



THE CITY CONGREGATION for HUMANISTIC JUDAISM

KIDSCHOOL DATES 2016-17

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HIGH HOLIDAYS @ HOLIDAY INN **Kids Program for Ages 4-10**

440 West 57th Street, between 9th and 10th Avenues

Monday, October 3 - Rosh Hashanah, 10:30am

Wednesday, October 12 - Yom Kippur, 10:30am

KIDSCHOOL SESSIONS

All classes meet on Sunday afternoons, from 2:45 to 5:15 pm
15 West 86th Street, between Columbus & CPW unless otherwise noted.

2:45 - 3:00pm Arrival and Snack (snack will not be available during Kehilla Circle)

3:00 - 3:30pm Kehilla Circle - Music, Storytelling, Announcements.

All students are expected to attend Kehilla Circle and arrive by 3pm. This is a valuable community building time for our students and families.

3:30 - 5:15pm KidSchool Classes

3:30 - 5:00pm Early Childhood Program

3:30 - 5:00pm Adult Perspectives (Presentations, discussions, and socializing)

*In case of inclement weather, grade parents will contact families.
All dates and programs subject to change.*

*To confirm events and for more information, visit www.citycongregation.org,
or contact the office at 212-213-1002 or info@citycongregation.org.*

Sun., Sept. 11 1:30pm - Bar/Bat Mitzvah Back-to-Work Meeting / Sanctuary
1:30pm - Open House / Social Hall
2:45pm - KidSchool
3:30pm - Parents accompany students to class for the first 10
minutes
3:45pm - KidSchool Parents Meet and Greet (Social Hall)

If it takes a community to raise a child, then it also takes friendship and partnership among the adults to make this happen. Come greet old friends and make new ones. Rabbi Peter will lead a fun icebreaker to bring us altogether. He will then moderate a discussion on our aspirations for our children's Jewish education and identity formation. How, on the one hand, do we celebrate our Jewish culture? At the same time, in recognition of 9/11, how do we talk about this event – and other sadnesses and tragedies in our Jewish past and in the lives of our own families?

Wed. Sept. 21 7:00pm - Open House / Social Hall

Sun, Sept. 25 1:30pm - Open House / Social Hall
2:45pm - KidSchool
3:30pm - Adults: The Great Babka Tasting! / Social Hall

Sun. Oct. 16 1:30pm - Bar/Bat Mitzvah Role Model Workshop / Social Hall
2:45pm - KidSchool / Kehillah Circle meets in the Sanctuary
3:30pm - Adults: How to Explain Humanistic Judaism to Others
(and ourselves) / Sanctuary

Sun. Oct. 30 2:45pm - KidSchool
3:30pm - Adults: Pre-Election Jitters (Part One) / Social Hall

Sun. Nov. 13 1:30pm - Parent Orientation to B/BM Program / Social Hall
Kids with Rabbi Peter / Classroom
2:45pm - KidSchool
3:30pm - Adults: Post-Election Autopsy (Part Two) / Social Hall

Sun. Dec. 4 2:45pm - KidSchool (no Kehillah Circle)
3:00pm - Pre-Holiday At-School Community Service Project
4:00pm - Kids go to classes
4:00pm - Adults: Informal Shmooze

- Sun. Dec. 18 Pre-Chanuka Party in Social Hall
No Kehilla Circle. No Snack.
3:00pm - Go directly to classes.
4:00pm - Chanukah Celebration and Party. Class Presentations.
Pizza and Latkes. Visitors are welcome.
- Sun., Jan. 8 1:15pm - Bar/Bat Mitzvah Kick-Off Meeting / Social Hall
2:45pm - KidSchool
3:30pm - Theatre of the Oppressed NYC – for 6th and 7th grades
and their parents. Open to the community.
- Sun., Jan. 22 2:45pm - KidSchool
- Sun., Feb. 5 2:45pm - KidSchool
- Sun., Feb. 26 2:45pm - KidSchool
- Sun., March 12 1:30pm - Bar/Bat Mitzvah Family Values Workshop / Social Hall
Purim Celebration
No Kehilla Circle. No Snack.
3:00pm - Go directly to classes.
4:00pm - Purim Celebration
Class Presentations. Megillah Reading.
Purim Carnival. Pizza and Hamentaschen.
Visitors are welcome.
- Sun., March 26 2:45pm - KidSchool
- Sun., April 9 No Kehilla Circle. No Snack.
3:00pm - Go directly to classes.
3:30pm - Model Seder for Pre-K through Grade 5
Parents and visitors are welcome.
- Sun., April 23 2:45pm - KidSchool
- Sun., May 7 1:30pm - Open House / Social Hall
2:45pm - KidSchool
- Sun., May 21 1:30pm - Open House / Social Hall
2:45pm - KidSchool
- Fri. June 2 6:30pm – KidSchool Graduation @ Shabbat
- Sun., June 4 End-of-Year Celebration
No Kehillah Circle. No Snack.
3:00pm - Parents and students go directly to classes for wrap up.
4:00pm - End-of-Year Celebration. Pizza!