5780 Torah Trope Challenge – Assessment

Student Name	Date

Part 1: Chant the V'ahavta in trope

Students will be assessed on the correct identification of the trope name, correct melody, proper syllabic stress, and punctuation (chanted as a *m'chaber*/connector or a *mafsik*/separator).

Trope Clause	ID	Melody	Syllabic Stress	Punctuation	Notes
Etnachta:					
Mercha					
Tipcha					
Munach					
Etnachta					
Sof-Pasuk:					
Mercha					
Tipcha					
Sof-Pasuk					
Katon:					
Kadma					
Mahpach					
Pashta					
Munach					
Katon					
T'vir:					
Kadma					
Darga					
T'vir					
R'vi-i:					
Gershayim					
Munach					
R'vi-i					

Part 2: Chant the Blessing before and after the Reading of Torah

Students will be assessed on the correct pronunciation of Hebrew and use of the appropriate melody.

Blessings for Torah Reading

Before reading the Torah

Blessed is Adonai who is blessed!

Blessed is Adonai who is blessed
now and forever.

Blessed are You, Adonai
our God, Sovereign of the universe,
who has chosen us from among the peoples,
and given us the Torah.

Blessed are You, Adonai, who gives the Torah.

בָּרְכוּ אֶת יְיָ הַמְבֹרָךְ. בָּרוּךְ יְיָ הַמְבֹרָךְ לְעוֹלָם וָעֶד. בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יְיָ, אֱלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, אֲשֶׁר בָּחַר בָּנוּ מִכְּל הָעַמִים, וְנָתַן לֵנוּ אֶת תּוֹרָתוֹ. בָּרוּךְ אַתָּה יִיָּ, נוֹתֵן הַתּוֹרָה.

After reading the Torah

Blessed are You, Adonai
our God, Sovereign of the universe,
who has given us a Torah of truth,
implanting within us eternal life.
Blessed are You, Adonai, who gives the Torah.

בָּרוּך אַתָּה יְיָ, אֶלֹהֵינוּ מֶלֶךְ הָעוֹלָם, אֲשֶׁר נָתַן לֶנוּ תּוֹרַת אֲמֶת, וְחַיֵּי עוֹלֶם נָטַע בְּתוֹבֵנוּ. בָּרוּך אַתָּה יְיָ, נוֹתֵן הַתּוֹרָה.