



Pre-Day: Jerusalem (Tuesday 3/24)

- All Day - Arrival & Check in
- Overnight in Jerusalem

DAY ONE: JERUSALEM (WEDNESDAY 3/25)

- Morning – Welcome breakfast & morning briefing followed by Dual Narratives Tour of Old City, led by Arava Institute alumni
- Afternoon- Independent Exploration of the Old City
- Evening- Dinner with Arava Institute alumni
- Overnight in Jerusalem

DAY TWO: THE WEST BANK & BESOR RIVER (Thursday 3/26)

- Morning – Visit to Deir Salah Greywater Treatment and Reuse System (USAID CMM project)
- Afternoon – Besor River tour with Arava Institute researcher. Stops includes: Um Batin Bedouin community
- Evening - Meeting with Arava Institute alumni at Sde Boker
- Overnight in Mitzpe Ramon

DAY THREE: SDE BOKER & MITZPEH RAMON (Friday 3/27)

- Morning - Site visit to Integrated Organic Waste Recycling System for Agriculture and Biogas Production project in the unrecognized Bedouin village, near Mitzpe Ramon, followed by tour of Machtsh Ramon tour with Dr. Elli Groner, Arava Institute's Academic Director
- Afternoon – Lunch with Dr. Elli Groner, Arava Institute's Academic Director
- Evening – Arrival at Kibbutz Ketura, optional Sabbath services and dinner with Kibbutz families, followed by dessert reception at home of David Lehrer, Executive Director of the Arava Institute
- Overnight in Kibbutz Ketura

DAY FOUR: ARAVA INSTITUTE (Saturday 3/28)

- All Day- Hiking & tours or day off for Shabbat
- Overnight- Kibbutz Ketura



DAY FIVE: ARAVA INSTITUTE (Sunday 3/29)

- Morning- Tour to Experimental Orchards and Renewable Energy Park
- Afternoon – Arava Institute presentations including intern presentations on projects, campus life tour, and Arava Institute student panel
- Evening – American study abroad panel
- Overnight in Kibbutz Ketura

DAY SIX: ARAVA INSTITUTE (Monday 3/30)

- Morning- Peace-building and Environmental Leadership Seminar presentation and discussion. Research collaboration forum and rotating private/dedicated meetings with the academic department faculty and staff regarding study abroad opportunities and academic program
- Afternoon - Optional public presentations by tour participants to students and faculty
- Evening - Arava Institute Program Summary & Farewell Dinner
- Overnight in Kibbutz Ketura

DAY SEVEN: TRAVEL TO JORDAN (TUESDAY 3/31)

- Morning – Border crossing
- Afternoon – Dead Sea: Challenges and Solutions presentations
- Evening - Closing dinner with alumni
- Overnight in Amman

DAY EIGHT: DEAD SEA (Wednesday 4/1)

- Morning- Departure from Amman