

2026-2027 Fiterman B' Mitzvah Program Schedule

July 2026						
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July			
July	5th Grd. Intakes		

August			
Aug	5th Grd. Intakes	30	Summer Social
8	BM: Oleisky		
15	BM: Rees		
22	BM: Sztainer		
29	BM: Latzer		

September			
5	BM: Goldfarb	20	Teacher Training
5	NO TaRBuT	21	Yom Kippur
9	5th Grd. Orientation	26	BM: Fefferman
12	NO TaRBuT	26	NO TaRBuT
12~13	Rosh Hashana	26~30	Sukkot
19	TaRBuT-New Students		

October			
1~2	Sukkot	17	BM: Plotsker
3	NO TaRBuT	17	NO TaRBuT
3	Shmini Atzeret	24	BM: Gonzalez
4	Simchat Torah	24	TaRBuT/Fam. Learn
10	BM: Cohen-Lissek	25	T3-Fall
10	First Day of TaRBuT	31	TaRBuT

November			
1	T3-Fall	22	T3-Fall
6	Shabbat Family Dinner	28	NO TaRBuT
7	TaRBuT/Fam. Learn		
14	BM: Abramovich		
14	TaRBuT		
15	T3-Fall		
21	TaRBuT/Fam. Learn		

December			
4~12	Chanukah	13	T3-Fall
5	BM: Zacker	19	TaRBuT
5	TaRBuT	24	BM: Clinard (Israel)
6	T3-Fall	26	NO TaRBuT
12	BM: Paletz		
12	TaRBuT/Fam. Learn		

January 2027						
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March 2027						
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April 2027						
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June 2027						
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January			
2	NO TaRBuT		
9	TaRBuT/Fam. Learn		
16	NO TaRBuT		
23	TaRBuT		
30	TaRBuT		
31	T3-Spring		

February			
6	BM: Moreimi	28	T3-Spring
6	TaRBuT		
7	T3-Spring		
13	BM: Jackson		
13	NO TaRBuT		
20	TaRBuT/Fam. Learn		
27	TaRBuT		

March			
5	Shabbat Family Dinner	21	Purim Carnival
6	TaRBuT/Fam. Learn	23	Purim
13	BM: Awend	27	BM: Lokeh
13	TaRBuT	27	TaRBuT
14	T3-Spring		
20	TaRBuT		

April			
3	TaRBuT	17	TaRBuT/Fam. Learn
9~11	Shabbaton	18	T3-Spring
10	NO TaRBuT	22~29	Passover
10	BM: Sternberg	24	NO TaRBUT
14	Date Reveal		
17	BM: Ostrow		

May			
1	BM: Kecman	22	Last Day of TaRBuT
1	TaRBuT	25	Lag B'Omer
8	BM: Ruby	29	BM: Sulman
8	TaRBuT/Fam. Learn	29	NO TaRBUT
9	T3-Spring		
15	BM: Kass		
15	TaRBuT		

June			
5	BM: Wolpert		
11~12	Shavuot		
12	BM: Hage		

TaRBuT	NO TaRBuT	HOLIDAY	SPECIAL EVENT	T3
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Calendar Program Key

TaRBuT (Shabbat Mornings, 9:15 am-12 pm)

TaRBuT is the heart and soul of our program. The morning is broken into three pieces: 1) small group prayer learning, 2) leading services in our own Minyan and Mitzvot (M&M), and 3) experiencing services in the main sanctuary. To reinforce what was learned, it is important for students to review during the week at home. Best practice to maximize learning is 15 minutes, 4 times per week.

5th Grade Family Learning (Select Shabbat mornings during TaRBuT, 9:30-10:30 am)

In these clergy-led, interactive learning sessions, 5th graders and adults will delve into the meaning of becoming B' Mitzvah, explore what Jewish traditions and beliefs mean to them, and get to know each other.

6th Grade Family Mitzvah Program (Select Shabbat and Sunday mornings)

6th graders and accompanying adults will learn about various mitzvot and have the opportunity to work together on mitzvah projects in the greater community.

T³ (Tallit, Tefillin and Tefillah) (Select Sunday mornings, EITHER Fall or Spring, 9:00-10:30 am)

This is a 6 week course on Sunday mornings (assigned based on simcha date) in which we learn the hows and whys of wearing our tallitot and tefillin. We will also delve into the questions of why we pray, who we pray to, the structure of the prayer services, and what our prayers mean to us and to our people. This class is for the B' Mitzvah students and their adults. Tefillin will be ordered by our administrator for all learners before the beginning of T3.

Shabbaton

Shabbaton is an overnight retreat for 5th and 6th graders from Friday evening to Sunday morning, to experience Shabbat together through song, prayer, and community.

Beit Midrash (Single Sunday morning, 10:30-11:30 am)

In a group learning session we call Beit Midrash, students begin the process of preparing their d'var Torah (sermon). They study their parsha (Torah portion) together with their adults. The preparation continues with the one-on-one learning with our Rabbis. Sessions will take place at the end of 6th grade or beginning of 7th grade, based on date of simcha.

Nevi'im/D'var Haftarah (Prophets)

Nevi'im is the study of the Prophets, their stories, and the Haftarot that correspond to your child's B' Mitzvah date. Those who select the Nevi'im option will study their Haftarah and their Prophet with the Rabbi either one-on-one or in a small group setting. Students participating will also be guided in preparing a short D'var Haftarah, a talk on their portion, which they will deliver at their B' Mitzvah service. If they choose to chant the Haftarah, a tutor will be assigned to them a year before their simcha to start their learning. Families will be encouraged to decide their path at the One-Year Assessment.