

- Read:- 1. Hon'ble High Court of Gujarat letter No.C.2103/2026, dated 19/12/2025.
2. GAD Notification No. GS/22/2025/JSR/2025/509/GH, dated 27/11/2025.

NOTIFICATION

No.: B/662/2025

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In accordance with the provision contained in para 625, of Civil Manual Volume I, 1960, the Principal District Judge, Jamnagar is pleased to notify the following days as **Holidays** to be observed in the **Year- 2026**. The District Court, Jamnagar and all the courts subordinate to it in the Judicial District of Jamnagar shall remain closed on these days.

Sr. No.	Name of General Holidays	Date according to Gregorian Calendar	Days of Week
1.	Makar Sankranti	14 th January, 2026	Wednesday
2.	Republic Day	26 th January, 2026	Monday
3.	Holi - 2 nd Day - Dhuleti	04 th March, 2026	Wednesday
4.	Chetichand	19 th March, 2026	Thursday
5.	Ramjan-Eid (Eid-Ul-Fitra) (1 st Shawaal)	21 th March, 2026	Saturday
6.	Shree Ram Navmi	26 th March, 2026	Thursday
7.	Mahavir Janma Kalyank	31 st March, 2026	Tuesday
8.	Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar's Birthday	14 th April, 2026	Tuesday
9.	Eid-Ul-Adha (Bakri Eid)	27 th May, 2026	Wednesday
10.	Muharram (Ashoora)	26 th June, 2026	Friday
11.	(1) Independence Day (2) Parsi New Year Day - Pateti	15 th August, 2026	Saturday
12.	Eid-e-Meeladunnabi	26 th August, 2026	Wednesday
13.	Raksha Bandhan	28 th August, 2026	Friday
14.	Janmashtami	04 th September, 2026	Friday
15.	Samvatsari	15 th September, 2026	Tuesday
16.	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	02 nd October, 2026	Friday
17.	Dusshera	20 th October, 2026	Tuesday
18.	(1) Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel's Birthday	31 st October, 2026	Saturday
19.	Additional Diwali Holiday	09 th November, 2026	Monday
20.	Vikram Samvant New Year Day	10 th November, 2026	Tuesday
21.	Bhai Bij	11 th November, 2026	Wednesday
22.	Additional Diwali Holiday	12 th November, 2026	Thursday
23.	Additional Diwali Holiday	13 th Noveber, 2026	Friday

24.	Guru Nanak's Birthday	24 th November, 2026	Tuesday
25.	Christmas	25 th December, 2026	Friday

Note:-

- [1] The following days have not been notified as Public Holidays as they fall on **Sunday**.

01.	Maha Shivratri	15 th February, 2026	Sunday
02.	Diwali	08 th November, 2026	Sunday

- [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.
- [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)
- [4] The **Annual Summer Vacation** for the **Year - 2026** to be observed from **Monday, 11th May, 2026 to Sunday, 07th June, 2026** (Both Days Inclusive) for the Courts, Offices and Branches working under the establishment of District Court, Jamnagar.
- [5] The preceding and the succeeding Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays shall form part of vacation.

--- PART - II ---

In addition to the Holidays notified above, following days are notified as **OPTIONAL HOLIDAYS** for Officers and Staff of District Judiciary in the **Year - 2026**.

Sr. No.	Name of Optional Holidays	Date	Days of Week
1.	Christian New Year Day	1 st January, 2026	Thursday
2.	Vaasi Uttarayan	15 th January, 2026	Thursday
3.	Vishvakarma Jayanti	31 st January, 2026	Saturday
4.	[1] Shab-e-Barat [2] Birthday of Dhani Matang Dev	04 th February, 2026	Wednesday
5.	Holi	03 rd March, 2026	Tuesday
6.	Shahadat-e-Hazarat Ali	11 th March, 2026	Wednesday
7.	Gudi Padvo	19 th March, 2026	Thursday
8.	Jamshedi Navroz (Parsi Shahenshahi & Parsi Kadmi)	21 st March, 2026	Saturday

