

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	Dates	
SEPTEMBER 2020		
Attendance Matters Month	September	National
Hispanic Heritage Month	September	Hispanic
Suicide Prevention Month	September	National
Labor Day	7-Sep-20	National
Patriot Day	11-Sep-20	National
Grandparents Day	13-Sep-20	National
Constitution Day and Citizenship Day	17-Sep-20	National
Rosh Hashana (New Year)	19-20-Sep-20	Jewish
First Day of Autumn	22-Sep-20	National
Voter Registration Day	22-Sep-20	National
*Yom Kippur (Day of Atonement)	28-Sep-20	Jewish
OCTOBER 2020		
Breast Cancer Awareness Month	October	National
Cyber Security Awareness Month	October	National
Disability History Month	October	National
Bullying Prevention Awareness Month	October	National
Principal Appreciation Month	October	National
Custodial Worker's Day	2-Oct-20	National
*Sukkot (Feast of Tabernacles)	3-9-Oct-20	Jewish
*Shmini Atzeret	10-Oct-20	Jewish
*Simchat Torah	11-Oct-20	Jewish
Indigenous Peoples' Day	12-Oct-20	National
School Lunch Week	12-16-Oct-20	National
Great Washington Shake Out	15-Oct-20	National
Navaratri/Dassehra	17-25-Oct-20	Hindu

Holiday or Observance	Dates	
School Bus Safety Week	19-23-Oct-20	National
NOVEMBER 2020		
Native American Indian and Alaska Native Heritage Month	November	Native Americans
Daylight Saving Time Ends	1-Nov-20	National
Dia De Los Muertos	2-Nov-20	Mexico
Election Day	3-Nov-20	National
Veterans Day	11-Nov-20	National
Diwali/Deepavalli (New Year)	14-Nov-20	Hindu
American Education Week	16-20-Nov-20	National
Substitute Educators Day	26-Nov-20	National
Thanksgiving Day	26-Nov-20	National
Native American Heritage Day	27-Nov-20	Native Americans
Mawlid-al-Nabi (birthday of Mohammad)	29-Nov-20	Islamic
DECEMBER 2020		
Special Education Day	2-Dec-20	National
Bodhi Day	8-Dec-20	Buddhism
Hanukkah (Chanukah)	11-18-Dec-20	Jewish
Story Time with Dr. Saltzman		
Whatever holiday you celebrate, make it joyful!		
First Day of Winter	21-Dec-20	National
Christmas Day	25-Dec-20	Christian
Winter Break		
JANUARY 2021		
School Board Recognition Month	January	National
New Year's Day	Jan. 1, 2021	National
Orthodox Christmas	Jan. 7, 2021	Christian Orthodox
Good Citizenship Day	Jan. 15, 2021	National
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day	Jan. 18, 2021	National

Holiday or Observance	Dates	
FEBRUARY 2021		
Black History Month	February	National
Career and Technical Education Month	February	National
School Counseling Week	1-5-Feb-21	National
World Read Aloud Day	3-Feb-21	National
Wear Red Day	5-Feb-21	National
Special Election	9-Feb-21	National
Lunar New Year	12-Feb-21	Chinese
President's Day	15-Feb-21	National
Mid-Winter Break	15-16-Feb-21	
Public Schools Week	21-26-Feb-21	National
Ash Wednesday	17-Feb-21	Christian
Purim	26-Feb-21	Jewish
MARCH 2021		
Music in our Schools Month	March	National
Women's History Month	March	National
Read Across America Month	March	National
19 Day Fast	1-Mar-21	Bahai'
International Women's Day	8-Mar-21	National
Education Support Professionals Week	8-12-Mar-21	National
Maha Shivaratri	11-Mar-21	Hindu
Daylight Saving Time Begins	14-Mar-21	National
Pi Day	14-Mar-21	National
First Day of Spring	20-Mar-21	National
Naw Ruz (New Year)	20-Mar-21	Hindu
Passover (8 days)	27-Mar-21	Jewish
Holi	29-Mar-21	Hindu
APRIL 2021		
Arab American Heritage Month	April	National
Autism Awareness Month	April	National

Holiday or Observance	Dates	
Poetry Month	April	National
School Library Month	April	National
April Fool's Day	1-Apr-21	
Good Friday and Easter	2-Apr-21	Christian
Spring Break	5-9-Apr-21	
Assistant Principals Week	5-9-Apr-21	
Library Workers' Day	6-Apr-21	National
Holocaust Remembrance Day	8-Apr-21	National
Beginning of Ramadan	12-Apr-21	Islamic
Vaisakhi	14-Apr-21	Sikh
Public School Volunteer Week	19-23-Apr-21	National
Festival of Ridván	20-Apr-21	Bahai'
Ram Navami	21-Apr-21	Hindu
Earth Day	22-Apr-21	National
MAY 2021		
Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month	May	National
Mental Health Awareness Month	May	National
Military Appreciation Month	May	National
School Lunch Hero Day	1-May-21	National
Teacher Appreciation Week	3-7-May-21	National
Lailat Ul Qadr	8-May-21	Islamic
Mother's Day	9-May-21	National
School Nurse's Day	12-May-21	National
Eid al-Fitr	12-May-21	Islamic
Peace Officers Memorial Day	15-May-21	National
Shavuot	17-18-May-21	Jewish
Educational Bosses' Week	17-21-May-21	National
Declaration of the Bab	24-May-21	Bahai'
Vesak Day	26-May-21	Buddhist
Memorial Day	31-May-21	National

Holiday or Observance	Dates	
JUNE 2021		
LGBTQ Pride Month	June	National
D-Day	6-Jun-21	National
Flag Day	14-Jun-21	National
Juneteenth	19-Jun-21	National
Father's Day	20-Jun-21	National
First Day of Summer	20-Jun-21	National
JULY 2021		
Independence Day	4-Jul-21	National
Eid al-Adha	20-Jul-21	Islamic
AUGUST 2021		
Back to School Month	August	National
Janmashtami	11-Aug-21	Hindu
Muharram (Al Hijrah New Year)	20-Aug-21	Islamic