Bar Bat Mitzvah: MITZVAH PROJECT PLANNER

As part of Bar/Bat Mitzvah training at the GRJC, each student will complete a mitzvah project. A mitzvah project is an organized community service effort that the student can do on his or her own or with a group of friends. If a student is already involved in time-consuming volunteer work, that work could count as the mitzvah project—but we'd like each student to still take some time to write down a description of what they are doing and to think about what Jewish values (Torah values) it represents.

The project could be a big one-day effort or an ongoing volunteer project.

Rabbi Tow has a listing of many volunteer opportunities for Bnai Mitzvah age students in our area. Be creative! Have fun with it!

A hands-on experience is the goal!

1. Please describe the mitzvah project you'd like to accomplish:

2. How will you get started on this project? Who do you need to call? What materials or information do you need?

3. What Jewish value/Torah teaching is this volunteer work connected to? (Rabbi Tow will help you answer this one.)

4. Is the project a one-time event or ongoing? How much time will you devote to this project?