

Definition of Events

Back to School Night

Open house time in the evening for all students (K-12) and their parents to attend so that they can meet their teachers. Middle School and Secondary School Students

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First Day of School First full day of school for all students (K-12).

MAP Testing All students (K-12) will take online standardized testing within their grades. The four

subject areas that will be tested are language arts, science, math and reading.

Secondary Fall Fun Team building games and activities for secondary students.

Fall Festival A fun dress-up day for all students (K-12) that includes fall related activities and

games as well as a costume parade.

PT Conferences - Primary/Secondary

Parents come to the school to meet with their child(ren)'s teacher(s). Childcare

must be arranged as these meetings are meant to be just with the parents.

Thanksgiving Feast - 1/2 DayAll students (K-12) and staff will recognize American Thanksgiving and enjoy a potluck of foods representing the cultures that make up the CCA community.

Christmas Parties A day of Christmas related games and activities for all students (K-12).

International Day Students will have time to explore and learn about different countries and cultures

that make up the CCA community. There will also be a flag parade.

Ramadan begins School hours may adjust during Ramadan. Some of our students and staff will be

observing Ramadan and will be fasting during the day.

Easter Party - Primary A celebration for primary students related to Easter.

HS Prom A formal evening event for high school students (grade 9-12).

Tunisia Day A day for all students (K-12) and staff to celebrate Tunisian culture, music, and food.

Accreditation Visit An important visit by a delegation from Middle States to determine if CCA will be

accredited.

Graduation A formal graduation ceremony for CCA graduates that is open for all to attend.

Grade 12 students do not need to attend school after this date.

Last Day of School Final full day of school for all students (K-11).

CCA Holidays (no school)	Explanation	Date
Fête du Mouled	The birthday of the Prophet is honored.	(varies)
Fête d'Evacuation	Commemorating the retreat of last French soldiers from Bizerte on this date in 1963	15 Oct
Thanksgiving (U.S.)	Celebrated on the 4th Thursday in November, American Thanksgiving commemorates a historic harvest feast between early English settlers and Native Americans.	(varies)
Christmas	One of the two most important Christian holidays, Christmas celebrates the birth of Jesus Christ, though his actual birthdate isn't known.	25 Dec
Fête de la Révolution	The anniversary of the 2010-2011 Tunisian Revolution. It began with the self-immolation of Mohamed Bouazizi on December 17, 2010, in Sidi Bouzid. This revolution ushered in a period of democratization in the country, often considered the start of the broader Arab Spring.	17 Dec
Fête de l'Indépendance	Tunisia gained its independence from France on 20 March, 1956.	20 March
Eid Al-Fitr	One of the most important Muslim holidays. It marks the end of the dawn-to-dusk fasting during the month of Ramadan	(varies)
Good Friday	Easter, another of the two most important Christian holidays, is always on a Sunday. Good Friday is two days prior to Easter, and it marks the day Christian's remember the death of Jesus.	(varies)
Fête des Martyrs	Martyrs' Day, is observed annually on April 9th to commemorate the Tunisians killed during nationalist demonstrations in 1938.	9 April
Fête du Travail	Labor day is celebrated in Tunisia to honor workers' contributions to the country's economic and social development.	1 May
Eid Al-Adha	Another of Isalms two most important holidays, eid al-adha ommemorates the willingness of Abraham to sacrifice his son Ishmael, and God's provision of a substitute.	(varies)
Islamic New Year	The start of the Islamic lunar calendar (will be mid June in 2026)	(varies)