

Midreshet Tehillah 2024-2025

Linear Calendar

This represents only a partial list of activities and tiyulim that will take place during the course of the year. Dates of tiyulim and activities that are listed are subject to change due to weather, security, health, or other considerations.

When marked with asterisks, further clarification can be found at the end of this calendar.

September

Sept. 11	Wednesday	Dorms open at 10:00am

Sept 11 Wednesday Group flight arrival

Sept 11- 13 Wednesday- Friday Orientation

Sept 13-14 Shabbat On Campus Shabbaton*

Sept 15 Sunday Afternoon Tiyul

Sept 20-21 Shabbat Staff Shabbat**

Sept 28 Shabbat Staff Shabbat**

October

Oct 2-5 Wednesday - Shabbat On Campus Rosh Hashana*

Oct 6 Sunday Tzom Gedalia – am classes

Oct 11-12 Shabbat On Campus Yom Kippur*

Oct 16-26 Wednesday - Shabbat Sukkot Break***

Oct 27 Sunday Classes Resume

<u>November</u>

Nov 1-2 Shabbat Out Shabbaton*

Nov 10-11 Sunday - Monday Eilat Overnight Tiyul*

Nov 29-30 Shabbat Out Shabbaton - Old City*

December

Dec 11 Wednesday Tiyul*

Dec 20-21 Shabbat Staff Shabbat**

Dec 25- Jan 2 Wednesday - Thursday Chanuka Schedule

Dec 27-30 Friday - Monday Chanuka Break***

December 31-Jan 1 Tuesday - Wednesday Chanukah Schedule

Jan 2 Thursday Regular Classes

January 2025

Jan 10 – 11 Shabbat Staff Shabbat**

Jan 5 – 16 Sunday – Thursday Midterm Schedule

Jan 17-19 Friday - Sunday Midwinter Break***

Jan 20 Monday Second Semester Begins

Jan 24-25 Shabbat Out Shabbaton*

February

Feb 3 Monday Tiyul*

Feb 14-15 Shabbat Out Shabbaton in Bnei Brak*

March

March 13 Thursday Taanit Esther - Am Classes

March 14 - 16 Friday - Sunday Purim & Shushan Purim*

March 28-April 21 Friday - Monday Pesach Break***

March 30 - April 4 Sunday - Friday Poland Tour****

April

April 4-5 Shabbat Staff Shabbat** (Mandatory for

students attending the Poland Tour)

April 12-19	Shabbat - Shabbat	Pesach***
April 22	Tuesday	Welcome Back Dinner
April 26	Shabbat	Shabbaton*
April 23	Wednesday	Yom Hashoah – Special program
April 30	Wednesday	Yom Hazikaron - Special program

May

May 1	Thursday	Yom HaAtzmaut – Special program
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May 13-14 Tuesday - Wednesday Golan Overnight Tiyul*

<u>June</u>

	June 1-3	Sunday - Tuesday	Shavuot*
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June 9 Monday Banquet

June 11 Wednesday Dorm closes

* Mandatory Shabbat and Yom Tov at Midreshet Tehillah:

On Campus Shabbaton \ On Campus Yom Tov: Mandatory Shabbat or Chag together on campus with staff and programming. Each Shabbaton is given its unique focus, theme, and flavor and on all Chagim we create an atmosphere appropriate to each chag, making sure all needs of the chag are taken care of - from lulay and etrog on Sukkot to cheesecake on Shavuot!

<u>Out Shabbaton:</u> Mandatory Shabbat together in different communities and locations in Israel to taste the variety of communities in Eretz Yisrael.

** Optional Shabbat and Yom Tov at Midreshet Tehillah:

Staff Shabbat: Optional Shabbat on campus with staff and programming. These are generally Shabbatot when it can be difficult to find places to go for meals or when we anticipate that many students will prefer to remain on campus with the Midreshet Tehillah family.

<u>All other Shabbatot and Chagim:</u> The dorm is open and supervised. Seudah Shlishit is provided on Shabbatot. Students take advantage of these Shabbatot and Chagim to make their own arrangements, going to family and friends or staff and we assist students in making these arrangements when needed.

*** Breaks at Midreshet Tehillah:

The Midreshet Tehillah dorm is open and supervised throughout the school year including vacations. Meals are provided. During the longer breaks (Sukkot and Pesach) optional activities are offered, some subsidized and some at cost.

**** The Nesivos Poland Tour:

Because of the international situation we will only be able to finalize the date of the Poland trip later in the year. The expected dates are Sunday, March 30 - Friday, April 4. Participants of the Poland trip must stay in Israel for the Shabbat of April 4-5