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1. Letter No.C.2103/2026, dated 19/12/2025 of the Hon'ble High Court of Gujarat.
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:: NOTIFICATION ::

No.B / 16 / 95 / 2025

In view of the above read instructions, the undersigned is pleased to circulate the list of Holidays, Vacations as well as Optional Holidays that shall be observed by the District and Subordinate Courts of Gir Somnath during the **Year – 2026**, as fixed vide Notification No.C.2103/2026, dated 19/12/2025 of the Hon'ble High Court of Gujarat, and that is annexed herewith.

District Court,
Gir Somnath at Veraval.
Dated, 20 / 12 / 2025

Sd/-
[V. B. GOHIL]
Principal District Judge
Gir Somnath at Veraval

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By Order,



**I/c. Registrar,
District Court,
Gir Somnath at Veraval.**

NOTIFICATION BY THE HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT AT AHMEDABAD
(For insertion in the Gujarat Government Gazette, Part-I, Central Section)

No. C. 2103/2026

The following is the **list of holidays fixed for the Courts of District Judiciary in the State**, for the **year 2026**:

Sr. No.	Name of Holidays	Date Saka Era	Days of Week
1.	Makar Sankranti	<u>14th January, 2026</u> 24, Paush, 1947	Wednesday
2.	Republic Day	<u>26th January, 2026</u> 06, Magh, 1947	Monday
3.	Holi 2 nd Day – Dhuleti	<u>04th March, 2026</u> 13, Phalgun, 1947	Wednesday
4.	Chetichand	<u>19th March, 2026</u> 28, Phalgun, 1947	Thursday
5.	Ramjan-Eid (Eid-Ul-Fitra) (1 st Shawaal)	<u>21st March, 2026</u> 30, Phalgun, 1947	Saturday
6.	Shree Ram Navmi	<u>26th March, 2026</u> 05, Chaitra, 1948	Thursday
7.	Mahavir Janma Kalyanak	<u>31th March, 2026</u> 10, Chaitra, 1948	Tuesday
8.	Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar's Birthday	<u>14th April, 2026</u> 24, Chaitra, 1948	Tuesday
9.	Eid-Ul-Adha (Bakri-Eid)	<u>27th May, 2026</u> 06, Jyestha, 1948	Wednesday
10.	Muharram (Ashoor)	<u>26th June, 2026</u> 05, Ashadh, 1948	Friday
11.	(1) Independence Day (2) Parsi New Year Day- Pateti (Parsi Shahenshahi)	<u>15th August, 2026</u> 24, Shravan, 1948	Saturday
12.	Eid-e-Meeladunnabi (Prophet Mohammad's Birthday) (bara vafat)	<u>26th August, 2026</u> 04, Bhadrapad, 1948	Wednesday
13.	Raksha Bandhan	<u>28th August, 2026</u> 06, Bhadrapad, 1948	Friday
14.	Janmashtami (Shravan Vad-8)	<u>04th September, 2026</u> 13, Bhadrapad, 1948	Friday
15.	Samvatsari (Chaturthi Paksha)	<u>15th September, 2026</u> 24, Bhadrapad, 1948	Tuesday



Sr. No.	Name of Holidays	Date Saka Era	Days of Week
16.	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	<u>02nd October, 2026</u> 10, Ashwin, 1948	Friday
17.	Dussehra (Vijaya Dashmi)	<u>20th October, 2026</u> 28, Ashwin, 1948	Tuesday
18.	Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel's Birthday	<u>31st October, 2026</u> 09, Kartik, 1948	Saturday
19.	Additional Diwali Holiday	<u>09th November, 2026</u> 18, Kartik, 1948	Monday
20.	Vikram Samvat New Year Day	<u>10th November, 2026</u> 19, Kartik, 1948	Tuesday
21.	Bhai Bij	<u>11th November, 2026</u> 20, Kartik, 1948	Wednesday
22.	Additional Diwali Holiday	<u>12th November, 2026</u> 21, Kartik, 1948	Thursday
23.	Additional Diwali Holiday	<u>13th November, 2026</u> 22, Kartik, 1948	Friday
24.	Guru Nanak's Birthday	<u>24th November, 2026</u> 03, Margshirsh, 1948	Tuesday
25.	Christmas	<u>25th December, 2026</u> 04, Paush, 1948	Friday

Note: (1) The following days have not been notified as Holidays, as they fall on **Sunday**.

