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NOTIFICATION OF THE CITY CIVIL & SESSIONS COURT, AHMEDABAD
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Read :- 1. Government Notification No. GS/22/2025/JSR/2025/509/GH, dated 27th November, 2025 of General Administration Department, Gandhinagar.
2. **Notification No. C. 2103/2026, dated 19.12.2025 of the Hon'ble High Court of Gujarat.**

NO. 02 OF 2025

The following is the **list of public holidays** to be observed by the **City Civil & Sessions Court, Ahmedabad**, for the **Year 2026,** as fixed by the Hon'ble High Court of Gujarat, Ahmedabad vide its Notification cited at Sr. No. 2 in the preamble herein above. :-

Sr. No.	Name of Holidays	Date	Days of Week
1.	Makar Sankranti	14.01.2026	Wednesday
2.	Republic Day	26.01.2026	Monday
3.	Holi 2nd Day - Dhuleti	04.03.2026	Wednesday
4.	Chetichand	19.03.2026	Thursday
5.	Ramjan-Eid (Eid-Ul-Fitra) (1st Shawaal)	21.03.2026	Saturday
6.	Shree Ram Navmi	26.03.2026	Thursday
7.	Mahavir Janma Kalyanak	31.03.2026	Tuesday
8.	Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar's Birthday	14.04.2026	Tuesday
9.	Eid-Ul-Adha (Bakri-Eid)	27.05.2026	Wednesday
10.	Muharram (Ashoora)	26.06.2026	Friday
11.	I) Independence Day II) Parsi New Year Day - Pateti (Parsi Shahenshahi)	15.08.2026	Saturday
12.	Eid-e-Meeladunnabi (Prophet Mohammad's Birthday) (bara vafat)	26.08.2026	Wednesday
13.	Raksha Bandhan	28.08.2026	Friday
14.	Janmashtmi (Shravan Vad - 8)	04.09.2026	Friday
15.	Samvatsari (Chaturthi Paksha)	15.09.2026	Tuesday
16.	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	02.10.2026	Friday
17.	Dusshera (Vijaya Dashmi)	20.10.2026	Tuesday
18.	Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel's Birthday	31.10.2026	Saturday
19.	**Additional Diwali Holiday**	**09.11.2026**	Monday
20.	Vikram Samvat New Year Day	10.11.2026	Tuesday
21.	Bhai Bij	11.11.2026	Wednesday
22.	**Additional Diwali Holiday**	12.11.2026	Thursday
23.	**Additional Diwali Holiday**	13.11.2026	Friday
24.	Guru Nanak's Birthday	24.11.2026	Tuesday
25.	Christmas	25.12.2026	Friday

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

1.	Maha Shivratri (Maha vad - 13)	15.02.2026	Sunday
2.	Diwali	08.11.2026	Sunday

Note (2) :- **If any of the Muslim religion Holidays notified above does not fall on the day notified, the Muslim Officers and Staff members of this Court may be granted Optional Holiday on the day on which the holiday is actually observed.**

Note (3) :- **All the Courts and Departments of the City Civil & Sessions Court, Ahmedabad will work on the following Saturdays:-**

