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The Jewish Months

Directions:

You have been asked to become an expert on one month of the Jewish year. Using the calendar pages that you and your classmates created, please answer the following questions:

1. What is the name of the month you are researching?

2. What Jewish holidays take place during this month?

3. In what season does this month typically fall? (Hint: What civil month corresponds to it?)

4. What is the weather during this month where you live?

5. What is one thing that you look forward to doing during this month?

The Jewish Months Chart

Jewish Month	Corresponding Month	Jewish Holidays
Tishrei	September/October	Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur, Sukkot, Simhat Torah
<u>H</u> eshvan	October/November	
Kislev	November/December	<u>H</u> anukah
Tevet	December/January	
Shvat	January/February	Tu B'Shvat
Adar*	February/March	Purim
Nisan	March / April	<u>P</u> esah
Iyar	April/May	Lag B'Omer
Sivan	May/June	Shavuot
Tamuz	June/July	
Av	July/August	
Elul	August/September	

* A Jewish leap year has two months of Adar: Aleph and Bet. In a leap year, Purim is in Adar Bet.