

United States 2026

Public holiday calendar

Date	Day	Holiday	Type
Jan 1	Thursday	New Year's Day	Federal holiday
Jan 19	Monday	Birthday of Martin Luther King, Jr. Third Monday of January.	Federal holiday
Feb 16	Monday	Washington's Birthday (Presidents' Day) Third Monday of February; widely known as Presidents' Day.	Federal holiday
May 25	Monday	Memorial Day Last Monday of May.	Federal holiday
Jun 19	Friday	Juneteenth National Independence Day Falls on a Friday in 2026, making a three-day weekend.	Federal holiday
Jul 3	Friday	Independence Day (observed) Independence Day (Jul 4) falls on a Saturday, so most federal employees observe the holiday on Friday, Jul 3.	Substitute holiday
Jul 4	Saturday	Independence Day The statutory date is July 4 (a Saturday in 2026); it is observed on Friday, July 3.	Federal holiday
Sep 7	Monday	Labor Day First Monday of September.	Federal holiday
Oct 12	Monday	Columbus Day Second Monday of October; observed as Indigenous Peoples' Day in many states.	Federal holiday
Nov 11	Wednesday	Veterans Day Fixed on November 11; falls on a Wednesday in 2026.	Federal holiday
Nov 26	Thursday	Thanksgiving Day Fourth Thursday of November; the following Friday is widely taken off too.	Federal holiday
Dec 25	Friday	Christmas Day	Federal holiday