't spend, you get to keep. Also, the committee will award you a nice gift commemorating your achievement in the Chidon Hamada.

The following chart lists out the prizes. Explanation of the chart.

You can see from the schedule that participating in the entire program from beginning to end (even if you achieve very low scores) still earns you a prize.

Gross Prize	Score Range
500	97-99
475	94-96
450	92-93
400	90-91
375	86-89
350	82-85
300	80-81
250	76-79
200	72-75
175	70-71
150	66-69
125	62-65
100	60-61
75	<=59

1. It is impossible to achieve higher than a 90 with the completion of the written comprehensive. You must compete in the verbal exam in Chicago to score the last 10 points between 90 and 100. Hence, you cannot win 1st, 2nd, or 3rd prize without coming competing in the verbal exam.
2. First prize (highest score) earns 4 year scholarship to JCT and \$1,000 besides the trip and trip spending money of \$150.
3. Second prize (second highest score) earns \$700 besides the trip and trip spending money of \$150.
4. Third prize (the next 3 highest scorers) earns the trip plus \$150 spending money. There is no cash prize for someone who earns the trip. The above chart is for those who don't win the trip. The trip plus \$150 is the prize for those who win the trip.
5. If you earn the trip and opt not to go, your prize is \$600 (trip cash out). 1st and 2nd prize winners receive their \$1,000/\$700 and that's it. They do not receive an additional \$700 (trip cash out). Spending money is also forfeited.
6. Everybody gets a letter of commendation sent to the college of your choice.
7. Everybody gets a letter that may get you some school or college credit. The contest may be worth a semester of science at your high school or college (as a correspondence course).
8. To get any prize, you need to stick with the program all the way until the written comprehensive exam. Three consecutive zero or skipped tests drop you from the program.