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Kindergarten Holiday & Events Calendar 2026 – 2027

Advisory note: This is a guideline to ensure a consistent system is followed across the school, but the regional holidays may vary according to the state and planetary positions. The school is encouraged to ensure that the number of working days in the school remain sufficient.



Important Days



Holidays



Celebrations in School



Safety Drills (Earthquake/Fire)



Events to be celebrated with Parents



Regional/Optional Holidays



Celebrations in coordination with MBSA (Mandatory)

	Summer Break	Summer Camps	School Reopening	Winter Break
North (For April Academic Session)	16 th May – 29 th June	18 th May – 19 th June	1 st July	25 th December – 3 rd Jan, 2027
South (For June Academic Session)	27 th March – 31 st May	6 th April – 24 th April & 27 th April - 15 th May	8 th June	25 th December -3 rd Jan, 2027

April 2026

Maple Bear Little Drops, Big Care (15th April – 30th June'2026)

Monday, April 06 School re-opens (New Academic Session for 2026-27)

Friday, April 03 Good Friday

Sunday, April 05 Easter Holiday

Tuesday, April 07 World Health Day, Celebrate World Health Day and Easter in School

Monday, April 13 Celebrate Vishu in School



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Tuesday, April 14

Dr. Ambedkar Jayanti [Bohag Bihu \(Assam Schools\)](#)

Wednesday, April 15

Vishu

Friday, April 17

Celebrate World Heritage Day

Saturday, April 18

World Heritage Day

Tuesday, April 21

World Creativity & Innovation Day, Celebrate in School

Wednesday, April 22

Earth Day, Celebrate in School

Saturday, April 25

PTM

Wednesday, April 29

International Dance Day, Celebrate in School

Thursday, April 30

Fire Drill

May 2026

Friday, May 01

Buddha Poornima, Labour's/ Worker's Day

Monday, May 04

International Fire-Fighter's Day Celebrate in School

Saturday, May 09

Celebrate Mother's Day in School

Sunday, May 10

Mother's Day

Monday, May 11

National Technology Day, Celebrate in school

Friday, May 15

International Day of Families, Celebrate in school

Tuesday, May 26

Celebrate Bakri-id in school

Wednesday, May 27

Bakrid/ Eid-ul-Adha (Depending on the moon sighting)

Friday, May 29

Fire Drill

(Organize a field trip)

June 2026

Monday, June 01

School re-opens for the New Academic Session for 2026-27 (South Schools)

Friday, June 05

World Environment Day, Celebrate in School

Monday, June 08

World Oceans Day Celebrate World Oceans Day



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Tuesday June 16

Muharram (Depending on the moon sighting)

Friday, June 19

Celebrate International Yoga Day in School

Saturday, June 20

Celebrate Father's Day in School

Sunday, June 21

International Yoga Day, Father's Day

Wednesday, June 24

Fire Drill

Saturday, June 27

PTM

July 2026

Commencement of Gullak Event in collaboration with Goonj, NGO (July'2026 – September'2026)

Wednesday, July 01

School re-opens for Academic session 2026-27 (North schools -April session)

Wednesday, July 01

Canada Day Celebrate in School.

Tuesday, July 07

World Chocolate Day Celebrate in School

Friday, July 10

Celebrate Paper Bag Day in school

Sunday, July 12

Paper Bag Day

Friday, July 17

World Emoji Day, Celebrate in school

Friday, July 24

Celebrate Kargil Vijaya Diwas in School

Saturday, July 25

PTM

Sunday, July 26

Kargil Vijaya Diwas

Wednesday, July 29

Fire Drill

Friday, July 31

Celebrate Friendship Day in School

(Organize a field trip)

August 2026

Sunday, August 02

International Friendship Day

Friday, August 07

Celebrate Bonalu in School



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Monday, August 10

Bonalu (Andhra Pradesh/Telangana Schools)

Saturday, August 15

Independence Day (Flag Hoisting can be done in School)

Wednesday, August 19

Earthquake drill

Friday, August 21

Celebrate National Space Day in School

Sunday, August 23

National Space Day

Monday, August 24

Fire Drill

Tuesday, August 25

Celebrate Onam in School

Wednesday, August 26

Onam and Milad-un-Nabi

Thursday, August 27

Celebrate Raksha Bandhan in School

Friday, August 28

Varalakshmi Vratam (Karnataka & Andhra Pradesh) & Raksha Bandhan

Saturday, August 29

PTM

Monday, August 17 to Tuesday, August 25 Onam Break (Kerala Schools)

September 2026

Thursday, September 03

Celebrate Teacher's Day and Janmashtami in School

Friday, September 04

Janmashtami

Saturday, September 05

Teacher's Day

Tuesday, September 08

International Literacy Day, Celebrate in School

Friday, September 11

Celebrate Ganesh Chaturthi and Hindi Diwas in School

Saturday, September 12

Celebrate Grandparents Day in School

Sunday, September 13

Grandparents Day

Monday, September 14

Ganesh Chaturthi and Hindi Diwas

Wednesday, September 16

Fire Drill

Saturday, September 26

PTM



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Tuesday, September 29

World Heart Day, Celebrate in School

(Organize Field Trip)

