

**NOTE IMMEDIATE**

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Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions  
(Department of Personnel and Training)

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**Office Memorandum**

**Subject: Holidays to be observed in Central Government Offices during the year 2024.**

It has been decided that the holidays as specified in the Annexure -I to this O.M. will be observed in all the Administrative Offices of the Central Government located at Delhi/New Delhi during the year 2024. In addition, each employee will also be allowed to avail himself/herself of any two holidays to be chosen by him/her out of the list of Restricted Holidays in Annexure -II.

4. Central Government Administrative Offices located outside Delhi / New Delhi shall observe the following holidays compulsorily in addition to those holidays as per para 2.1 below:

1. REPUBLIC DAY
2. INDEPENDENCE DAY
3. RAJASTHAN GANDHI'S BIRTHDAY
4. BIHAR PUSKAR
5. CHRISTMAS DAY
6. DRONKOLA PULKE (KARAME)
7. DUSSEH (DUSSEHVALE)
8. EKAD-POURNI
9. GURU NANAK'S BIRTHDAY
10. EID-UL-FITR
11. EID-UL-AZHA
12. MAHAYUGI JAYANTI
13. MUMBAI
14. FROSTY MOHARRAM'S BIRTHDAY (D-D-MELAD)

2.1. In addition to the above 14 Compulsory holidays mentioned in para 4, three holidays shall be decided from the list indicated below by the Central Government Employees Welfare Coordination Committee in the State Capitals, if necessary, in consultation with Coordination Committees at other places in the State. The final list applicable uniformly to all Central Government offices within the concerned State shall be notified accordingly and no change can be carried out thereafter. It is also clarified that no change is permissible in regard to dates and times as indicated.

15. AN ADDITIONAL DAY FOR DRONKOLA
16. POLE
17. JANABASHTAMI (YAKHMANI)
18. BAHU NAVAMI
19. MUMBAI BHAYKATRI
20. GANESH CHATURTHI / VENKAT CHATURTHI
21. MAHARAJAN KARANTHI
22. BAHU VASTI
23. OLANI
24. PONGAL
25. SRI PANCHAMI / BHASANT PANCHAMI
26. VISHU / KARASAGI / KARAKKALAI / BHASANT PANCH / MAHARAJAN KARANTHI / CHATTARA SIKKALAI / CHETTI CHANDI / CHETTI PANCHAM, or MAHARAJAN / MALAIKOTTA, CHETTI PONGAL, KARAVA CHATTI.