

U SHALOM TORAH ACADEMY OF WESTERN MONMOUTH COUNTY

70 AMBOY ROAD, MORGANVILLE, NJ

SCHOOL CALENDAR 2008-2009 (5768-5769)

School Hours: 8:40 a.m. (**line up promptly at 8:39**) - 3:45 p.m.

Friday Dismissal: 2:45 p.m. Short Fridays - 1:30 p.m.

Aug.	28	Thursday	Professional Orientation In-Service Day
Sept.	1	Monday	Labor Day – No School
	2	Tuesday	First Day of School for Elementary Grades, Kindergarten and Day Care Orientation for Nursery & Pre-K - 10:00 a.m. – 11.00 a.m.
	3	Wednesday	First Day of School for Nursery & Pre-K
	10	Wednesday	Back to School Night –7:30 p.m. 2:45 p.m. Dismissal
	29- Oct. 1	Mon. – Wed.	Rosh Hashanah Eve and Rosh Hashanah – No School
Oct.	8-9	Wed. – Thurs.	Yom Kippur Eve and Yom Kippur- No School
	13-15	Mon.- Wed.	Succos Eve and Succos- No School
	17	Friday	Early Friday Dismissal Begins – 1:30 Dismissal
	20-22	Mon. – Wed.	Hoshana Rabbah, Shmini Atzeres, Simchas Torah - No School
	30	Thursday	Interim Reports Mailed Home
Nov.	4	Tuesday	Election Day - Professional In-Service – No School
	27-28	Thurs.- Fri.	Thanksgiving Weekend - No School
Dec.	5-6	Fri.-Sat.	Student Shabbatone Weekend
	11	Thursday	First Report Card
	14	Sunday	Chanukah Extravaganza
	16	Tuesday	Parent – Teacher Conferences in Evening - 2:45 p.m. Dismissal
	22	Monday	Chanukah Kindergarten Presentation - 9:30 a.m.
	23	Tuesday	Chanukah Elementary Grades Music and Drama Festival – 7:30 p.m.
	24	Wednesday	Chanukah Pre-K Presentation 9:30 a.m.
	26-28	Fri. - Sun.	Family and Student Weekend Retreat
	26-Jan. 2	Fri.-Fri.	Winter Recess
Jan.	5	Monday	School Resumes
	13	Tuesday	Parents' Day 11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. - Grades K-8
	28	Wednesday	Judaic Fair – 7:30 p.m
Feb.	4	Wednesday	Interim Reports Mailed Home – As Needed*
	7	Shabbat	Mother – Daughter Melava Malka
	16	Monday	Presidents' Day – No School
	25	Wednesday	General Studies Fair – 7:30 p.m.
	27 – March 1	Fri. – Sun.	Staff & Family Weekend Retreat
March	9	Monday	Megillah Reading and Purim Celebration In the Evening
	10	Tuesday	Purim – No Classes
	11	Wednesday	Shushan Purim – Delayed Opening 10:00 a.m.
	13	Friday	Regular Friday Dismissal Resumes – 2:45 p.m. Dismissal
	19	Thursday	Second Report Card
	24	Tuesday	Parent-Teacher Conferences in Evening - 2:45 p.m. Dismissal
April	7-17	Tues. – Fri.	Passover Recess
	20	Monday	Classes Resume
	21	Tuesday	Yom Hashoa – Holocaust Memorial Observance – Grades 4-8 Parent-Child Program 9:30 a.m.
	29	Wednesday	Yom Haatzmaut – Israel Independence Day Program
May	4-8	Mon. – Fri.	National Standardized Testing - Grades 1-8
	14	Thursday	Interim Reports Mailed Home – As Needed *
	17	Sunday	Annual Staff and Family Picnic
	20	Wednesday	Science Fair - 7:30 p.m.
	25	Monday	Memorial Day – No School
	28-29	Thurs. – Fri.	Shavuos – No School
June	15	Monday	Eighth Grade Graduation- 7:30 p.m.
	16	Tuesday	Nursery Graduation 9:15 a.m. and Kindergarten Graduation – 7:00 p.m.
	17	Wednesday	Pre-K Graduation 9:15 a.m.
	19	Friday	Last Day of School for All Grades and Day Care - 1:30 p.m. Dismissal Third Report Card Mailed Home

*See Family Handbook