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## **TOP 10 WAYS FOR COMMUNITIES TO SAY THANK YOU TO JEWISH DAY SCHOOL EDUCATORS**

1. ***Tell them how you feel:*** Send heartfelt, personal notes or video messages directly to teachers from parents and students (current and former). Notes can also be made into a book, gift box, or another meaningful collection.
2. ***Give them an enjoyable experience:*** Special distanced, virtual or outdoor events or gatherings for teachers (and their families!), like concerts, movie nights, or game nights.
3. ***Make their classrooms or home teaching areas extra special:*** Give them books, gift certificates, or start fundraising campaigns for their classroom wish lists and libraries.
4. ***Take the burden of meals off their plate:*** Give them gift certificates for takeout or dine in meals for the whole family or provide catered shabbat meals for them.
5. ***Show the love:*** Decorate posters or messages to hang in their classrooms, outside their houses, or even chalk on their driveways!
6. ***Get creative:*** Organize a carwash for all staff—make them (and their cars!) feel shiny and new inside and out.
7. ***Go social:*** Build a social media campaign and have community leaders, rabbis, and families flood social media with messages for teachers. The more personal, the better! **Don't forget to use the hashtags #jdsteachersinspire and #dynamicdayschools and tag @prizmahcjds so that we can reshare.**
8. ***Share the gift of forever:*** Set up a special family picture day just for teachers and their kids with a professional photographer.
9. ***Give them a boost:*** Bring customized coffee orders to school for each teacher!
10. ***Make them the star:*** Setup red-carpet walks of fame, clapping lines to walk into school, or virtual or distanced pep-rallies to cheer for these heroes!