



VICTOR VALLEY COMMUNITY  
COLLEGE DISTRICT

**ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE**  
Chapter 4, Instruction

**AP 4010 Academic Calendar**

The academic year consists of 175 days of instruction. Flexible days are considered part of the 175 days of instruction. The following are legally mandated academic holidays:

- New Year's Day (January 1)
- Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (Third Monday in January)
- Lincoln Day (February 12 *or* \*)
- Washington Day (Third Monday in February)
- Memorial Day (Last Monday in May)
- Juneteenth (June 19)
- Independence Day (July 4)
- Labor Day (First Monday in September)
- Veterans Day (November 11 *or* \*)
- Thanksgiving Day (Fourth Thursday in November)
- Christmas Day (December 25)

Cesar Chavez Day and Native American Day are local options if collectively bargained (Education Code Sections 79020(k) and 79020(l))

Other Holidays – The Board of Trustees may declare other days to be holidays and close the colleges and offices when good reason exists. The Board of Trustees must approve the academic calendar annually.

\*See Education Code Section 79020 for alternative dates when these holidays fall on a Saturday or Sunday.

**References:**

Education Code Section 79020;  
Title 5 Sections 55700 et seq. and 58142

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