Religious Holiday Observance 2013-2014

Endicott College is committed to the support of faculty, students and staff in observing religious holidays of significance to them. The college administration and faculty strive to be cooperative and flexible regarding student's religious observances when they receive suitable and early communication. If a student is planning NOT to attend class or take an exam because of a religious holiday, he or she should convey this information to instructors in advance so that the student will not be disadvantaged as a result of religious practice. The Chaplain's office provides a list of significant religious holidays at the beginning of each academic year. For any questions or concerns, please contact Chaplain Reverend Lindsay James at 978-232-2163 or ljames@endicott.edu

September 2013

10 Paryushana *Jain*
4 Erev Rosh Hashanah *Jewish*
5 *Rosh Hashanah *Jewish*
6 Rosh Hashanah *Jewish*
13 Kol Nidre (Eve of Day of Atonement) *Jewish*
14 *Yom Kippur (Day of Atonement) *Jewish*

October 2013

5-13 Navaratri *Hindu*
15-18 *Eid al-Adha *Islam*
18-25 *Sukkot *Jewish*
26 Shemini Atzeret *Jewish*
27 Simchat Torah *Jewish*
20 Birth of Báb *Bahá'í*

November 2013

1 Samhain *Pagan*
1 All Saints Day *Christian*
3 Diwali *Hindu, Jain and Sikh*
12 Birth of Baha'u'llah *Bahá'í*
17 Guru Nanak birthday *Sikh*
27 *Chanukah (begins) *Jewish*

December 2013

1 Advent (begins) *Christian*
5 *Chanukah (ends) *Jewish*
8 Bodhi Day *Buddhist*
12 Our Lady of Guadalupe (Feast Day) *Christian*
25 Christmas *Christian*
26 Kwanzaa (begins) *Pan-African*

January 2014

1 Kwanzaa (ends) *Pan-African*
1 Gantan-sai *Shinto*
6 Epiphany *Christian*
15 Tu B'Shevat (begins) *Jewish*
16 Tu B'Shevat (ends) *Jewish*
31 Chinese New Year *Buddhist, Confucian, Daoist*

February 2014

March 2014

2 Nineteen Day Fast (begins) *Bahá'í*
5 Ash Wednesday (Lent begins) *Christian*
16 Purim *Jewish*
17 Holi *Hindu*
20 Nineteen Day Fast (ends) *Bahá'í*

April 2014

13 Palm Sunday *Christian*
13 Mahavir Jayanti *Jain*
14 Vaisakhi/Baisakhi *Hindu, Sikh*
14 Erev Pesach *Jewish*
15 *Passover (begins) *Jewish*
17 Maundy Thursday *Christian*
18 Good Friday *Christian*
19 Holy Saturday *Christian*
20 Easter *Christian*
21 *Ridvan (begins) *Bahá'í*
22 Passover (ends) *Jewish*

May 2014

2 Ridvan (ends) *Bahá'í*
5 Buddha Day *Buddhist*
29 Ascension Day *Christian*

June 2014

3 Erev Shavuot *Jewish*
4 Shavuot (begins) *Jewish*
5 Shavuot (ends) *Jewish*
28 *Ramadan (begins) *Islam*

July 2014

27 *Eid ul Fitr (End of Ramadan) *Islam*