

RELIGIOUS HOLIDAYS AND THE 2024-2025 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Among the religious holidays that might pose conflicts with the 2024-2025 academic calendar are:

	<u>Faith</u>	<u>Date</u>
Eid al-Ghadeer **	Islam	June 24-25
1 st of Muharram (Islamic New Year) **	Islam	July 7
10 th of Muharram (Ashura) **	Islam	July 16-17
Tisha B' Av	Jewish	August 12-13
Arba'een**	Islam	August 25-26
Paryushan **	Jain	August 31-September 7
Birth of the Prophet Muhammad (Sunni) **	Islam	September 15
Birth of the Prophet Muhammad (Shia) **	Islam	September 21
Rosh Hashanah *	Jewish	October 2-4
Yom Kippur *	Jewish	October 11-12
Sukkot *	Jewish	October 16-23
Shemini Atzeret/Simchat Torah *	Jewish	October 23-25
Diwali **	Hindu	November 1
Birth of the Báb ***	Baha'i	November 2
Birth of Bahá'u'lláh ***	Baha'i	November 3
Christmas	Christian	December 25
Hanukkah *	Jewish	December 25-January 2
Christmas	Christian	December 25
Kwanzaa	Interfaith/African-American	Dec. 26-Jan. 1
Feast of the Epiphany	Christian	January 6
Eastern Orthodox Christmas	Orthodox Christian	January 7
Birthday of 'Alī ibn Abī Ṭālib **	Islam	January 12-13
Sankranti	Hindu	January 14
Lunar New Year	Interfaith/National	January 29
Ramadan **	Islam	February 28-March 30
Eastern Orthodox Beginning of Lent	Orthodox Christian	March 3
Ash Wednesday	Christian	March 5
Lent Begins	Christian	March 5
Purim*	Jewish	March 13-14
Holi	Hindu	March 14
Now-Rúz ***	Interfaith/National/Bahai/Zoroastrianism	March 21
23 rd Night of Ramadan**	Islam	March 23
27 th Night of Ramadan**	Islam	March 27

Eid al-Fitr **	Islam	March 30
Passover (Pesach) *	Jewish	April 12-20
Vaisakhi	Sikh	April 14
Eastern Orthodox Good Friday	Orthodox Christian	April 18
Good Friday	Christian	April 18
Easter	Christian	April 20
Eastern Orthodox Easter	Orthodox Christian	April 20
First Day of Ridván ***	Baha'i	April 20
Ninth Day of Ridván ***	Baha'i	April 29
Twelfth Day of Ridván ***	Baha'i	May 1
Vesak (Mahayana)	Buddhism	May 12
Vesak (Theravada)	Buddhism	May 12
Declaration of the Báb ***	Baha'i	May 23
Ascension of Bahá'u'lláh ***	Baha'i	May 28
Ascension Day	Christian	May 29
Eastern Orthodox Ascension Day	Orthodox Christian	May 29
Shavuot *	Jewish	June 1-3
Holy Day of Arafah **	Islam	June 5
Eid al-Adha **	Islam	June 6-7
Eid al-Ghadeer **	Islam	June 14-15
Juneteenth	Interfaith/African American	June 19
1 st of Muharram (Islamic New Year) **	Islam	June 26
10 th of Muharram (Ashura) **	Islam	July 4-5
Martyrdom of the Bab ***	Baha'i	July 8-9
Shabbat*	Jewish	Weekly-Friday sunset to Saturday sunset
Jumu'ah	Islam	Weekly-Thursday sunset to Friday sunset

*Jewish holy days begin and end at sundown on the first and last days listed.

**These holidays are calculated on a lunar calendar and are approximate. Muslim holidays begin and end at sundown on the first and last days listed.

***The Baha'i day ends and a new one begins at sunset; consequently, the day on which a Holy Day is observed begins at sunset of the day before the Gregorian calendar dates given above.