

MCS

MULTICULTURAL SERVICES

Advancing students' academic journey!

Multicultural Observances Calendar

Academic Year 2022-2023

SEPTEMBER 2022

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3
4	5 Labor Day	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15 National Hispanic Heritage Month Begins	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25 Rosh Hashanah Begins (Jewish)	26 Navaratri Begins (Hindu)	27 Rosh Hashanah Ends (Jewish)	28	29	30	

OCTOBER 2022

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
30	31 Halloween					1
2	3	4 Yom Kippur (Jewish)	5 Yom Kippur (Jewish) Dussehra (Hindu) Navaratri Ends	6 German American Heritage Day	7	8
9 Sukkot Begins (Jewish)	10 World Mental Health Day (Intl) Indigenous Peoples' Day	11	12	13	14	15 National Hispanic Heritage Month Ends
16 Sukkot Ends (Jewish) Shemini Atzeret Begins (Jewish)	17 Simchat Torah (Jewish)	18 Simchat Torah (Jewish) Shemini Atzeret Ends (Jewish)	19	20	21	22
23	24 Diwali (Hindu, Jain, and Sikh)	25	26	27	28	29

All Month Events

Filipino American
History Month

German American
Heritage Month

Italian American
Heritage Month

Polish American
Heritage Month

Global Diversity
Awareness Month

LGBTQ
History Month

National Disability
Awareness Month

NOVEMBER 2022

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 All Saints' Day (Christian) Dia de los Muertos (Mexico)	2 Dia de los Muertos (Mexico)	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11 Veteran's Day	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20 World's Children Day (Intl)	21	22	23	24 Thanksgiving	25 Native American Heritage Day	26
27	28	29	30			

All Month Event

National American
Indian and Alaskan
Native Heritage Month

DECEMBER 2022

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3 International Day of Persons with Disabilities (Intl)
4	5	6 St. Nicholas' Day (Christian)	7	8 Bodhi Day (Buddhist)	9	10 Human Rights Day (Intl)
11	12	13	14	15	16 Las Posadas Begins (Christian- Mexico)	17
18 Hanukkah Begins (Jewish)	19	20	21 Yule (Pagan)	22	23	24 Las Posadas Ends (Christian-Mexico) Christmas Eve (Christian)
25 Christmas (Christian)	26 Hanukkah Ends (Jewish) Kwanzaa Begins	27	28	29	30	31

JANUARY 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 Kwanzaa Ends New Year's Day (Intl)	2	3	4	5	6	7 Mahayana New Year (Buddhist) Orthodox Christmas Day
8 Orthodox Christmas Day	9 Orthodox Christmas Day	10	11	12	13	14 Orthodox New Year
15 World Religion Day (Bahá'í)	16 Martin Luther King Jr. Day	17	18	19	20	21
22 Lunar New Year (China)	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

All Month Event

Poverty in American Awareness Month

FEBRUARY 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2 Groundhog Day	3	4
5 Tu b'shevat (Jewish)	6 Tu b'shevat (Jewish)	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18 Maha Shivratri (Hindu)
19	20 World Day of Social Justice (Intl) Presidents' Day	21 International Mother Language Day (Intl)	22	23	24	25
26	27	28				

All Month Event

Black History
Month

MARCH 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4
5	6 Makha Bucha Day (Buddhist-Thailand) Purim (Jewish)	7 Purim (Jewish)	8 International Women's Day (Intl) Holi (Hindu)	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17 St. Patrick's Day (Intl)	18
19	20	21 Mardi Gras International Day for the Elimination of Racial Discrimination	22 Ramadan Begins (Muslim)	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

All Month Events

Developmental Disabilities Awareness Month

Irish-American Heritage Month

Women's History Month

APRIL 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
30						1
2	3	4	5 Pesach/Passover Begins (Jewish)	6	7 Good Friday (Christian)	8
9 Easter (Christian)	10	11	12	13 Pesach/Passover Ends (Jewish)	14 Vaisakhi (Sikh)	15
16	17 Yom Hashoah/Holocaust Memorial Day (Jewish)	18 Yom Hashoah/Holocaust Memorial Day (Jewish)	19	20	21 Ramadan Ends (Muslim)	22 Earth Day (Intl)
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

All Month Events

Arab American Heritage Month

Autism Acceptance Month

Month of the Military Child

National Volunteer Month

MAY 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 May Day/Labor Day (Intl)	2	3	4	5 Cinco de Mayo (Mexican)	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14 Mother's Day (Intl)	15 International Day of Families (Intl)	16	17	18	19	20
21 World Day for Cultural Diversity (Intl) Eid al Fitr (Muslim)	22 Eid al Fitr (Muslim)	23	24	25 Africa Day (Africa) Shavuot Begins (Jewish)	26	27 Shavuot Ends (Jewish)
28	29 Memorial Day	30	31			

All Month Events

Asian Pacific-American Heritage Month

Haitian Heritage Month

Jewish American Heritage Month

Speech and Hearing Awareness Month

JUNE 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14 Flag Day	15	16	17
18 Father's Day (Intl)	19 Juneteenth	20 World Refugee Day (Intl)	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

All Month Events

Caribbean American
Heritage Month

LGBTQ Pride
Month

JULY 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
30	31					1
2	3	4 Independence Day Filipino-American Friendship Day (Philippines)	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

All Month Events

French American
Heritage Month

AUGUST 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9 International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples (Intl)	10	11 Raksha Bandhan (Hindu)	12
13	14	15	16	17	18 Krishna Janmashtami (Hindu)	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26 Women's Equality Day
27	28	29	30	31		