

Common Religious and Public Holidays for the 2023-2024 school year

NOTE:

All Jewish and Islamic holidays begin at sundown on the evening before the first date shown.

* These holidays (or dates within holidays) are designated non-work (observance) days.

Some of these dates are not fixed to a calendar but based on the actual sighting of the moon and therefore there may be some variance by a day.

| Holiday or Observance | Religious Group | Dates | Additional Notes |
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| Eid al-Adha | Islamic | June 28-29 | Saturday-Sunday. Date not fixed. See note above. |
| Muharram (Al Hijrah New Year) | Islamic | July 19, 2023 | Wednesday |
| Labor Day | | Sept. 4, 2023 | No school |
| *Rosh Hashanah (New Year) | Jewish | Sept. 15-17, 2023 | Rosh Hashanah kicks off several weeks of Jewish holidays in the fall. Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur are the two most-observed Jewish Holidays, called the high holy days. Designated non-work day for observers |
| *Yom Kippur (Day of Atonement) | Jewish | Sept. 24-25, 2023 | Holiest and most observed Jewish holiday Designated non-work day for observers |
| *Sukkot (Feast of Tabernacles) | Jewish | Sept. 29-Oct.6, 2023 | *Sept 29-Oct. 1 are designated non-work day for observers |
| *Shmini Atzeret | Jewish | Oct. 6, 2023 | Designated non-work day for observers |
| *Simchat Torah | Jewish | Oct. 7, 2023 | Designated non-work day for observers |
| Indigenous Peoples' Day | | Oct. 9, 2023 | |
| Navaratri/Dassehra | Hindu | Oct. 15-Oct.24, 2023 | Celebrated at night |
| Diwali | Hindu | Nov. 12, 2023 | |
| Veteran's Day | | Nov. 11, 2023 | |
| Mawlid-al-Nabi (birthday of Mohammad) | Islamic | Sept. 26, 2023 | Date not fixed. See note above. |
| Thanksgiving Day | | Nov. 23, 2023 | No school Nov. 23-24, 2023 |
| Hanukkah (Chanukah) | Jewish | Dec. 7-15, 2023 | |

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| Christmas Day | Christian | Dec. 25, 2023 | No school |
| New Year's Day | | Jan. 1, 2024 | No school |
| Orthodox Christmas | Christian Orthodox | Jan. 7, 2024 | Sunday |
| Martin Luther King Day | | Jan. 15, 2024 | No school |
| Lunar New Year | | Feb. 10, 2024 | Saturday. Observed dates: Feb. 2-10, 2024 |
| Parinirvana | Buddhism | Feb. 15, 2024 | |
| President's Day | | Feb. 19, 2024 | No school |
| Maha Shivaratri | Hindu | Mar. 8, 2024 | Friday |
| Ash Wednesday | Christian | Feb. 14, 2024 | |
| Beginning of Lent | Christian | Feb. 14, 2024 | Observed on Wednesday, February 14 ending on Thursday, March 28 |
| Holi | Hindu | March 25, 2024 | |
| Purim | Jewish | March 23, 2024 | |
| Good Friday | Christian | March 29, 2024 | |
| Easter | Christian | March 31, 2024 | |
| Ramanavami | Hindu | April 17, 2024 | |
| *Passover (Pesach) | Jewish | April 22-30, 2024 | *Apr. 22-23 and are designated non-work days for observers |
| Orthodox Good Friday | Christian Orthodox | May 3, 2024 | |
| Orthodox Easter | Christian Orthodox | May 5, 2024 | Sunday |
| Beginning of Ramadan | Islamic | March 10, 2024 | Ramadan: March 10-April 8, 2024 |
| Memorial Day | | May 27, 2024 | No school |
| Laylat Ul Qadr | Islamic | April 6, 2024 | Date not fixed. See note above. |
| Eid al-Fitr (End of Ramadan) | Islamic | April 9, 2024 | Ramadan: March 10-April 8, 2024 |
| *Shavuot | Jewish | June 11-13, 2024 | Designated non-work day for observers |
| Juneteenth | | June 19, 2024 | Wednesday |
| Eid al-Adha | Islamic | June 16-17, 2024 | Date not fixed. See note above. |
| Janmashtami | Hindu | Aug. 26, 2024 | Date not fixed. See note above. |
| Independence Day | | July 4, 2024 | No school |