1.	Maha Shivratri (Maha vad-13)	<u>15th February, 2026</u> 26, Magh, 1947	Sunday
2.	Diwali	<u>08th November, 2026</u> 17, Kartik, 1948	Sunday

Note: (2) If any of the Muslim religion Holidays notified above does not fall on the day notified, the Muslim Employees of the District Judiciary in the State of Gujarat may be granted an Optional Holiday on the day on which the holiday is actually observed.

Note: (3) The District Judiciary in the State will work on the following Saturdays:

- (i) 28.02.2026 (4th Saturday)
- (ii) 08.08.2026 (2nd Saturday)
- (iii) 10.10.2026 (2nd Saturday)

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ANNUAL SUMMER VACATION : **From Monday, May 11, 2026**
to Sunday, June 07, 2026.
(Both Days Inclusive)

The preceding and the succeeding Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays shall form part of vacation.

HIGH COURT OF GUJARAT
SOLA, AHMEDABAD - 380 060.

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The Honourable the Chief Justice and other Honourable Judges of the High Court of Gujarat are pleased to direct that the orders contained in Part-II of Government Notification, General Administration Department, No. GS/22/2025/JSR/2025/509/GH, dated 27.11.2025 regarding **Optional Holidays**, shall apply mutatis-mutandis to the Officers and Staff of District Judiciary in the State.

(Accompaniment to the High Court Notification No.C.2103/2026, dated **19.12.2025** regarding list of holidays fixed for the District Judiciary in the State, for the year 2026.)

**OPTIONAL HOLIDAYS FOR OFFICERS AND STAFF OF
DISTRICT JUDICIARY IN THE STATE**

The following are the **Optional Holidays** for **Courts of District Judiciary in the State** for the **year 2026** in addition to those notified as Public Holidays:

Sr. No.	Name of Holidays	Date Saka Era	Days of Week
1.	Christian New Year Day	<u>1st January, 2026</u> 11 Paush, 1947	Thursday
2.	Vassi Uttarayan (Next Day to Makar Sankranti)	<u>15th January, 2026</u> 25 Paush, 1947	Thursday
3.	Vishvakarma Jayanti (Maha Sud-13)	<u>31st January, 2026</u> 11 Magh, 1947	Saturday
4.	(1) Shab-e-Barat (2) Birthday of Dhani Matang Dev	<u>04th February, 2026</u> 15 Magh, 1947	Wednesday
5.	Holi	<u>03rd March, 2026</u> 12 Phalgun, 1947	Tuesday
6.	Shahadat-e-Hazarat Ali	<u>11th March, 2026</u> 20 Phalgun, 1947	Wednesday
7.	Gudi Padvo (Chaitra Sud-1)	<u>19th March, 2025</u> 28 Phalgun, 1947	Thursday
8.	Jamshedi Navroz (Parsi Shahenshahi & Parsi Kadmi)	<u>21st March, 2026</u> 30 Phalgun, 1947	Saturday
9.	Hatkeshvar Jayanti	<u>01th April, 2026</u> 11 Chaitra, 1948	Wednesday
10.	(1) Pesah (1 st Day) Yahudi (2) Hanuman Jayanti (Chaitra Sud-15)	<u>02th April, 2026</u> 12 Chaitra, 1948	Thursday

