**ISLAMIC CENTER OF FRISCO** 

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Dear School Administration,

The Muslim community of the City of Frisco and adjoining areas (including but not limited to school

districts) will be celebrating an Islamic holiday of Eid al-Adha (Feast of the Sacrifice) on August 21, 2018.

Eid al-Adha (Feast of the Sacrifice) is celebrated annually on the tenth day of Dhu'l Hajj (the twelfth month

in the Islamic lunar calendar). Eid al-Adha (Feast of the Sacrifice) is one of the two important religious

holidays celebrated by Muslims worldwide. It commemorates Prophet Ibrahim's (Abraham) total

submission to the command of The Almighty God. This day is observed in conjunction with the Muslims'

annual Hajj (pilgrimage) to Makkah, Saudi Arabia. Millions of Muslims from all over the world gather at

the first house built for the worship of Almighty God by Prophet Ibrahim and his son Ismail.

As Eid-al-Adha is a very important religious holiday for Muslims, we request you to excuse the

respective Muslim student(s) from attending school on that day and not count the absence as an

unexcused absence. It would certainly be appreciated if the student could make up any missed class work

at a later time.

We thank you for your consideration and understanding in this matter. If you have any questions or need

additional information, please contact the parents or the Islamic Center of Frisco directly at

shura@friscomasjid.org.

Kind Regards,

Imam Shakil Vawda

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