

Vista House of Lovingkindness - Beit Chesed  
Nes Gadol 2023-2024 School Year



Color Key	
	Nes Gadol Class
	Every First Friday
	Blessing Exchange
	Special Program/Event
	Jewish Holiday Information
	Secular Observances

**AUGUST**

Fr	Aug 4	Every First Friday (6:00 pm) - Virtual
Su/Tu	Aug 20 /22	Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)
Su/Tu	Aug 27/29	Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)

**SEPTEMBER**

Fr	Sept 1	Every First Friday (6:00 pm) - Virtual
Sun	Sept 3	(NO Sunday Class) Labor Day Weekend
Tue	Sept 5	Nes Gadol - Tuesday (3:30 pm)
Su/Tu	Sept 10/12	Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)
Fr	Sept 15	Erev RH Services - (7 pm) - ALL STUDENTS & FAMILIES WELCOME
Sat	Sept 16	RH Day 1 Services - (10 am) - ALL STUDENTS & FAMILIES WELCOME! (RH Day 2 on 9/17)
Su/Tu	Sept 17/19	(NO Sunday & Tuesday Class) - Rosh Hashana Day 2 on 9/17
Sun	Sept 24	(NO Sunday Class) Kol Nidrei -Yom Kippur Evening Service (7 pm) ALL ARE WELCOME!
Mon	Sept 25	Yom Kippur Day Services (10 am) Yizkor Services (4 pm) - ALL ARE WELCOME!
Tue	Sept 26	(No Tuesday Class) - Post Holiday Rest
Fr	Sept 29	Sukkot begins Fri 9/29 at sundown and ends Fri 10/6 at nightfall

**OCTOBER**

Su/Tu	Oct 1/3	Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)
Sun	Oct 1	Vista House of Lovingkindness - Beit Chesed Open House @ Adrian's place 1-3 pm
Fr	Oct 6	Every First Friday (6:00 pm) - Virtual
Fr/Sat	Oct 6/7	Shmini Atzeret begins Fri 10/6 at sundown and ends Sat 10/7 at nightfall
Sat/Su	Oct 7/8	Simchat Torah begins Sat 10/7 at sundown and ends Sun 10/8 at nightfall
Sun	Oct 8	(NO Sunday Class) Sukkot Picnic & Simchat Torah (11:00 am) FAMILY & FRIENDS WELCOME!
Tue	Oct 10	Nes Gadol - Tuesday (3:30 pm)
Fr	Oct 13	Blessing Exchange - 3:00 @ Ivy Park (formerly Sunrise) at Playa Vista, 5555 Playa Vista Dr. 90044
Su/Tu	Oct 15/17	Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)
Su/Tu	Oct 22/24	Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)
Sun	Oct 29	Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am)
Tue	Oct 31	(NO Sunday Class) Halloween

**NOVEMBER**

Fr	Nov 3	Every First Friday (6:00 pm) - Virtual
Su/Tu	Nov 5/7	Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) Daylight Saving Time ends / Tuesday (3:30 pm)
Fr	Nov 10	Blessing Exchange - 3:00 @ Ivy Park (formerly Sunrise) at Playa Vista, 5555 Playa Vista Dr. 90044
Sun	Nov 12	(NO Sunday Class) Veteran's Day Weekend
Tue	Nov 14	Nes Gadol - Tuesday (3:30 pm)
Sun	Nov 19	Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am)
Break	Nov 20-26	(NO Classes) Nov 20 - 26 Thanksgiving Week Break
Tue	Nov 28	Nes Gadol - Tuesday (3:30 pm)

**DECEMBER**

Fr	Dec 1	Every First Friday (6 pm) - Virtual
Su/Tu	Dec 3/5	Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)
Thur	Dec 7	Chanukkah begins Sun, Dec 7 at sunset Chanukkah ends Mon, Dec 15 at nightfall
Fr	Dec 8	Blessing Exchange - 3:00 @ Ivy Park (formerly Sunrise) at Playa Vista, 5555 Playa Vista Dr. 90044
Sun	Dec 10	(NO Sunday Class) Chanukkah Extravaganza - (5 pm) FAMILY & FRIENDS WELCOME!
Tue	Dec 12	(NO Tuesday Class) - Hanukkah Break
Su/Tu	Dec 17/19	Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)
Break	12/20 - 1/6	(NO Classes) Dec 20- Jan 6 Winter Break

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**JANUARY**

Fri	Jan 5	<b>Every First Friday (6:00 pm) - Virtual</b>
<b>Break</b>	12/20 - 1/6	<b>(NO Classes) Dec 20- Jan 6 Winter Break</b>
Su/Tu	Jan 7/9	<b>Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)</b>
Fri	Jan 12	<b>Blessing Exchange - 3:00 @ Ivy Park (formerly Sunrise) at Playa Vista, 5555 Playa Vista Dr. 90044</b>
Sun	Jan 14	<b>(No Sunday Class) Dr. Martin Luther King Day &amp; Weekend</b>
Tue	Jan 16	<b>Nes Gadol - Tuesday (3:30 pm)</b>
Sun	Jan 21	<b>(NO Sunday Class) Tu B'Shvat Event- (11 am) FAMILY &amp; FRIENDS WELCOME!</b>
Tue	Jan 23	<b>Nes Gadol - Tuesday (3:30 pm)</b>
We/Th	Jan 24/25	<i>Tu BiShvat begins Wednesday, Jan 24 at sunset and ends Thursday, Jan 25 at nightfall</i>
Su/Tu	Jan 28/30	<b>Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)</b>

