

## Instructions

Using the information about the Zadok priestly calendar from the Dead Sea Scrolls, answer the following questions. Be sure to provide complete sentences where necessary.

### Part 1: Understanding the Calendar

1. What is the significance of the Zadok priestly calendar in the context of the Dead Sea Scrolls?
2. List three festivals or appointed times mentioned in the Zadok calendar.
3. Describe how the Zadok calendar differs from the modern Gregorian calendar.

### Part 2: Seasons and Festivals

Based on your understanding of the Zadok calendar, fill in the boxes below with the correct designated month and details for each festival.

Festival/Season	Designated Month	Significance
Passover		
Festival of Weeks (Shavuot)		
Festival of Ingathering (Sukkot)		

### Part 3: Reflection

1. In your opinion, why is it important to have a calendar that marks religious festivals and seasons?
2. How do you think the rituals and celebrations of the Zadok community reflect their beliefs and values?

### Part 4: Creative Thinking

Imagine you were to create your own calendar based on something meaningful to you. Write a brief description of what it would include and the significance of each date or event.