

## **Wednesday, January 1, 2025**

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### **Tamil Heritage Month**

Date and Time: Wednesday, January 1 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

### **New Year's Day**

Date and Time: Wednesday, January 1 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

### **Solar New Year (Buddhism)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, January 1 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

### **Gantan-sai (New Year's - Shinto)**

Date and Time: Wednesday, January 1 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

## **Friday, January 3, 2025**

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### **Holiday Break Ends**

Date and Time: Friday, January 3 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

## **Saturday, January 4, 2025**

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### **World Braille Day**

Date and Time: Saturday, January 4 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

### **National Ribbon Skirt Day**

Date and Time: Saturday, January 4 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

## **Sunday, January 5, 2025**

## **Birthdate of Guru Gobind Singh Ji (Sikhism)**

Date and Time: Sunday, January 5 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

## **Monday, January 6, 2025**

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### **Armenian Christmas (Christianity)**

Date and Time: Monday, January 6 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

### **Epiphany (Christianity)**

Date and Time: Monday, January 6 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

### **Theophany (Christianity)**

Date and Time: Monday, January 6 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

## **Tuesday, January 7, 2025**

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### **Christmas/Feast of the Nativity (Orthodox Christianity)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, January 7 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

## **Wednesday, January 8, 2025**

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### **Special Education Advisory Committee (SEAC) - CANCELLED**

Date and Time: Wednesday, January 8 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

## **Friday, January 10, 2025**

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### **Linji Memorial (Buddhism)**

Date and Time: Friday, January 10 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

## **Fast of Tevet 10 (Judaism)**

Date and Time: Friday, January 10 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

## **Tuesday, January 14, 2025**

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### **Makar Sankranti (Hinduism)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, January 14 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

### **New Year's Day (Orthodox Christianity/Julian Calendar)**

Date and Time: Tuesday, January 14 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

## **Thursday, January 16, 2025**

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### **Essex District High School - Grade 8 Information Night**

Date and Time: Thursday, January 16 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Address: 244 Talbot Street North, Essex ON

## **Friday, January 17, 2025**

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### **Baizhang Memorial (Buddhism)**

Date and Time: Friday, January 17 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

### **Raoul Wallenberg Day**

Date and Time: Friday, January 17 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

### **Elementary PA Day**

Date and Time: Friday, January 17 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

## **Monday, January 20, 2025**

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## **Martin Luther King Day (USA)**

Date and Time: Monday, January 20 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

## **Special Meeting of the Board to Fill Trustee Vacancy**

Date and Time: Monday, January 20 4:00 pm - 8:00 pm

## **Tuesday, January 21, 2025**

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### **Lincoln Alexander Day**

Date and Time: Tuesday, January 21 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

### **Board Meeting**

Date and Time: Tuesday, January 21 6:00 pm

## **Friday, January 24, 2025**

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### **World Day for African and Afrodescendant Culture**

Date and Time: Friday, January 24 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

### **International Day of Education**

Date and Time: Friday, January 24 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

## **Monday, January 27, 2025**

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### **Family Literacy Day**

Date and Time: Monday, January 27 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

### **International Day of Commemoration in Memory of the Victims of the Holocaust**

Date and Time: Monday, January 27 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

## **Tuesday, January 28, 2025**

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### **Special Learning, Equity and Well-Being Committee Meeting**

Date and Time: Tuesday, January 28 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm

### **Special Finance and Facility Services Committee Meeting**

Date and Time: Tuesday, January 28 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm

### **Special Policy and Bylaw Committee Meeting**

Date and Time: Tuesday, January 28 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm

## **Wednesday, January 29, 2025**

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### **Lunar New Year - Year of the Snake**

Date and Time: Wednesday, January 29 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

### **National Day of Remembrance of the Quebec City Mosque Attack and Action Against Islamophobia**

Date and Time: Wednesday, January 29 9:00 am - 11:59 pm

## **Friday, January 31, 2025**

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### **Secondary PA Day**

Date and Time: Friday, January 31 9:00 am - 11:59 pm