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# תלמוד תורה פרדס

## Pardes House Primary School

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בס"ד

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### ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2018-19

#### **Autumn 2018** (65 days)

|  |   |                                    |
|--|---|------------------------------------|
| <b>School starts</b>                               | <b>Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> August</b>   | <b>8.45am – 12.00pm</b>            |
|  | Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September  | First full day (Years 1 – 6 only)  |
| Reception start school                             | Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> September; Staggered entrance for first week (separate timetable) |                                    |
| Eve of Rosh Hashanah                               | Sunday 9 <sup>th</sup> September  | 9.30am – 12.30pm                   |
| Rosh Hashanah                                      | Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> September                              | School closed                      |
| Fast of Gedaliah                                   | Wednesday 12 <sup>th</sup> September  | School finishes at 1.30pm          |
| Eve of Yom Kippur                                  | Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> September  | School closed                      |
| Yom Kippur   | Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> September  | School closed                      |
| Day after Yom Kippur                               | Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> September   | School starts at 9.30am            |
|  | Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> September   | School finishes at 12.40pm         |
| Eve of Succot                                      | Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> September   | School closed                      |
| Succot   | Mond. 24 <sup>th</sup> Sept. – Weds. 3 <sup>rd</sup> Oct. (inc)                           | School closed                      |
| Y1 & 3 Curriculum Evening                          | Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> October  | 8.15pm – 9.30pm                    |
| Y4 & 5 Curriculum Evening                          | Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> October   | 8.15pm – 9.30pm                    |
| Y6 SATs & Curriculum Evening                       | Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> October   | 8.15pm – 9.15pm                    |
| Y2 SATs & Curriculum Evening                       | Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> October  | 8.15pm – 9.15pm                    |
|  | Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> and Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> November                              | 8.45am – 12.00pm                   |
| Parents Evenings                                   | Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> & Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> November                             | School finishes 3.15pm             |
| Chanukah starts Sunday eve. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Decem. | Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> – Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> December                                | School finishes at 3.15pm each day |
|  | Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> December   | School finishes at 12.30pm         |
| Fast of Tevet                                      | Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December   | School finishes at 1.30pm          |
| Term ends  | Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> December  | School finishes at 12.30pm         |
|  | Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> December  | 8.45am – 11.30am                   |
| Cheder   | Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> – Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> December                             | 9.30am – 12.30pm                   |

#### **Spring 2019** (68 days)

|                       |  |                           |
|-----------------------|--|---------------------------|
| <b>Term starts</b>    | <b>Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January</b>                    | <b>Full day</b>           |
|                       | Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> February | 8.45am – 12.00pm          |
| Fast of Esther        | Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> March                           | School finishes at 1.30pm |
| Purim & Shushan Purim | Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> & Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March  | School closed             |
| Parents Evenings      | Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> & Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April   | School finishes 3.15pm    |
| Term ends             | Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> April                             | School finishes at 1.00pm |

#### **Summer 2019** (57 days)

|                    |   |                           |
|--------------------|---|---------------------------|
| <b>Term starts</b> | <b>Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April</b>                                     | <b>8.45am – 12.00pm</b>   |
| Bank Holiday       | Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> May  | 9.30am – 12.30pm          |
| Bank Holiday       | Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> May   | 9.30am – 12.30pm          |
|                    | Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> June                 | 8.45am – 12.00pm          |
| Shavuot            | Sunday 9 <sup>th</sup> & Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> June                   | School closed             |
| Day after Shavuot  | Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> June   | School closed             |
| School year ends   | Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> July  | School finishes at 1.30pm |
| Cheder             | Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup> July <b>TBC</b>                                 | 9.30am – 12.30pm          |
|                    | Monday 29 <sup>th</sup> July – Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> August <b>TBC</b> | 8.45am – 12.00pm          |

\* Detailed termly calendars with key dates and events will be sent out at the beginning of each term.

#### **INSET**

Full day INSETs: 31<sup>st</sup> August, 29<sup>th</sup> April  
Half Day INSETs: 22<sup>nd</sup> October, 10<sup>th</sup> December,  
7<sup>th</sup> January, 4<sup>th</sup> March, 8<sup>th</sup> April, 17<sup>th</sup> June

On all Kodesh days, including Sundays and Bank Holidays, school uniform is compulsory. Parents will be informed re. which Kodesh days boys need to bring a packed lunch.

#### **2019 – 20 academic year**

New school year starts: Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September  
Rosh Hashanah: Monday 30<sup>th</sup> September  
Please note that all dates are subject to change but advance notice will be given.

