



# UNIVERSITY SYNAGOGUE

## *religious school*

### 2009-2010 • 5770 Religious School Calendar

**\*\*Religious School is in session on the following days and hours, unless otherwise noted in the calendar below!\*\***

**Gan – Gimel (Kindergarten through 3<sup>rd</sup> grade):**  
Sundays, 9:00am-Noon

**Dalet – Vav (4<sup>th</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> grades):**  
Sundays, 9:00am-Noon *and*  
Tuesdays, 4:00-6:00pm

**Mechinah (7<sup>th</sup> grade):**  
Sundays, 9:00am-Noon *and*  
Tuesdays, 4:00-6:00pm (September-December)  
Mondays, 6:00-8:00pm (January-May) – dinner included

**Tichon (8<sup>th</sup> grade and up):**  
Mondays, 6:00-8:00pm – dinner included

#### September

Tuesday	8	4:00-6:00pm	Madrachim and Faculty Orientation
Friday	11	7:30pm	Shabbat Services honoring students who went to Israel this summer
Sunday	13	9:00am-Noon	<b>First Day of Religious School with an All-School Assembly</b>
		9:00-10:30am	Katantan (Pre-School Program)
		12:15-2:00pm	Faculty Meeting
Monday	14	6:00-8:00pm	First Day of Tichon
Tuesday	15	4:00-6:00pm	First Tuesday of Religious School
Sunday	20		No Religious School in observance of Rosh HaShanah
Sunday	27	9:00-11:00am	<b>Religious School with Early Dismissal for Kol Nidrei</b>
Monday	28		No Tichon in observance of Yom Kippur

#### October

Sunday	4	9:00am-Noon	<b>All-School Family Day</b>
		9:00-10:30am	Katantan (Pre-School Program)
Friday	9	7:30pm	Simchat Torah services and Consecration (for Gan and all new students in Alef through Gimel)
Fri-Sat	16-17	Overnight	Shabbat in the Woods for Mechinah
Sunday	18	Noon-2:00pm	Community Schools Picnic
Sunday	25	10:00-11:00am	Madrachim Meeting

#### November

Sunday	1	9:00-10:30am	Katantan (Pre-School Program)
Friday	6	6:30pm	Family Shabbat services with Alef and Bet class participation
Sunday	8	12:15-2:00pm	Faculty Meeting
Fri-Sun	13-15	Overnight	Father-Son Retreat (not a Religious School program)
Sunday	15	9:00am	New Religious School Family Coffee
Sunday	29		No Religious School over Thanksgiving weekend

#### December

Friday	4	6:30pm	Family Shabbat services with Gimel class participation
Sunday	6	9:00-10:30am	Katantan (Pre-School Program)
Sunday	13	10:00-11:00am	Madrachim Meeting

❄️**Winter Break: Sunday, December 20 through Saturday, January 2**❄️

**January**

Sunday	3	9:00am-Noon 9:00-10:30am	Religious School Resumes Katantan (Pre-School Program)
Monday	4	6:00-8:00pm	Tichon Resumes
Friday	8	6:30pm	Family Shabbat services with Dalet and Hei class participation
Sunday	10	9:00am-Noon	Vav Class B'nei Mitzvah Meeting
Sunday	17		No Religious School in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day
		8:30am-2:30pm	BJE Religious School Educators' Conference
Monday	18		No Tichon in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day
Sunday	24	12:15-2:00pm	Faculty Meeting

**February**

Friday	5	6:30pm	Family Shabbat with Vav class participation
Sunday	7	9:00-10:30am	Katantan (Pre-School Program)
Sunday	14		No Religious School in observance of Presidents' Weekend
Monday	15		No Tichon in observance of Presidents' Weekend
Sunday	21	10:00-11:00am 11:00am-Noon 12:15-2:00pm	Madrachim Meeting Dalet Class B'nei Mitzvah Meeting Faculty Meeting
Friday	26	6:00pm	Kinder Shabbat with Gan class participation
Sunday	28	9:00-11:00am 11:00am	Religious School with early dismissal Purim Carnival

**March**

Friday	5	6:30pm	Family Shabbat services with Mechinah class presentation
Fri-Mon	5-8	Overnight	L'Taken trip to Washington DC for Confirmation class
Sunday	7	9:00-10:30am 9:00am-Noon	Katantan (Pre-School Program) <b>All-School Family Day</b>
Sunday	21		No Religious School due to the LA Marathon

**☼Spring Break: Sunday, March 28-Saturday, April 10☼****April**

Sunday	11	9:00am-Noon 9:00-10:30am	Religious School Resumes Katantan (Pre-School Program)
Monday	12	6:00-8:00pm	Tichon Resumes
Fri-Sun	16-18	overnight	Religious School retreat for grades Dalet through Mechinah
Sunday	18	9:00am-Noon	Religious School classes for Gan through Gimel
Sunday	25	10:00-11:00am 12:15-2:00pm	Madrachim Meeting Faculty Meeting

**May**

Sunday	2	9:00am-Noon	<b>All-School Family Day – Big Sunday</b>
Friday	7	6:00pm	Faculty Appreciation Shabbat Dinner and Services
Sunday	9	10:00-11:00am	Madrachim Meeting
Tuesday	18		No Religious School for Erev Shavuot
		7:30pm	Erev Shavuot – Confirmation
Friday	21	7:30pm	Shabbat Services with Graduation for high school seniors
Sunday	23	9:00am-Noon 9:00-10:30am	Last Day of Religious School with Closing Assembly Katantan (Pre-School Program)
Monday	24	6:00-8:00pm	Last Day of Tichon

**☼June 11-13: Family Camp at Brandeis Bardin Institute☼**