



MEJDI TOURS

Israel & Palestine Beyond the Headlines: MEJDI Mission 2026

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| Dates | Pre-Tour: April 28-30, 2026 Main Tour: April 30-May 7, 2026 |
| Included: | Pre Tour 3 nights' accommodation at the following hotel or similar <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 3 Nights: Link Hotel, Tel Aviv Gaza Envelope tour - guiding & transportation (Public tour) Main Tour 7 nights' accommodation at the following hotels or similar <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 5 Nights: Arthur Hotel, Jerusalem• 2 Nights: Link Hotel, Tel Aviv 2 MEJDI-Trained Guides for 2 days 1 MEJDI-Trained Guide for 4 days 5 days of private bus transportation including individual arrival transfers Meals listed in the itinerary: 6 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 2 dinners Entrances, sites, and honorariums for speakers ¹ Water on bus throughout tour US-based and local customer service representatives |
| Not included: | International airfare Travel and Medical insurance- HIGHLY RECOMMENDED Meals not mentioned in the itinerary Single Supplement Costs - \$280 pre tour / \$765 Main tour Customary tips for drivers, guides, and hotel staff Individual airport transfers to/from the airport West Bank Tour - \$150 per person Anything not explicitly mentioned in the included section |
| Pricing: | Pre Tour \$675 Per Person Main Tour 10-12 Travelers - \$3,300 per person 8-9 Travelers - \$3,600 per person |

¹ Subject to confirmation based on availability



Itinerary

Pre-Tour: It's Time Events - Pricing TBD

Day 0.1: Arrival, April 28, 2026 (No Transportation, No Guide)

Transfer to your hotel (on your own). Check in, rest, and prepare for the journey ahead.

Hotel: Link Hotel, Tel Aviv (No meals included)

Day 0.2: Gaza Envelope Tour, April 29, 2026 (Transportation, Guide)

Tour the Gaza Envelope with a member of the **Inon family**, visit **Native Haasara** to hear their personal story through a tour in the Kibbutz where they lost their parents.

Continue to the **Nova Festival memorial** site before returning to Tel Aviv.

Hotel: Link Hotel, Tel Aviv (No meals included)

Day 0.3: It's Time Events, April 30, 2026 (No Transportation, No Guide)

Take part in the It's Time events around the city and the main evening event.

Hotel: Link Hotel, Tel Aviv (No meals included)

Main Tour:

Day 1: Arrival April 30, 2026

Transfer to your hotel (on your own). Check in, rest, and prepare for the journey ahead.

Hotel: Arthur hotel, Jerusalem (No Meals included)

Day 2: May 1, Jerusalem - History in Layers: Dual Narratives of Jerusalem

(2 Guides, Private Transportation)

Pre-Tour travelers - Travel to Jerusalem to meet the group.

Begin the day with your guides for introductions, a review of current events and opening of the **Dual Narrative™** conversation you will be part of throughout this trip. Continue into an **Active Listening Workshop** as preparation for the challenging discussions ahead.



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Then, head to the **Old City of Jerusalem** for a **Dual Narrative tour** led by your two guides. Visit the four quarters and discuss the religious tensions between and within each religious community. On your tour, visit the **Levant gallery**.

End the day touring **East Jerusalem** including a stop at the **Educational Bookshop in East Jerusalem** for a thought-provoking conversation with a prominent Palestinian cultural figure.

End the day with a **Shabbat dinner hosted by a local Rabbi** and his family.

Hotel: Arthur hotel, Jerusalem (Dinner included)

Day 3: May 2, Shabbat in Jerusalem - Reflection, Rest, and Connection

(1 Guide, No Transportation)

Have the choice of attending **Shabbat services** at **Kol Haneshama Synagogue** and a free day

- **OR** -

Join A **West Bank tour** with **Aziz Abu Sarah**.

Hotel: Arthur hotel, Jerusalem (Breakfast included)

Day 4: May 3, Nazareth

(1 Guide, Private Transportation)

This morning, head north on a special **journey of hope** through the captivating streets of the Old City of **Nazareth**.

End the day with a meeting with a local **Druze resident** for a discussion about their community, the recent political issues with Syria and experience as a distinct minority within a diverse social fabric.

Hotel: Arthur Hotel, Jerusalem (Breakfast and Lunch included)



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Day 5: May 4, Witness & Memory: Human Rights & Life Under Occupation

(1 Guide, Private Transportation)

Begin the day with a presentation on how the **Rabbis for Human Rights** organization's day-to-day work has evolved since the start of the war. Hear the Palestinian story from the Palestinian side and discuss how settler violence impacts Palestinians living in Area C.

After a short break, have an online conversation and briefing with a former **Gaza resident** on the current situation there.

Hotel: Arthur Hotel, Jerusalem (Breakfast and Lunch included)

Day 6: May 5, Identity, Activism, and Aspirations for the Future

(2 Guides, Private Transportation)

Begin the day with **Gershon Baskin and Samer Sinjilawi** for a dialogue session exploring future visions for the region and potential pathways toward resolution.

Then, head to Tel-Aviv-Jaffa for a guided tour of **Jaffa** with a **Palestinian Political Activist**, exploring the history, identity, and current social status of Palestinian citizens of Israel, including reflections on the Nakba.

Hotel: Link Hotel, Tel Aviv (Breakfast included)

Day 7: May 6, Solidarity & Struggle: Civil Society and Public Voice in Israel

(1 Guide, Private Transportation)

Begin the morning with **Standing Together**, a grass roots organization working towards equality in Israel.

Then, head to Tel Aviv. Begin at the **Hostage Square** for a short tour and discussion about the unity and divides the hostage families experienced throughout their struggle to bring their loved ones home.

Continue to south Tel Aviv to view the new **graffiti murals** made to represent the experience of **Israeli children and mothers in captivity**.

On your way, drive past the corner of a major intersection where hundreds of thousands gathered weekly for months prior to October 7 in protest of judicial overhaul initiatives. Hear from your guide about the origins of those



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demonstrations and how they were perceived by different segments of the Israeli public.

Wrap up the program with a **facilitated reflection session** led by your guides, followed by a **farewell group dinner**.

Hotel: Link Hotel, Tel Aviv (Breakfast and Dinner included)

Day 8: May 7, Departure

(No Guides, No Transportation)

Check out and travel to the airport for your flight home OR opt for a private extension tour (by request).

(Breakfast included)