

**HEBREW UNION COLLEGE-JEWISH INSTITUTE OF RELIGION  
NEW YORK SCHOOL  
ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2008 – 2009**

Fall Orientation & Registration for New Students ..... August 19-22, 2008  
High Holiday Workshops..... August 20-21, 2008

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**Semester 1 classes begin (Kallah--first 3 days Sun-Tues at Kutz Camp)..... Aug. 24-26, 2008**

Classes continue at HUC-JIR NY campus ..... Wednesday, August 27, 2008  
National Holiday (building closed) ..... September 1, 2008  
High Holiday Recess..... **September 26-October 22, 2008**  
Classes Resume ..... October 23, 2008  
**Quad 1 Classes End (for students in single Quad classes) ..... October 29, 2008**  
**Y'mei Iyyun, required programs, no regular classes ..... October 30-31, 2008**

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**Quad 2 Classes Begin (for students in single Quad classes)..... November 3, 2008**

D. Min Integrative Seminar (Level 1) ..... November 19-20, 2008  
Rabbinical Thesis Proposals due, Class of 2010 ..... November 24, 2008  
Thanksgiving Recess..... November 27 - 28, 2008  
D. Min Integrative Seminar (Level 2) ..... TBD  
**Semester 1 Classes End ..... December 16, 2008**  
Reading Period ..... December 17-21, 2008  
SSM Senior Comprehensive Exams..... TBD  
Final Examinations..... December 22-24, 2008  
Grades Due for Semester 1..... January 7, 2008  
D. Min Integrative Seminar (Level 2) ..... TBD

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<b>Semester 2 Classes Begin</b> .....	<b>January 14, 2009</b>
National Holiday (Building Closed).....	January 19, 2009
SSM Theses Due Class of 2008 .....	January 20, 2009
Rabbinical Theses Due, Class of 2009.....	February 2, 2009
SSM Theses Proposals Due Class of 2010.....	February 3, 2009
MARE Thesis Proposals Due Class of 2010.....	February 4, 2009
D. Min Integrative Seminar (Level 1) .....	February 4-5, 2009
National Holiday (Building Closed).....	February 16, 2009
<b>Quad 3 Classes End</b> .....	<b>February 25, 2009</b>
Rabbinical Senior Course Work Completion.....	February 26, 2009
<b>Y'mei Iyyun, required programs, no regular classes</b> .....	<b>February 26-27, 2009</b>

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<b>Quad 4 Classes Begin</b> .....	<b>March 2, 2009</b>
MARE Theses Due Class of 2009.....	March 2, 2009
D. Min Integrative Seminar (Level 2) .....	TBD
Founders' Day .....	March 19, 2009
D. Min Integrative Seminar (Level 1) .....	March 25-26, 2009
D. Min Projects Due, Class of 2009 .....	March 26, 2009
Passover Recess .....	April 7-19, 2009
Classes Resume.....	April 20, 2009
<b>Semester 2 Classes End</b> .....	<b>April 28, 2009</b>
<b>Graduation (**Thursday**)</b> .....	<b>April 30, 2009</b>
<b>Investiture &amp; Ordination</b> .....	<b>May 3, 2009</b>
Reading Period.....	April 29-May 4, 2009
D. Min Qualifying Exams Distributed .....	May 4, 2009
Final Examinations.....	May 5-7, 2009
D. Min Qualifying Exams Due .....	June 4, 2009
SSM Oral Comprehensive Exams.....	TBD
Semester 2 Grades Due .....	June 16, 2009
Summer Minimester I .....	TBD
Summer Minimester II .....	TBD

**Calendar Subject To Change**

*Update March 24, 2008*