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

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

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

(Hemang R. Rawal)
Principal Judge

City Civil & Sessions Court,
Ahmedabad
Date : 20 /12/2025

OPTIONAL HOLIDAYS FOR OFFICERS AND STAFF OF CITY CIVIL & SESSIONS COURT, AHMEDABAD :-			
Sr. No.	**Name of Optional Holidays**	**Date**	**Days of Week**
1	Christian New Year Day	01.01.2026	Thursday
2	Vassi Uttarayan (Next Day to Makar Sankranti)	15.01.2026	Thursday
3	Vishvakarma Jayanti (Maha Sud-13)	31.01.2026	Saturday
4	1) Shad-e-Barat 2) Birthday of Dhani Matang Dev	04.02.2026	Wednesday
5	Holi	03.03.2026	Tuesday
6	Shahadat-e-Hazarat Ali	11.03.2026	Wednesday
7	Gudi Padvo (Chaitra Sud -1)	19.03.2026	Thursday
8	Jamshedi Navroz (Parsi Shahenshahi & Parsi Kadmi)	21.03.2026	Saturday
9	Hatkeshvar Jayanti	01.04.2026	Wednesday
10	(1) Pesah (1st Day) (Yahudi) (2) Hanuman Jayanti (Chaitra Sud-15)	02.04.2026	Thursday
11	Maha Prabhuji's Praktyotsava (Vallabhacharya Jayanti)	13.04.2026	Monday
12	Shri Adhya Jagadguru Shankaracharya Jayanti (Vaishakh Sud-5)	21.04.2026	Tuesday
13	Zarthost-no-Disho (Parsi Kadami)	22.04.2026	Wednesday
14	Buddha Purnima (Vaishakh Sud-15)	01.05.2026	Friday
15	(1) Shavuoth (Yahudi) (2) Zarthost-no-Disho (Parsi Shahenshahi)	22.05.2026	Friday
16	Guru Arjundev's Martrydom day	18.06.2026	Thursday
17	9th Muharram	25.06.2026	Thursday
18	Gatha Gahamber (Gatha - III) (Parsi Kadmi)	13.07.2026	Monday
19	Parsi New Year Day Eve (Gatha - V) (Parsi Kadami)	15.07.2026	Wednesday
20	(1) Rath Yatra (Ashadhi Bij) (Ashadh Sud - 2) (2) Parsi New Year Day (Parsi Kadami)	16.07.2026	Thursday
21	Khordad Sal (Parsi Kadami)	21.07.2026	Tuesday
22	Tisha-be-aav (Yahudi)	23.07.2026	Thursday
23	(1) Gatha Gahamber (Gatha - III) (Parsi Shahenshai) (2) Shahadat-e-Imam Hasan	12.08.2026	Wednesday
24	Parsi New Year Day Eve (Gatha - V) (Parsi Shahenshahi)	14.08.2026	Friday
25	Khordad Sal (Parsi Shahenshahi)	20.08.2026	Thursday
26	Onam	26.08.2026	Wednesday
27	Id-e-Maulud	31.08.2026	Monday
28	Nand Utsav (Shravan Vad-9)	05.09.2026	Saturday

29	Shravan Vad - 12 (Paryusan 1st Day) (Chaturthi Paksha)	08.09.2026	Tuesday
30	Shravan Vad - 13 (Paryushan 1st Day) (Panchami Paksha)	09.09.2026	Wednesday
31	Ganesh Chaturthi (Bhadarva Sud - 4)	14.09.2026	Monday
32	Samvatsari (Panchami Paksha)	16.09.2026	Wednesday
33	Yom Kippur (Yahudi)	21.09.2026	Monday
34	Dhan Terash (Aaso Vad - 13)	07.11.2026	Saturday
35	Dev-Diwali (Kartak Sud - 15)	24.11.2026	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	01.02.2026	Sunday
2.	Ramjan-Id (Id-Ul-Fitra)	22.03.2026	Sunday
3.	International day of World's Indigenous People	09.08.2026	Sunday
4.	(1) Rosh Hashanah (1st Day) (New Year) (Yahudi) (2) Mahavir Swami Janma Vachan (Chaturthi Paksha)	12.09.2026	2nd Saturday
5.	Eve of Kippur (Yahudi)	20.09.2026	Sunday
6.	Succoth (Yahudi)	26.09.2026	4th Saturday
7.	Kali Chaudash (Aaso Vad-14)	08.11.2026	Sunday
8.	Shrimad Bhagwad Gita Jayanti	20.12.2026	Sunday
9.	Boxing Day (Next Day to Christmas)	26.12.2026	4th Saturday

Note: (2) Officers and Staff members of this Court may avail of maximum any two of the holiday 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 the due regard to exigencies of work. These leave of two days taken by the Officers and Staff Members at their discretion on the festival of their choice will not be debited to their casual leave account.

Note: (3) If any of the Muslim religion holidays notified above, does not fall on the day notified, the Muslim Officers and Staff members may be granted an optional holiday on the day on which the holiday is actually observed.

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Principal Judge

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5. All Principal District Judges.
6. The Superintendent, Central Prision, Sabarmati, Ahmedabad.
7. The Civil Surgeon, Civil Hospital, Asarwa, Ahmedabad.
8. The Civil Surgeon, Civil Hospital, Sola, Ahmedabad.
9. The Accountant General, Gujarat State, Ahmedabad. (In Duplicate).
10. The Additional Accountant General, Rajkot (In Duplicate).
11. The Secretary, Ahmedabad Bar Association, Ahmedabad.
12. The Secretary, Ahmedabd Criminal Court, Bar Association, Ahmedabad.
13. The Superintendent, Mental Hospital, Ahmedabad.
14. The Government Pleader, City Civil Court, Ahmedabad.
15. The Public Prosecutor, City Sessions Court, Ahmedabad.
16. The Commissioner for Taking Accounts, City Civil Court, Ahmedabad.
17. The Inspecting Officer (Court Fees), Ahmedabad.
18. The Registrar, Family Court, Bhadra, Ahmedabad.