



Staff Development Agenda 2017
August 22 - August 26

Thursday August 17, 2017 / 25 Av 5777

9:00 – 11:00 Outdoor Classroom Visitation at Los Angeles Valley College
(*Strongly encouraged for all members of the ECE and Kdg. Staff – all members of the faculty interested are welcome*).

Monday August 21, 2017 / 29 Av 5777

8:00 – 8:45 Welcome Back! (All Faculty) – Light Breakfast
- Shehechyanu
- D'var

8:45 – 10:00 What links “our selves” together? – Part One

10:00 – 10:30 Break

10:30 – 12:30 What links “our selves” together? – Part Two

12:30 – 1:15 Lunch (provided)

1:15 - 2:15 New Faculty Orientation (Staff Lounge)

*****All teachers must reach out to their students this week (An email, letter or post card is fine – communication to the child – this should be some form of joint communication). Rosters and addresses will be provided.**

****** Teachers should also reach out to their room parents just to say hello, and talk about how things will work between you.**

Tuesday August 22, 2017 / 30 Av 5777

8:00 – 8:15 Light Breakfast – D'var

8:15 – 10:00 – Office Procedures
The Year Ahead (FULL FACULTY)
- Special Events
- Calendar and much more
- Kashrut

- Benefits
- Back to School Night

10:15 – 10:30 Break

10:30– 12:00 K – 5 Meeting: ES General, Judaic Studies and Specialists Meeting (Lounge)

- End of the Year Culminations / Open House
- Schedules
- Discipline in the Classroom
- Parent Communication
- Generational Shabbats
- Hebrew Birthdays
- Kippot
- Portfolios / Conferences / Report Cards
- Curriculum doc...

10:30 – 12:00 Pre-School Faculty Meeting with Paula (location TBD)

12:00 Classroom Prep Time

3:00 – 3:30 AED and EPI PEN TRAINING – Mandatory for all Staff Members

3:30 – 5:30 CPR and First Aid (Mandatory for all Staff Members whose certification has expired) – cost is \$50 per teacher –
Please bring a check with you made out to Robert Davids.

If you can't take it with the School you must complete it on your own before school starts. If you took it over the summer please provide Sherrell with a copy of the CPR card.

Wednesday August 23, 2017 / 1 Elul 5777 – Rosh Chodesh Elul

8:30 – 9:00 D'var / Shofar Blowing

9:00 – 12:00 Practical Strategies for Addressing Challenging Behaviors – Part One
- Lead by the Educators of the Frostig Center
(part two to take place in February)

Rest of the day is for classroom prep

Thursday August 24, 2017 / 2 Elul 5777

8:30 – 10:30 Emergency Preparedness Training

11:30 – 1:30 Judaic Faculty meeting with Bat-hen (her office)

Rest of the day is for classroom prep

NEW PARENT ORIENTATION TONIGHT AT 7:00 PM (In the Mercaz)

Friday August 25, 2017 / 3 Elul 5777

8:30 – 10:00 Pre-School Faculty Meeting with Paula (staff lounge)

K - 5 Before School Year Parent Teacher Conferences – schedule will be provided a few days prior... system will open to the parents to schedule conferences Week of August 14.

12:10 – 12:50 We Welcome Shabbat – All Faculty (Staff Lounge)

Monday, August 28, 2017 / 6 Elul 5777

Classroom Prep

9:00 – 11:00 E2, E3, E4 - Open House (with parents)

Tuesday, August 29, 2017 / 7 Elul 5777

First Day of School for All Grades

Welcome Back Coffee for Parents 8:30 (Lounge)