9.	Hatkeshvar Jayanti	01 st April, 2026	Wednesday
10.	(1) Pesh (1 st Day) Yahudi (2) Hanuman Jayanti	02 nd April, 2026	Thursday
11.	Maha Prabhuji's Praktyotsav	13 th April, 2026	Tuesday
12.	Shree Adhya Jagadguru Shankaracharya Jayanti	21 st April, 2026	Tuesday
13.	Zarthost-no-Disho (Parsi Kadami)	22 nd April, 2026	Wednesday
14.	Buddha Purnima	01 st May, 2026	Friday
15.	(1) Shavuoth (Yahudi) (2) Zarthost-no-Dosho (Parsi Sahenshahi)	22 nd May, 2026	Friday
16.	Guru Arjundev's Martyrdom day	18 th June, 2026	Thursday
17.	9 th Muharram	25 th June, 2026	Thursday
18.	Gatha Gahamber (Gatha-III)	13 th July, 2026	Monday
19.	Parsi New Year Day Eve	15 th July, 2026	Wednesday
20.	(1) Rathyatra (Ashadhi bij) (2) Parsi New Year Day	16 th July, 2026	Thursday
21.	Khordad Sal (Parsi Kadami)	21 st July, 2026	Tuesday
22.	Tisha-be-aav (Yahudi)	23 rd July, 2026	Thursday
23.	(1) Gatha Gahamber (Gatha - III) (2) Shahadat-e-Imam Hasan	12 th August, 2026	Wednesday
24.	Parsi New Year Day Eve (Gatha-V)	14 th August, 2026	Friday
25.	Khordad Sal (Parsi)	20 th August, 2026	Thursday
26.	Onam	26 th August, 2026	Wednesday
27.	Id-e-Maulud	31 st August, 2026	Monday
28.	Nand Utsav	05 th September, 2026	Saturday
29.	Shravan Vad-12 (Paryusan 1 st Day)	08 th September, 2026	Tuesday
30.	Shravan Vad-13 (Panchami Paksha)	09 th September, 2026	Wednesday
31.	Ganesh Chaturthi	14 th September, 2026	Monday
32.	Samvatsari	16 th September, 2026	Wednesday
33.	Yom Kippur (Yahudi)	21 September, 2026	Monday
34.	Dhan Tersah	07 th November, 2026	Saturday
35.	Dev-Diwali (Kartak Sud - 15)	24 th November, 2026	Tuesday

Note :

[1] The following days have not been notified as Optional Holidays as they fall on
2nd / 4th Saturday or Sunday.

01.	Saint Shiromani Ravidasji's Birthday	01 st February, 2026	Sunday
02.	Ramjan-Id (Id-Ul-Fitra)	22 nd March, 2026	Sunday
03.	International Day of the World's Indigenous Peoples	9 th August, 2026	Sunday
04.	(1) Rosh Hashanah (1 st Day) (New Year) (Yahudi) (2) Mahavir Swami Janma Vachan (Chaturthi Paksha)	12 th September, 2026	2 nd Saturday

05.	Eve of Kippur (Yahudi)	20 th September, 2026	Sunday
06.	Succoth (Yahudi)	26 th September, 2026	4 th Saturday
07.	Kali Chaudash	08 th November, 2026	Sunday
08.	Shrimad Bhagwad Gita Jayanti	20 th December, 2026	Sunday
09.	Boxing Day (Next Day to Christmas)	26 th December, 2026	4 th Saturday

- [2] Officers and Staff of the District Judiciary 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 days taken by the Officers and Staff of the District Judiciary at their discretion on the festival of their choice will not be debited to their casual leave account.
- [3] If any of the Muslim religion Holidays notified above, does not fall on the day notified, the Muslim Officers and Staff of this establishment may be granted optional holiday on the day on which the holiday is actually observed and notified by the Hon'ble High Court of Gujarat.

District Court, Jamnagar.
Dated :- 31/12/2025.


(Nehal R. Joshi)
Principal District Judge,
Jamnagar.

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8. The Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Ahmedabad.
9. The Accountant General, Rajkot.
10. The District Collector, Jamnagar.
11. The District Superintendent of Police, Jamnagar. [Kindly communicate to all Police Stations]
12. The Superintendent, District Jail, Jamnagar.
13. The Judge, Labour Court, Jamnagar.
14. The Member, Industrial Court, Jamnagar.
15. The President, District Dispute Consumer Redressal Forum, Jamnagar.
16. All subordinate Courts of District Court, Jamnagar.
17. The Secretary, District Legal Service Authority, Jamnagar.
18. The District Government Pleader, Jamnagar.
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BY ORDER

Registrar,
District Court,
Jamnagar