



# SKILL BADGE REQUIREMENTS SOFRUS RECORD CARD



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**SUMMER 5764**

### NOTE:

Although to earn Step Two of each Badge, the camper must first earn Step One, the camper may still work on the requirements of all of the Steps simultaneously.

This is to certify that

\_\_\_\_\_ Tzivos Hashem Member

Of Bunk # \_\_\_\_\_

has completed:

Step 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
Instructors Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Step 2 \_\_\_\_\_  
Instructors Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Step 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
Instructors Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

of the Sofrus Skill Badge.

\_\_\_\_\_ Tzivos Hashem Member  
has completed **STEP 3** of Sofrus Skill Badge  
Instructors Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Tzivos Hashem Member  
has completed **STEP 2** of Sofrus Skill Badge  
Instructors Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Tzivos Hashem Member  
has completed **STEP 1** of Sofrus Skill Badge  
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Date \_\_\_\_\_

6. Tell two halachos which are related to k'sidram (requirement of being written in order). \_\_\_\_\_
7. Explain the meaning of chok tochos (writing through erasing). \_\_\_\_\_
8. Teach a friend how to use a kulmus and write his own first name in Ksav Ashuris. \_\_\_\_\_

6. Explain why the Torah begins with the letter Beis. \_\_\_\_\_
7. Do the following:  
a. Draw with a pen or pencil the Hebrew letters of your first name in Ksav Ashuris; \_\_\_\_\_  
b. Tell the halachos of when you may or may not use Ksav Ashuris. \_\_\_\_\_

4. Name the materials required in writing a kosher Sefer Torah. \_\_\_\_\_
5. Describe the qualities a Sofer must have in order to write. \_\_\_\_\_
6. Tell or write a story about the checking of Mezuzos or Tefillin. \_\_\_\_\_
7. Find a place in the prayers where it mentions the mitzva of writing Tefillin and Mezuzos. \_\_\_\_\_
8. Get a friend to buy a letter in the "Children's Sefer Torah". \_\_\_\_\_

## SOFRUS SKILL BADGE REQUIREMENTS STEP 3

1. Explain the advantage of using klaf and diyo over other writing materials. \_\_\_\_\_<sup>approval</sup>
2. Describe the following steps in the process of manufacturing a Sefer Torah:  
a. the steps in preparing klaf; \_\_\_\_\_  
b. the ingredients which we make the ink used for diyo; \_\_\_\_\_  
c. the things a Sofer must do in preparation to write. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Demonstrate how a kulmus is made. \_\_\_\_\_
4. Write with a kulmus the letters Beis and Hei and your first name in Ksav Ashuris. \_\_\_\_\_
5. Show two differences between the Arizal and Beis Yosef styles of writing. \_\_\_\_\_



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## SOFRUS SKILL BADGE REQUIREMENTS STEP 2

1. List at least four (4) things that are required to make a Sefer Torah l'shmah (with intention). \_\_\_\_\_<sup>approval</sup>
2. Demonstrate how a Mezuzah is placed and do the following:  
a. Recite the blessing (without Hashem's name); \_\_\_\_\_  
b. Show on a doorpost how it is placed and why. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Describe at least three (3) types of rooms or doorways that do not require a Mezuzah. \_\_\_\_\_
4. Find two different types of mistakes on the Mezuzos on the "Skill Sheet". \_\_\_\_\_
5. Mark the places where the Mezuzah goes on the "doors" on the "Skill Sheet". \_\_\_\_\_



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## SOFRUS SKILL BADGE REQUIREMENTS STEP 1

1. Recite Torah Tzivah from the "12 Pesukim", and explain what this verse teaches us. \_\_\_\_\_<sup>approval</sup>
2. Explain the differences between a Sefer Torah, Mezuzah and Tefillin in the following areas:  
a. Their level of Kedusha (holiness); \_\_\_\_\_  
b. When must they be checked; \_\_\_\_\_  
c. When, how, and by whom they are used. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Do the following:  
a. Explain the two signs that make an animal kosher; \_\_\_\_\_  
b. Describe two animals that only have one of those signs; \_\_\_\_\_  
c. Name four (4) animals that can be used in making a Sefer Torah. \_\_\_\_\_



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