**Calendar Song**

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**Tishrei**’s the beginning of a brand new year.

Noah’s Ark in **Cheshvan**, put on your water gear.

Then **Kislev** and **Tevet**, when Hanukkah’s the star

I can’t believe four months have passed so fast, so far.

**Shevat** is for the trees, and eating lots of fruit

Then **Adar** means Purim, Queen Esther we salute.

**Nissan** is spring and Passover, too.

A birthday comes in **Iyar** “Israel! Woohoo!”

**Sivan** is Shavuot, it’s Ten Commandments time

Summer comes in **Tammuz,** the weather so sublime

The month of **Av,** think of sad times long ago.

The year is almost over – just one month to go.

The last month is **Elul,** we hear the shofar’s call

It’s almost time for Tishrei, let’s start again with fall.

**Tishrei,** **Cheshvan, Kislev,**

**Tevet** and **Shevat**

**Adar, Nissan, Iyar**

I like these months a lot

**Sivan** and **Tammuz**

And now we’re almost through

**Av** and **Elul**

I said them all – did you?

We said the names of all the months in our Jewish year

If you can remember them –

Mazel Tov, my dear!