

Dear School Administration,

On Thursday May 13, 2021 the American Muslim Community and Muslims all over the world will celebrate Eid Al-Fitr (the Festivals of Breaking Fast), a religious holiday at the end of the sacred month of Ramadan.

Eid Al-Fitr is one of our two major holidays and is one of the most holy days of the year for Muslims worldwide. It's a day of prayers, reflection, gratefulness, unity and joy.

Members of the New Haven Islamic Center, and all other Mosques in the surrounding areas will be congregating with their families at various locations to take part in prayers and Eid Al-Fitr festive. We are requesting that you excuse the following student who is enrolled at you institution, and not mark the day as unexcused absence. We would also be grateful if they would be able to make up for any missed class work at a later time.

Student Name: _____

Grade/Class: _____

School/Institution: _____

We greatly Appreciate your consideration and understanding. If you have any questions or would like additional information please don't hesitate to contact us.

Very respectfully,

Ahmad Shatara
President, Board of Trustees
New Haven Islamic Center