

Four-Year Calendar of Jewish Holy Days

Shabbat	Rosh Hashanah	Yom Kippur	Sukkot*	Chanukah	Pesach*	Shavuot
<i>Sabbath</i>	<i>Jewish New Year</i>	<i>Day of Atonement</i>	<i>Festival of Booths</i>	<i>Festival of Lights</i>	<i>Festival of Freedom</i>	<i>Festival of Weeks</i>
One of the holiest days of the Jewish weekly calendar. Many Jews refrain from work and school activities.	Begins 10 days of repentance.	Most solemn holy day, devoted to praying and fasting.	Celebrates the harvest, Shemini Atzeret and Simchat Torah.	Festive holiday commemorates the rededication of the Holy Temple in Jerusalem after a successful revolt against Syrian-Greek conquerors.	Commemorates the ancient Israelites' deliverance from Egyptian bondage. This 8-day observance includes restrictive dietary rules.	Takes place seven weeks after Passover, and marks the giving of the five books of Moses (Torah) on Mt. Sinai.
• Observance begins at sunset every Friday and extends to sunset Saturday.	• IMPORTANT NOTE: ANTICIPATE WIDESPREAD ABSENCE	• IMPORTANT NOTE: ANTICIPATE WIDESPREAD ABSENCE	• Sukkot is followed by Shemini Atzeret and Simchat Torah celebrating the conclusion of the reading of the Torah and renewing the cycle.	• Chanukah, celebrated each night for eight nights, is a minor holiday and REQUIRES NO ABSENCES.	• The "Seder," a symbolic meal is held in homes on the first two nights.	• Shavuot is Confirmation day for some graduating religious school students.

School Year	Rosh Hashanah	Yom Kippur	Sukkot*	Chanukah	Pesach	Shavuot
2024-2025	October 3-4 Thurs-Fri	October 12 Sat	October 17-18 Thurs-Fri October 24-25 Thurs-Fri	December 25- January 2 Thurs-Thurs	April 13-14 Sun-Mon April 19-20 Sat-Sun	June 2-3 Mon-Tues
2025-2026	September 23-24 Tues-Wed	October 2 Thurs	October 7-8 Tues-Wed October 14-15 Tues-Wed	December 14-22 Sun-Sun	April 2-3 Thurs-Fri April 8-9 Wed-Thurs	May 22-23 Fri-Sat
2026-2027	September 12-13 Sat-Sun	September 21 Mon	September 26-27 Sat-Sun October 3-4 Sat-Sun	December 4-12 Fri-Fri	April 22-23 Thurs-Fri April 28-29 Wed-Thurs	June 11-12 Fri-Sat
2027-2028	October 2-3 Sat-Sun	October 11 Mon	October 16-17 Sat-Sun October 23-24 Sat-Sun	December 24- January 1 Fri-Fri	April 11-12 Tues-Wed April 17-18 Mon-Tues	May 31-June 1 Thurs-Fri

*The first day and last two days of these Holy Days have greater religious restrictions attached.
REMEMBER THAT EACH HOLIDAY BEGINS AT SUNSET ON THE DAY BEFORE IT IS LISTED ABOVE.