

List of Public Holidays, 2083 (2026/27)

On 2082/11/18 (March 02, 2026 A.D.), Ministry of Home Affairs (“MOHA”) published the List of Public Holidays (“Notice”) applicable from 2083/01/01 (April 14, 2026 A.D.) to 2083/12/31 (April 13, 2027 A.D.). The Notice is applicable to government offices and public entities. The Nepali version of the Notice can be accessed [here](#).

Excluding Saturdays, the following public holidays will be observed:

#	Name of Holiday	Date	Remark
1	New Year	2083/01/01 (April 14, 2026 A.D.)	National Public Holiday (“NPH”)
2	International Labor Day /Chandi Purnima/ Buddha Jayanti/ Ubhauri Parwa	2083/01/18 (May 1, 2026 A.D.)	NPH
3	Republic Day	2083/02/15 (May 29, 2026 A.D.)	NPH
4	Rakshya Bandhan	2083/05/12 (August 28, 2026 A.D.)	NPH
5	Gai Jatra	2083/05/13 (August 29, 2026 A.D.)	For all people in the Kathmandu Valley and Newar community.
6	Shree Krishna Janmastami/Gaura Parwa	2083/05/19 (September 4, 2026 A.D.)	NPH
7	Haritalika (Teej) Barta	2083/05/29 (September 14, 2026 A.D.)	For women only
8	Constitution Day	2083/06/03 (September 19, 2026 A.D.)	NPH
9	Indra Jatra	2083/06/09 (September 25, 2026 A.D.)	In Kathmandu Valley only
10	Jitiya Parwa	2083/06/18 (October 4, 2026 A.D.)	For women celebrating Jitiya Parwa only
11	Gatsthapana	2083/06/25 (October 11, 2026 A.D.)	NPH
12	Dashain Holiday (7 days)	2083/06/31 – 2083/07/06 (October 17, 2026 A.D. – October 23, 2026 A.D.)	NPH
13	Tihar Holiday (5 days)	2083/07/22 – 2083/07/26 (November 8, 2026 A.D. – November 12, 2026 A.D.)	NPH
	Falgunand Jayanti	2083/07/25 (November 11, 2026 A.D.)	For Kirats only

14	Chhat Parwa	2083/07/29 (November 15, 2026 A.D.)	NPH
15	International Day of People with Disabilities	2083/08/17 (December 3, 2026 A.D.)	For people with disabilities only
16	Dhanya Purnima/ Udhhauli Parwa/ Yomari Punhi	2083/09/09 (December 24, 2026 A.D.)	NPH
17	Christmas Day	2083/09/10 (December 25, 2026 A.D.)	NPH
18	Tamu Lhosar/ Dura Mhaipru Nakuma	2083/09/15 (December 30, 2026 A.D.)	NPH
19	Prithivi Jayanti / National Unity Day	2083/09/27 (January 11, 2027 A.D.)	NPH
20	Maghi Parwa /Maghe Sankranti	2083/10/01 (January 15, 2027 A.D.)	NPH
21	Martyrs' Day	2083/10/16 (January 30, 2027 A.D.)	NPH
22	Sonam Lhosar	2083/10/24 (February 7, 2027 A.D.)	NPH
23	Basanta Panchami	2083/10/28 (February 11, 2027 A.D.)	For educational institutions only
24	National Democracy Day	2083/11/07 (February 19, 2027 A.D.)	NPH
25	Maha Shivaratri	2083/11/22 (March 6, 2027 A.D.)	NPH
26	International Women's Day	2083/11/24 (March 8, 2027 A.D.)	For women employees only
27	Gyalpo Loshar	2083/11/25 (March 9, 2027 A.D.)	NPH
28	Fagu Purnima	2083/12/07 (March 21, 2027 A.D.)	For 56 Districts of Himalayan and Hilly region
29	Terai Holi	2083/12/08 (March 22, 2027 A.D.)	For 21 Districts of Terai Region
30	Ghode Jatra	2083/12/23 (April 6, 2027 A.D.)	In Kathmandu Valley only
31	Eid al-Fitr	To be determined. Usually falls in March/April/May	NPH
32	Eid al-Adha	To be determined. Usually falls in June/July	NPH
33	Saruwa Pawani	To be determined. Usually falls in April	For Jhapa, Morang, Sunsari, Siraha and Saptari Districts only
34	Bhoto Jatra	To be determined.	In Kathmandu Valley only
35	Muhammad Jayanti	To be determined. Usually falls in September or October	For Muslims only
36	Guru Nanak Jayanti	To be determined. Usually falls in October or November.	For Sikhs only

Government Office Hours and Break

- Sunday to Thursday: 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM
- Fridays: 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM
- Winter Hours: 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM (November 2 to January 29)
- Lunch Break: 1:30 PM to 2:00 PM

Provincial Government

Provincial governments can declare up to 6 public holidays based on regional customs, applicable to federal offices in the province. However, the MOHA will determine holidays for the three districts of the Kathmandu Valley.

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