## RELIGIOUS HOLIDAYS 2019-20

<u>Date</u>	Day	<u>Holiday</u>	<u>Religion</u>
August 12-15	Monday - Thursday	Eid-al-Adha* (Feast of Sacrifice, concludes the pilgrima	Muslim ge to Mecca)
September 30 - Oct. 1	Monday - Tuesday	Rosh Hashanah*	Jewish
October 9	Wednesday	Yom Kippur*	Jewish
October 14-20	Monday - Sunday	Sukkot*	Jewish
October 21	Monday	Shemini Atzeret*	Jewish
October 22	Tuesday	Simchat Torah*	Jewish
October 27	Sunday	Diwali (festival of Lights)	Hindu/Sikh
December 23-30	Monday - Monday	Hanukkah*	Jewish
December 25	Wednesday	Christmas	Christian
December 26 - January 1	Thursday - Wednesday	Kwanzaa	Interfaith
February 5	Wednesday	Chinese New Year	Buddhist
February 26	Wednesday	Ash Wednesday	Christian
March 10	Tuesday	Purim*	Jewish
April 10	Friday	Good Friday	Christian
April 9-15	Thursday - Wednesday	Passover*	Jewish
April 12	Sunday	Easter	Christian
April 24	Friday	First Day of Ramadan* (Daylight fasting until Eid-ul-Fitr)	Muslim
May 29-30	Friday - Saturday	Shavuot*	Jewish
June 5-7	Friday - Sunday	Eid-ul-Fitr* (Break the fast at the end of Ramadan)	Muslim

\*Holidays begin at sundown the day before the date indicated.

Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur are the Jewish high holidays of the year.