| Arlington Public Schools 2019-2020 School Calendar Religious Observances                             |                       |                              |
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| Arlington is enriched by the cultural and religious diversity of its community and teaching staff.   |                       |                              |
| The Arlington School Committee publishes this list to inform our community of days in which          |                       |                              |
| students and staff may be participating in observances with their families. Parents should           |                       |                              |
| inform teachers when observances may conflict with school activities, or if a Holiday is not listed. |                       |                              |
| Eid al-Adha  | Muslim                | Monday, August 12, 2019      |
| Muharram   | Muslim                | Tuesday, September 10, 2019  |
| Labor Day  | National              | Monday, September 2, 2019    |
| Rosh Hashanah  | Jewish                | Monday, September 30, 2019   |
| Yom Kippur   | Jewish                | Wednesday, October 9, 2019   |
| Columbus Day   | National              | Monday, October 14, 2019     |
| First Day of Sukkot  | Jewish                | Monday, October 14, 2019     |
| Shmini Atzeret   | Jewish                | Monday, October 21, 2019     |
| Simchat Torah  | Jewish                | Tuesday, October 22, 2019    |
| Diwali/Deepavali   | Observance            | Sunday, October 27, 2019     |
| Halloween  | Observance            | Thursday, October 31, 2019   |
| All Saints' Day  | Christian             | Friday, November 1, 2019     |
| All Souls' Day   | Christian             | Saturday, November 2, 2019   |
| Veterans Day   | National Holiday      | Monday, November 11, 2019    |
| Thanksgiving Day   | National Holiday      | Thursday, November 28, 2019  |
| Feast of the Immaculate Conception   | Christian             | Sunday, December 8, 2019     |
| Chanukah/Hanukkah (first day)  | Jewish                | Monday, December 23, 2019    |
| Christmas Eve  | Observance, Christian | Tuesday, December 24, 2019   |
| Christmas  | National Holiday      | Wednesday, December 25, 2019 |
| Kwanzaa (until Jan 1)  | Observance            | Thursday, December 26, 2019  |
| New Year's Eve   | Observance            | Tuesday, December 31, 2019   |
| New Year's Day   | National Holiday      | Wednesday, January 1, 2020   |
| Epiphany   | Christian             | Monday, January 6, 2020      |
| Martin Luther King Day   | National Holiday      | Monday, January 20, 2020     |
| Lunar New Year   | Chinese New Year      | Saturday, January 25, 2020   |
| Presidents' Day  | National Holiday      | Monday, February 17, 2020    |
| Ash Wednesday  | Christian             | Wednesday, February 26, 2020 |
| Purim  | Jewish                | Tuesday, March 10, 2020      |
| Palm Sunday  | Christian             | Sunday, April 5, 2020        |
| Holy Thursday  | Christian             | Thursday, April 9, 2020      |
| Good Friday  | Christian             | Friday, April 10, 2020       |
| Easter Sunday  | Observance, Christian | Sunday, April 12, 2020       |
| Palm Sunday  | Orthodox              | Sunday, April 12, 2020       |
| Orthodox Good Friday   | Orthodox              | Friday, April 17, 2020       |
| Easter Sunday  | Orthodox              | Sunday, April 19, 2020       |
| Passover (first day)   | Jewish                | Thursday, April 9, 2020      |
| Patriot's Day  | Observance            | Monday, April 20, 2020       |
| Ramadan  | Muslim                | Friday, April 24, 2020       |
| Eid Al-Fitr  | Muslim                | Sunday, May 24, 2020         |
| Memorial Day   | National Holiday      | Monday, May 25, 2020         |
| Shavuot  | Jewish                | Friday, May 29, 2020         |
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