

## Calendar of Holidays and Religious Observances for 2020-2021

Fall 2020			Spring 2021		
Holiday/Observance	Religious Group	Date	Holiday/Observance	Religious Group	Date
Eid-al-Adha	Islamic	Jul. 31	Martin Luther King Day		Jan. 18
Hijrah (New year)	Islamic	Aug. 20	Presidents Day		Feb. 15
Labor Day		Sept. 7	Ash Wednesday	Christian	Feb. 17
Rosh Hashanah	Jewish	Sept. 18-20	Purim	Jewish	Feb. 26
Yom Kippur	Jewish	Sept. 27	Beginning of Lent	Christian Orthodox	Mar. 6
Sukkot	Jewish	Oct. 2-9	Maha Shivaratri	Hindu	Mar. 11
Shmini Atzeret	Jewish	Oct. 9	Passover	Jewish	Mar. 27-Apr. 3
Simchat Torah	Jewish	Oct. 10	Holi	Hindu	Mar. 29
Columbus Day			Good Friday	Christian	Apr. 2
Navaratri/Dassehra	Hindu	Oct.17-25	Easter	Christian	Apr. 4
Mawlid-al-Nabi	Islamic	Oct. 28	Rama Navami	Hindu	Apr. 21
Veterans Day			Beginning of Ramadan	Islamic	Apr. 15
Diwali	Hindu	Nov. 14	Lailat al-Qadr	Islamic	May 8
Thanksgiving Day		Nov. 26	Eid al-Fitr (End of Ramadan)	Islamic	May 13
Saint Nicholas Day	Christian	Dec. 6	Shavuot	Jewish	May 16
Hanukkah	Jewish	Dec. 10-18	Memorial Day		May 31
Fiesta of Our Lady of Guadalupe		Dec. 12	Independence Day		July 4
St. Lucia Day	Swedish	Dec. 13	Janmashtami	Hindu	Aug. 30
Yule	Pagan	Dec. 21			
Christmas Day	Christian	Dec. 25			
Boxing Day	Canada	Dec. 26			
Kwanza	African	Dec. 26-Jan. 1			
Omisoka	Japanese	Dec. 31			
New Years Day		Jan. 1			
Epiphany	Christian	Jan. 6			

Please Note:

**BOLD**-Classes not in session.

\* Holiday designated as non-work days

# Holy Day not fixed to a calendar

All Jewish and Islamic holidays begin at sundown on the evening prior to the first date shown