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**FEBRUARY**

Fri	Feb 1	<b>Jewish Disability Awareness &amp; Inclusion Month (JDAIM) - Pls see Jewish Federation Website for Events</b>
Sat	Feb 2	<b>Every First Friday (6:00 pm) - Virtual</b>
Sun	Feb 4	<b>Vista House of Lovingkindness Presents- Inclusive Art/Talent Show - FAMILY &amp; FRIENDS WELCOME!</b>
Su/Tu	Feb 4/6	<b>Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)</b>
Fri	Feb 9	<b>Blessing Exchange - 3:00 @ Ivy Park (formerly Sunrise) at Playa Vista, 5555 Playa Vista Dr. 90044</b>
Su/Tu	Feb 11/13	<b>Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)</b>
Sun	Feb 18	<b>(No Sunday Class) President's Day Weekend</b>
Tue	Feb 20	<b>Nes Gadol - Tuesday (3:30)</b>
Fri	Feb 23	<b>Shabbaton in honor of JDAIM - (4:00 pm) - VIRTUAL SHABBAT DINNER- ALL ARE WELCOME!</b>
Sat	Feb 24	<b>Shabbaton in honor of JDAIM - (10:00 am) - SHABBAT SERVICE &amp; BRUNCH - ALL ARE WELCOME!</b>
Sat	Feb 24	<b>Shabbaton in honor of JDAIM - (6:00 pm) - HAVDALAH DANCE - ALL ARE WELCOME!</b>
Su/Tu	Feb 25/27	<b>Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)</b>

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**MARCH**

Fri	Mar 1	<b>Every First Friday (6:00 pm) - Virtual</b>
Su/Tu	Mar 3/5	<b>Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)</b>
Fri	Mar 8	<b>Blessing Exchange - 3:00 @ Ivy Park (formerly Sunrise) at Playa Vista, 5555 Playa Vista Dr. 90044</b>
Su/Tu	Mar 10/12	<b>Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) Daylight Saving Time begins / Tuesday (3:30 pm)</b>
Sun	Mar 17	<b>(NO Sunday Class) Purim Party - FAMILY &amp; FRIENDS WELCOME! (Time: TBA)</b>
Tue	Mar 19	<b>Nes Gadol - Tuesday (3:30)</b>
Sat	Mar 23	<i>Purim Day</i>
<b>Break</b>	3/24 - 4/1	<b>(NO Classes) March 24 - April 1 Spring Break</b>

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**APRIL**

<b>Break</b>	3/24 - 1/1	<b>(NO Classes) March 24 - April 1 Spring Break</b>
Tue	Apr 2	<b>Nes Gadol - Tuesday (3:30)</b>
Fri	Apr 5	<b>Every First Friday (6:00 pm) - Virtual</b>
Su/Tu	Apr 7/9	<b>Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)</b>
Fri	Apr 12	<b>Blessing Exchange - 3:00 @ Ivy Park (formerly Sunrise) at Playa Vista, 5555 Playa Vista Dr. 90044</b>
Sun	Apr 14	<b>(NO Sunday Class) Pre-Passover Seder (5:00 pm) - FAMILY AND FRIENDS WELCOME!</b>
Tue	Apr 16	<b>Nes Gadol - Tuesday (3:30)</b>
Sun	Apr 21	<b>Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am)</b>
Mon	Apr 22	<i>First Day of Passover Begins Monday, Apr 22 at sundown</i>
Tue	Apr 23	<b>(NO Tuesday Class) - Passover</b>
Su/Tu	Apr 28/30	<b>Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am)</b>
Tue	Apr 30	<i>Final Day of Passover</i>

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**May**

Fri	May 3	<b>Every First Friday (6:00 pm) - Virtual</b>
Sun	May 5	<b>(NO Sunday Class) Yom HaShoah, Yom HaZikaron, Yom HaAtzma'ut Event - (Time: TBD)</b>
Sun	May 5	<i>Yom HaShoah- Begins Sun, May 5 at sunset until Mon, May 6 at nightfall</i>
Tue	May 7	<b>Nes Gadol - Tuesday Class (3:30)</b>
Fri	May 10	<b>Blessing Exchange - 3:00 @ Ivy Park (formerly Sunrise) at Playa Vista, 5555 Playa Vista Dr. 90044</b>
Sun	May 12	<b>(No Sunday Class) / Mother's Day Weekend</b>
Mon	May 13	<i>Yom HaZikaron - Israel Memorial Day - Begins Sun, May 12 at sunset until Mon, May 13 at nightfall</i>
Tue	May 14	<b>Nes Gadol - Tuesday Class (3:30)</b>
Tue	May 14	<i>Yom HaAtzmaut - Israel Independence Day - Mon, May 13 at sunset until Tue, May 14 at nightfall</i>
Su/Tu	May 19/21	<b>Nes Gadol - Sunday (9:30 am) / Tuesday (3:30 pm)</b>
Sat	May 25	<i>Lag BaOmer - Begins Sat, May 25 at sunset until Sun, May 26 at nightfall</i>
Sun	May 26	<b>(No Sunday Class) / Memorial Day Weekend</b>
Tue	May 28	<b>Nes Gadol - Tuesday Class (3:30)</b>

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**June**

Sat	Jun 1	<b>HAVDALAH CULMINATION (5:00pm) FAMILY AND FRIENDS WELCOME!</b>
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**HAVE A WONDERFUL SUMMER!** Please Note that Every First Friday and Blessing Exchange will continue throughout the Summer!