

LIST OF GAZETTED HOLIDAYS DURING THE YEAR 2020 FOR OFFICES OF CENTRAL GOVERNMENT LOCATED AT GANGTOK (SIKKIM)

Sl. No.	Holiday	Date	Day	Saka Date
1	Republic Day	January, 26	Sunday	Magha 06
2*	Holi	March, 10	Tuesday	Phalguna 20
1942 Saka Era				
3	Mahavir Jayanti	April, 06	Monday	Chaitra 17
4	Good Friday	April, 10	Friday	Chaitra 21
5*	Vaisakhi/ Vishu	April, 13	Monday	Chaitra 24
6	Buddha Purnima	May, 07	Thursday	Vaisakha 17
7	Idu'l Fitr	May, 25	Monday	Jyaishtha 04
8	Id-ul-Zuha (Bakrid)	August 01	Saturday	Sarvana 10
9	Independence Day	August 15	Saturday	Sarvana 24
10	Muharram	August 30	Sunday	Bhadra 08
11	Mahatma Gandhi's Birth Day	October 02	Friday	Asvina 10
12*	Dussehra (Maha Saptami) (An Additional Day)	October 23	Friday	Kartika 01
13	Dussehra (Vijay Dashmi)	October 25	Sunday	Kartika 03
14	Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammad)	October 30	Friday	Kartika 08
15	Diwali (Deepavali)	November 14	Saturday	Kartika 23
16	Guru Nanak's Birthday	November 30	Monday	Agrahayana 09
17	Christmas day	December 25	Friday	Pausha 04

* **3 Holidays at Sl. No.- 2, 5& 12** have been decided by the CGEWCC, Sikkim from the list of 12 holidays given at para 3.1 in compliance to GoI. Dept. of Per. & Trg., New Delhi's F.No.12/1/2019-JCA-2 dated the 26th June, 2019.

Note:

Any change in the date of holidays in respect of Idu'lFitr, Idu'lZuha, Muhurram and Id-e-Milad, if necessary, depending upon sighting of the Moon, would be declared by the CGEWCC, Gangtok (Sikkim).

It may happen that the change of date of the above occasions has to be notified at a very short notice. In such a situation, announcement could be made through T.V. / A.I.R. / Newspaper and the heads of Department / Offices of the Central Govt. may take action according to such an announcement without waiting for a formal order, about the change of date.

No substitute holiday should be allowed if any of the festival holidays initially declared subsequently happens to fall on a weekly off or any other non-working day or in the event of more than one festivals falling on the same day as per para 3.2 of GoI. Dept. of Per. & Trg., New Delhi's F.No.12/1/2019-JCA-2 dated the 26th June, 2019.

LIST OF RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS DURING THE YEAR 2020 FOR ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES OF CENTRAL GOVERNMENT LOCATED AT DELHI/NEW DELHI

