

Japan 2026

Public holiday calendar

Date	Day	Holiday	Type
Jan 1	Thursday	New Year's Day	Public holiday
Jan 12	Monday	Coming of Age Day Second Monday of January.	Public holiday
Feb 11	Wednesday	National Foundation Day	Public holiday
Feb 23	Monday	The Emperor's Birthday	Public holiday
Mar 20	Friday	Vernal Equinox Day	Public holiday
Apr 29	Wednesday	Shōwa Day Start of the Golden Week period.	Public holiday
May 3	Sunday	Constitution Memorial Day	Public holiday
May 4	Monday	Greenery Day	Public holiday
May 5	Tuesday	Children's Day	Public holiday
May 6	Wednesday	Substitute Holiday For Constitution Memorial Day, which falls on Sunday May 3.	Substitute holiday
Jul 20	Monday	Marine Day Third Monday of July.	Public holiday
Aug 11	Tuesday	Mountain Day	Public holiday
Sep 21	Monday	Respect for the Aged Day Third Monday of September.	Public holiday
Sep 22	Tuesday	Citizens' Holiday (Silver Week bridge) A working day sandwiched between two holidays becomes a holiday - this creates Silver Week.	Bridge holiday
Sep 23	Wednesday	Autumnal Equinox Day	Public holiday
Oct 12	Monday	Sports Day Second Monday of October.	Public holiday
Nov 3	Tuesday	Culture Day	Public holiday
Nov 23	Monday	Labor Thanksgiving Day	Public holiday