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11.	Maha Prabhuji's Praktyotsava (Vallabhacharya Jayanti)	<u>13th April, 2026</u> 23 Chaitra, 1948	Monday
12.	Shree Adhya Jagadguru Shankaracharya Jayanti (Vaishakh Sud-5)	<u>21nd April, 2026</u> 01 Vaishakh, 1948	Tuesday
13.	Zarthost-no-Disho (Parsi Kadami)	<u>22nd April, 2026</u> 02 Vaishakh, 1948	Wednesday
14.	Budhha Purnima (Vaishakh Sud-15)	<u>01th May, 2026</u> 11 Vaishakh, 1948	Friday
15.	(1) Shavuoth (Yahudi) (2) Zarthost-no-Disho (Parsi Shahenshahi)	<u>22nd May, 2026</u> 01 Jyaishtha, 1948	Friday
16.	Guru Arjundev's Martyrdom day	<u>18th June, 2026</u> 28 Jyaishtha, 1948	Thursday
17.	9 th Muharram	<u>25th June, 2026</u> 04 Ashadh, 1948	Thursday
18.	Gatha Gahamber (Gatha-III) (Parsi Kadmi)	<u>13th July, 2026</u> 22 Ashadh, 1948	Monday
19.	Parsi New Year Day Eve (Gatha- V) (Parsi Kadami)	<u>15th July, 2026</u> 24 Ashadh, 1948	Wednesday
20.	(1) Rathyatra (Ashadhi bij) (Ashadh Sud-2) (2) Parsi New Year Day (Parsi Kadami)	<u>16th July, 2026</u> 25 Ashadh, 1948	Thursday
21.	Khordad Sal (Parsi Kadami)	<u>21st July, 2026</u> 30 Ashadh, 1948	Tuesday
22.	Tisha-be-aav (Yahudi)	<u>23rd July, 2026</u> 01 Shravan, 1948	Thursday
23.	(1) Gatha Gahamber (Gatha-III) (Parsi Shahenshahi) (2) Shahadat-e-Imam Hasan	<u>12th August, 2026</u> 21 Shravan, 1948	Wednesday
24.	Parsi New Year Day Eve (Gatha- V) (Parsi Shahenshahi)	<u>14th August, 2026</u> 23 Shravan, 1948	Friday
25.	Khordad Sal (Parsi Shahenshahi)	<u>20th August, 2026</u> 29 Shravan, 1948	Thursday
26.	Onam	<u>26th August, 2026</u> 04 Bhadrapad, 1948	Wednesday
27.	Id-e-Maulud	<u>31st August, 2026</u> 09 Bhadrapad, 1948	Monday
28.	Nand Utsav (Shravan Vad-9)	<u>05th September, 2026</u> 14 Bhadrapad, 1948	Saturday
29.	Shravan Vad-12 (Paryusan 1 st Day) (Chaturthi Paksha)	<u>08th September, 2026</u> 17 Bhadrapad, 1948	Tuesday

30.	Shravan Vad-13 (Paryusan 1 st Day) (Panchami Paksha)	<u>09th September, 2026</u> 18 Bhadrapad, 1948	Wednesday
31.	Ganesh Chaturthi (Bhadarva Sud-4)	<u>14th September, 2026</u> 23 Bhadrapad, 1948	Monday
32.	Samvatsari (Panchami Paksha)	<u>16th September, 2026</u> 25 Bhadrapad, 1948	Wednesday
33.	Yom Kippur (Yahudi)	<u>21st September, 2026</u> 30 Bhadrapad, 1948	Monday
34.	Dhan Terash (Aaso Vad-13)	<u>07th November, 2026</u> 16 Kartik, 1948	Saturday
35.	Dev-Diwali (Kartak Sud - 15)	<u>24th November, 2026</u> 03 Margshirsh, 1948	Tuesday

Note: (1) The following days have not been notified as Optional Holidays as they fall on 2nd /4th Saturday or Sunday:

1.	Saint Shiromani Ravidasji's Birthday	<u>01st February, 2026</u> 12 Magh, 1947	Sunday
2.	Ramjan-Id (Id-Ul-Fitra) (2 nd Shawaal)	<u>22nd March, 2026</u> 01 Chaitra, 1948	Sunday
3.	International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples	<u>09th August, 2026</u> 18 Shravan, 1948	Sunday
4.	(1) Rosh Hashanah (1 st Day) (New Year) (Yahudi) (2) Mahavir Swami Janma Vachan (Chaturthi Paksha)	<u>12th September, 2026</u> 21 Bhadrapad, 1948	2 nd Saturday
5.	Eve of Kippur (Yahudi)	<u>20th September, 2026</u> 29 Bhadrapad, 1948	Sunday
6.	Succoth (Yahudi)	<u>26th September, 2026</u> 04 Ashwin, 1948	4 th Saturday
7.	Kali Chaudash (Aaso Vad-14)	<u>08th November, 2026</u> 17 Kartik, 1948	Sunday
8.	Shrimad Bhagwad Gita Jayanti	<u>20th December, 2026</u> 29 Margshirsh, 1948	Sunday
9.	Boxing Day (Next Day to Christmas)	<u>26th December, 2026</u> 05 Paush, 1948	4 th Saturday

Note: (2) Officers and Staff of District Judiciary in the State of Gujarat may avail of maximum any two of the holidays on the festival occasions mentioned above at their option and irrespective of their religious denomination. Permission for availment of these optional holidays should however, be applied for in advance and will normally be granted by the officer competent to grant casual leave with due regard to the exigencies of work. This leave of two

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days taken by Officers and Staff of the District Judiciary of Gujarat at their discretion on the festival of their choice will not be debited to their casual leave account.

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