Sl. No.	Restricted Holidays	Date	Saka Date	Day
SAKA ERA, 1941				
1.	New Year's Day	January, 01	Pausha 11	Wednesday
2.	Guru Gobind Singh's Birthday	January, 02	Pausha 12	Thursday
3.	Lohri	January, 13	Pausha 23	Monday
4.	Makar Sankranti / Pongal	January, 15	Pausha 25	Wednesday
5.	Basanta Panchami / Sri Panchami	January, 30	Magha 10	Thursday
6.	Guru Ravidas's Birthday	February, 09	Magha 20	Sunday
7.	Swami Dayanand Saraswati Jayanti	February, 18	Magha 29	Tuesday
8.	Sivaji Jayanti	February, 19	Magha 30	Wednesday
9.	Maha Shivratri	February, 21	Phalguna 02	Friday
10.	Holika Dahan/ Dolyatra	March, 09	Phalguna 19	Monday
11.	Hazarat Ali's Birthday	March, 09	Phalguna 19	Monday
SAKA ERA, 1942				
12.	Chaitra Sukladi/ Gaudi Padva/ Ugadi/ Cheti Chand	March, 25	Chaitra 05	Wednesday
13.	Easter Sunday	April, 12	Chaitra 23	Sunday
14.	Vaisakhi/Vishu	April, 13	Chaitra 24	Monday
15.	Mesadi/ Vaisakhadi (Bengal) / Bahag Bihu (Assam)	April, 14	Chaitra 25	Tuesday
16.	Guru Rabindranath's Tagore Birthday	May, 08	Vaisakha 18	Friday
17.	Jamat-UI-Vida	May, 22	Jyaishtha 01	Friday
18.	Rath Yatra	June, 23	Ashadha 02	Tuesday
19.	Raksha Bandhan	August, 03	Sarvana 12	Monday
20.	Janmasthan (Smarta)	August, 11	Sarvana 20	Tuesday
21.	Parsi New Year's day /Nauraj	August, 16	Sarvana 25	Sunday
22.	Vinayaka Chaturthi/Ganesh Chaturthi	August, 22	Sarvana 31	Saturday
23.	Onam or Thiru Onam Day	August, 31	Bhadra, 09	Monday
24.	Dussehra (Maha Saptami) (Additional)	October, 23	Kartika, 01	Friday
25.	Dussehra (Maha Ashtami) (Additional)	October, 24	Kartika, 02	Saturday
26.	Vijay Dashmi (Bengal, Kerala)	October, 26	Kartika, 04	Monday
27.	Maharishi Valmiki's Birthday	October, 31	Kartika, 09	Saturday
28.	Karaka Chaturthi (Karwa Chouth)	November, 04	Kartika, 13	Wednesday
29.	Narka Chaturdasi	November, 14	Kartika, 23	Saturday
30.	Govardhan Puja	November, 15	Kartika, 24	Sunday
31.	Bhai Duj	November, 16	Kartika, 25	Monday
32.	Pratihari Sashti or Surya Sashti (Chhat Puja)	November, 20	Kartika, 29	Friday
33.	Guru Teg Bahadur's Martyrdom Day	November, 24	Agrahayana 03	Tuesday
34.	Christmas Eve	December, 24	Pausha, 03	Thursday

The Public Holidays and Restricted Holidays of the Government of Sikkim for the year 2020

Public Holidays			
Sl. No.	Holidays	Date	Day
1.	New Year's Day	January, 01	Wednesday
2.	Nyempha Guzom	January, 01 & 02	Wednesday & Thursday
3.	Maghe Sankranti	January, 15	Wednesday
4.	Sonam Lochhar	January, 25	Saturday
5.	Republic Day	January, 26	Sunday
6.	Losar	February, 24	Monday
7.	Bhumchu	March, 09	Monday
8.	Holi	March, 10	Tuesday
9.	Ramnawami (Chaite Dasain)	April, 02	Thursday
10.	Good Friday	April, 10	Friday
11.	Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Jayanti	April, 14	Tuesday
12.	Shyadar Pidar	May, 07	Thursday
13.	State Day	May, 16	Saturday
14.	Id Ul Fitr	May, 25	Monday
15.	Saga Dawa	June, 05	Friday
16.	Bhanu Jayanti	July, 13	Monday
17.	Drukpa Tshechi	July, 24	Friday
18.	Guru Rimpoche's Thungkar Tshechu	July, 29	Wednesday
19.	Tendong Lho Rum Faat	August, 08	Saturday
20.	Janmasthan	August, 12	Wednesday
21.	Independence Day	August, 15	Saturday
22.	Teej (Haritalika)	August, 21	Friday
23.	Indrajatra	August, 31	Monday
24.	Pang-Lhabsol	September, 02	Wednesday
25.	Gandhi Jayanti	October, 02	Friday
26.	Birthday of Late Nar Bahadur Bhandari, Former Chief Minister of Sikkim	October, 05	Monday
27.	Durga Puja (Dasain)	October 26 to October 30	Monday to Friday
28.	Lhabab Duechen	November, 07	Saturday
29.	Laxmi Puja (Deepawali)	November, 16 to November, 18	Monday to Wednesday
30.	Kagyed Dance	December, 13	Sunday
31.	Losoong/ Namssong	December, 15 to December, 19	Tuesday to Saturday
32.	Nyempha Guzom	December, 20 to December, 21	Sunday to Monday
33.	Christmas	December, 25	Friday
34.	Puhgal Parim	December, 29	Tuesday
35.	Teyongsi Sirijunga Sawan Tongnam	December, 30	Wednesday
36.	Tamu Lochar	December, 30	Wednesday
37.	Sakewa	December, 31	Thursday
38.	Barahimizong	January, 4, 2021	Monday
Restricted Holidays			
1.	Labour Day	May, 01	Friday
2.	Birthday of Late Tenzing Norgay Sherpa	May, 29	Friday
3.	Birthday of H. H. The Dalai Lama	July, 06	Monday
4.	Chhat Puja	November, 20	Friday