

South Korea 2027

Public holiday calendar

Date	Day	Holiday	Type
Jan 1	Friday	New Year's Day	Public holiday
Feb 6 - 8		Seollal (Lunar New Year) New Year's Eve, the day itself (Feb 7) and the day after.	Public holiday
Feb 9	Tuesday	Substitute Holiday (Seollal) Seollal overlaps a Sunday (Feb 7), so a substitute holiday is added on Feb 9.	Substitute holiday
Mar 1	Monday	Independence Movement Day Falls on a Monday in 2027 - a natural three-day weekend.	Public holiday
May 1	Saturday	Labour Day Falls on a Saturday in 2027.	Public holiday
May 3	Monday	Substitute Holiday (Labour Day) Labour Day falls on a Saturday, so Monday is a substitute holiday - substitutes apply to Labour Day from 2026.	Substitute holiday
May 5	Wednesday	Children's Day	Public holiday
May 13	Thursday	Buddha's Birthday Eighth day of the fourth lunar month.	Public holiday
Jun 6	Sunday	Memorial Day Falls on a Sunday in 2027; Memorial Day has no substitute holiday.	Public holiday
Jul 17	Saturday	Constitution Day Falls on a Saturday in 2027.	Public holiday
Jul 19	Monday	Substitute Holiday (Constitution Day) Constitution Day falls on a Saturday, so Monday is a substitute holiday - substitutes apply to Constitution Day from 2026.	Substitute holiday
Aug 15	Sunday	Liberation Day Falls on a Sunday in 2027.	Public holiday
Aug 16	Monday	Substitute Holiday (Liberation Day) Liberation Day falls on a Sunday, so Monday is a substitute holiday.	Substitute holiday
Sep 14 - 16		Chuseok (Korean Thanksgiving) The eve, Chuseok itself (Sep 15) and the day after. No substitute, as none falls on a Sunday.	Public holiday
Oct 3	Sunday	National Foundation Day Falls on a Sunday in 2027.	Public holiday

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Oct 4	Monday	Substitute Holiday (National Foundation Day) National Foundation Day falls on a Sunday, so Monday is a substitute holiday.	Substitute holiday
Oct 9	Saturday	Hangeul Day Falls on a Saturday in 2027.	Public holiday
Oct 11	Monday	Substitute Holiday (Hangeul Day) Hangeul Day falls on a Saturday, so the next working day (Monday) is a substitute holiday.	Substitute holiday
Dec 25	Saturday	Christmas Day Falls on a Saturday in 2027.	Public holiday
Dec 27	Monday	Substitute Holiday (Christmas) Christmas falls on a Saturday, so the next working day (Monday) is a substitute holiday - substitutes apply to Christmas from 2023.	Substitute holiday