

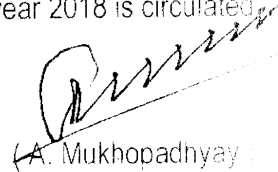
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**Subject : List of Compulsory Holidays & Restricted Holidays to be
observed for the year 2018**

The list of Compulsory Holidays and Restricted Holidays to be observed during the year 2018 is circulated for information and guidance of all concerned.


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LIST OF COMPULSORY HOLIDAYS FOR THE YEAR 2018

Sl. No.	Holidays & Connected Festivals	Month & Date	Saka	Days of Week
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
		<u>2018 AD</u>	<u>1937 Saka Era</u>	
1.	Basant Panchami/Sri Panchami	January, 22	Magha 02	Monday
2.	Republic Day	January, 26	Magha, 06	Friday
			<u>1938 Saka Era</u>	
3.	Holi	March, 02	Phalguna, 11	Friday
4.	Mahavir Jayanti	March, 29	Chitra, 08	Thursday
5.	Good Friday	March, 30	Chaitra, 09	Friday
6.	Buddha Purnima	April, 30	Vaishaka, 10	Monday
7.	Id-ul-Fitr **	June, 16	Jyaishta, 26	Saturday
8.	Independence Day	August, 15	Sravana, 24	Wednesday
9.	Id-Uz-Zuha (Bakrid)**	August, 22	Sravana, 31	Wednesday
10.	Muharram	September, 21	Bhadra, 30	Friday
11.	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	October, 02	Asvina, 10	Tuesday
12.	Dussehra (Maha Navami)	October, 18	Asvina, 26	Thursday
13.	Dussehra	October, 19	Asvina, 27	Friday
14.	Diwali(Deepavali)	November, 07	Kartika, 16	Wednesday
15.	Id E Milad/ Birth Day of Prophet Mahammad**	November, 21	Kartika, 30	Wednesday
16.	Guru Nanak's Birthday	November, 23	Agrahayana, 02	Friday
17.	Christmas Day	December, 25	Pausa, 04	Tuesday

**The date of Holidays for the Muslim Festivals may be changed on sighting of the Moon and decision to be taken by the State Government.

LIST OF RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS FOR THE YEAR 2018

Sl. No.	Restricted Holidays & Connected Festivals	Month & Date	Saka	Days of Week
		<u>2018 AD</u>	<u>1937 Saka Era</u>	
1.	New Years Day	January,01	Pausha 11	Monday
2.	Makara Sankranti, Magha Bihu	January,14	Pausha, 24	Sunday
3.	Pongal,	January, 14	Pausha 24	Sunday
4.	Netaji's Birthday	January, 23	Magha,03	Tuesday
5.	Guru Ravidas's Birthday	January, 31	Magha,11	Wednesday
6.	Swami Dayanand Saraswati's Birthday	February, 10	Magha, 21	Saturday
7.	Maha Shivaratri	February, 14	Magha, 25	Wednesday
8.	Birthday of Sri Ramkrishna	February, 17	Magha, 28	Saturday
			<u>1938-Saka Era</u>	
9.	Halika Dahana/Dolyatra	March, 01	Phalguna, 10	Thursday
10.	Indian New Year's Day	March, 22	Chaitra, 01	Thursday
11.	Rama Navami	March, 25	Chaitra, 04	Sunday
12.	Hazarat Ali's Birthday	April, 01	Chaitra, 11	Sunday
13.	Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's Birthday/Mesadi/Visu/Vaisakhi	April,14	Chaitra, 24	Saturday
14.	Vaisakhadi (Bengali) Bahag Bihu	April, 15	Chaitra, 25	Sunday
15.	Sab-e Barat	May, 02	Vaisakha, 12	Wednesday
16.	Birthday of Rabindranath Tagore	May,09	Vaisakha, 19	Wednesday
17.	Sub-E-Qdar	June, 12	Jyaistha, 22	Tuesday
18.	Jamat –ul-Vida	June, 15	Jyaistha,25	Friday
19.	Jamatri Sasthi (Bengal)	June, 19	Jyaistha,29	Tuesday
20.	Rathayatra	July, 14	Ashadha, 23	Saturday
21.	Naga Panchami	August, 15	Sravana, 24	Wednesday
22.	Parsi New Year	August,17	Sravana, 26	Friday
23.	Onam or Thiru Onam	August, 25	Bhadra, 03	Saturday
24.	Raksha Bandhan/Amar Nathi Yatra	August,26	Bhadra, 04	Sunday
25.	Janmashtami	September, 03	Bhadra, 12	Monday
26.	Vinayaka Chaturthi /Ganesh Chaturthi	September, 13	Bhadra, 22	Thursday
27.	Viswakarma Puja	September, 17	Bhadra, 26	Monday
28.	Mahalaya Amavasya	October, 08	Asvina, 16	Monday
29.	Durga Puja (Mahasaptami Bengal)	October, 16	Asvina, 24	Tuesday
30.	Durga Puja (Maha Ashtami Bengal)	October, 17	Asvina, 25	Wednesday
31.	Kojagari Lakshmi Puja	October, 24	Kartika, 02	Wednesday
32.	Maharshi Vaimikis Birthday	October, 24	Kartika, 02	Wednesday
33.	Dipavali	November, 06	Kartika, 15	Tuesday
34.	Goverdhan Puja	November, 08	Kartika, 17	Thursday
35.	Bhai-Duj/Bhartri Dwitya (Bengal)	November, 09	Kartika,18	Friday
36.	Chhat	November, 13	Kartika, 22	Tuesday
37.	Jagadhatri Puja	November, 17	Karika, 26	Saturday
38.	Pushkar Fair	November, 23	Agrahayana, 02	Friday
39.	Guru Teg Bahadur's Martyrdom Day	November, 24	Agrahayana, 03	Saturday
40.	Christmas Eve	December, 24	Pausha, 03	Monday