

## For Your Information

# Calendar of Major Jewish Holidays School Years 2004-2005 through 2008-2009

**Holidays begin *the evening before the day noted*.** Holidays marked with an asterisk are observed for one day only by Reform Jews. Holidays noted *in italic* are holy days on which **no work** is permitted and absences from school or work should be excused.

### School Year 2004-2005

*Rosh Hashanah\**..... Thu & Fri, Sep 16-17, 2004  
*Yom Kippur*..... Sat, Sep 25, 2004  
*Succot\**..... Thu & Fri, Sep 30-Oct 1, 2004  
*Sh'mini Atzeret*..... Thu, Oct 7, 2004  
*Simchat Torah*..... Fri, Oct 8, 2004  
Hanukkah..... Wed, Dec 8, 2004  
Purim..... Fri, Mar 25, 2005  
*Passover (start)\**..... Sun & Mon, Apr 24-25, 2005  
*Passover (end)\**..... Sat & Sun, April 30-May 1, 2005  
Yom Hashoah..... Thu, May 5, 2005  
Yom Ha'atzma'ut..... Sat, May 14, 2005  
Lag B'Omer..... Fri, May 27, 2005  
*Shavuot\**..... Mon & Tues, Jun 13-14, 2005  
Tisha B'Av..... Sun, Aug 14, 2005

### School Year 2005-2006

*Rosh Hashanah\**..... Tue & Wed, Oct 4-5, 2005  
*Yom Kippur*..... Thu, Oct 13, 2005  
*Succot\**..... Tue & Wed, Oct 18-19, 2005  
*Sh'mini Atzeret*..... Tue, Oct 25, 2005  
*Simhat Torah*..... Wed, Oct 26, 2005  
Hanukkah..... Mon, Dec 26, 2005  
Purim..... Tue, Mar 14, 2006  
*Passover\* (start)*..... Thu & Fri, Apr 13-14, 2006  
*Passover\* (end)*..... Wed & Thu, Apr 19-20, 2006  
Yom Hashoah..... Tue, Apr 25, 2006  
Yom Ha'atzma'ut..... Wed, May 3, 2006  
Lag B'Omer..... Tue, May 16, 2006  
*Shavuot\**..... Fri & Sat, Jun 2-3, 2006  
Tisha B'Av..... Thu, Aug 3, 2006

### School Year 2006-2007

*Rosh Hashanah\**..... Sat-Sun Sep 23-24, 2006  
*Yom Kippur*..... Mon Oct 2, 2006  
*Succot\**..... Sat-Sun Oct 7-8, 2006  
*Sh'mini Atzeret*..... Sat Oct 14, 2006  
*Simchat Torah*..... Sun Oct 15, 2006  
Hanukkah..... Sat Dec 16, 2006  
Purim..... Sun, Mar 4, 2007  
*Passover\* (start)*..... Tue-Wed Apr 3-4, 2007  
*Passover\* (end)*..... Mon-Tue Apr 9-10, 2007  
Yom Hashoah..... Sun Apr 15, 2007  
Yom Ha'atzma'ut..... Mon Apr 23, 2007  
Lag B'Omer..... Sun, May 6, 2007  
*Shavuot*..... Wed-Thur May 23-24, 2007  
Tisha B'Av..... Tue Jul 24, 2007

### School Year 2007-2008

*Rosh Hashanah*..... Thu & Fri Sep 13-14, 2007  
*Yom Kippur*..... Sat, Sep 22, 2007  
*Succot\**..... Thu & Fri, Sep 27-28, 2007  
*Sh'mini Atzeret*..... Thu, Oct 4, 2007  
*Simchat Torah*..... Fri, Oct 5, 2007  
Hanukkah..... Wed, Dec 5, 2007  
Purim..... Fri, Mar 21, 2008  
*Passover\* (start)*..... Sun & Mon, Apr 20-21, 2008  
*Passover\* (end)*..... Sat & Sun, Apr 26-27, 2008  
Yom Hashoah..... Fri, May 2, 2008  
Yom Haatzmaut..... Thu, May 8, 2008  
Lag B'Omer..... Fri, May 23, 2008  
*Shavuot\**..... Mon & Tues, Jun 9-10, 2008  
Tisha B'Av..... Sun, Aug 10, 2008

### School Year 2008-2009

*Rosh Hashanah\**..... Tue & Wed, Sep 30-Oct 1, 2008  
*Yom Kippur*..... Thu, Oct 9, 2008  
*Succot\**..... Tue & Wed, Oct 14-15, 2008  
*Sh'mini Atzeret*..... Tue, Oct 21, 2008  
*Simhat Torah*..... Wed, Oct 22, 2008  
Hanukkah..... Mon, Dec 22, 2008  
Purim..... Tue, Mar 10, 2009  
*Passover\* (start)*..... Thu & Fri, Apr 9-10, 2009  
*Passover\* (end)*..... Wed & Thu, Apr 15-16, 2009  
Yom Hashoah..... Tue, Apr 21, 2009  
Yom Haatzmaut..... Wed, Apr 29, 2009  
Lag B'Omer..... Tue, May 12, 2009  
*Shavuot\**..... Fri & Sat, May 29, 2009  
Tisha B'Av..... Thu, Jul 30, 2009

**Yom Hashoah is Holocaust Remembrance Day.**  
**Yom Ha'atzma'ut is Israel Independence Day.**



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