October 2026

Thursday, October 01

Celebrate Gandhi Jayanti in School

Friday, October 02

Gandhi Jayanti

Sunday, October 04

World Animal Day

Monday, October 05

International Doctor's Day Celebrate World Animal Day & Doctor's Day in school

Wednesday, October 07

Fire Drill

Dussehra Break (Monday, October 12- Tuesday, October 20)

Saturday, October 10

Mahalaya Amavasya (Karnataka schools)

Friday, October 16

World Food Day, Celebrate in School

Sunday, October 18

Kati Bihu (Assam Schools)

Monday, October 19

Maha Navami

Tuesday, October 20

Dussehra

Monday, October 26

Maharishi Valmiki Jayanti

Thursday, October 29

Karwa Chauth

Friday, October 30

Celebrate Halloween in School

Saturday, October 31

Halloween- PTM

November 2026

Heartful Hands – A Maple Bear Kindness Drive (20th November – 20th December'2026)

Sunday, November 01

Karnataka Rajyotsava (Karnataka Schools)

Friday, November 06

Celebrate Diwali in School

Diwali Break (Saturday, November 7 – Thursday, November 12)

Sunday, November 08

Diwali

Wednesday, November 11

Bhai Dooj , National Education Day

Friday, November 13

Celebrate Children's Day in school World Kindness Day



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Saturday, November 14

Children's Day

Sunday, November 15

Chhath Puja (Bihar Schools)

Monday, November 16

Celebrate National Education Day and World Kindness Day in school

Wednesday, November 18

Fire Drill

Saturday November 21

Organize Parent Workshop (Emotional, Physical & Mental Health of Children)

Monday, November 23

Celebrate Guru Nanak Jayanti in School

Tuesday, November 24

Guru Nanak Jayanti

Thursday, November 26

Thanksgiving and National Milk Day, Celebrate in School

Friday, November 27

Kanakadasa Jayanti (Karnataka Schools)

Saturday, November 28

PTM

(Organize Field Trip)

December 2026

Wednesday, December 02

National Pollution Control Day, Celebrate in School

Friday, December 04

Indian Navy Day, Celebrate in School

Thursday, December 10

Human Rights Day, Celebrate in School

Wednesday, December 16

Fire Drill

Saturday, December 19

PTM

Tuesday, December 22

National Mathematics Day, Celebrate in school

Wednesday, December 23

Kisan Diwas, Celebrate in School

Thursday, December 24

Celebrate Christmas in School

Friday, December 25

Christmas

Thursday, December 31

New Year's Eve

(Winter break - 25th December, Friday – 3rd January, Sunday)

January 2027

Happy Tummies, Healthy Kids- Online Nutrition Sessions or Health camps at the school (20th Jan – 5th Feb'2027)



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Friday, January 01

New Year's Day

Monday, January 05

World Braille Day, Celebrate in School

Wednesday, January 13

Celebrate Lohri/Pongal/ Sankranti, Celebrate Indian army day in School

Friday, January 15

Makar Sankranti/Pongal (Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh & Telangana Schools) India Army Day, Guru Gobind Singh Jayanti

Wednesday, January 20

Fire Drill

Monday, January 25

Celebrate Republic Day in School, National Tourism Day (Can plan for a field trip to a tourist spot)

Tuesday, January 26

Republic Day

Friday, January 29

National Puzzle Day, Celebrate in School

Saturday, January 30

PTM

February 2027

Wednesday, February 03

World Read Aloud Day, Celebrate in School

Thursday, February 11

Vasant Panchami, Celebrate in School

Friday, February 12

Celebrate Valentine's Day in School

Sunday, February 14

Valentine's Day

Friday, February 19

Shivaji Maharaj Jayanti (Maharashtra Schools), Celebrate National Science Day, Organize a Field Trip

Sunday, February 21

International Mother Language Day

Monday, February 22

Celebrate International Mother Language Day in School

Wednesday, February 24

Fire Drill

Friday, February 26

Celebrate National Science Day in school

Saturday, February 27

PTM

Sunday, February 28

National Science Day



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March 2027

Celebrate Earth Hour Week in School (1st - 5th March)

Wednesday, March 03	Celebrate World Wildlife Day in School
Friday, March 05	Celebrate Dentist Day in School
Saturday, March 06	Maha Shivratri and Dentist Day,
Monday, March 08	International Women's Day
Wednesday, March 10	Fire Drill
Saturday, March 13	Celebrate International Women's Day
Friday, March 19	Celebrate International Day of Happiness in School
Saturday, March 20	International Day of Happiness
Monday, March 22	Holi, World Water Day
Tuesday, March 23	Celebrate Holi & World Water Day in School

Last working Day for the Academic Session-2026-27(April Session)

Friday, March 26	Celebrate World Theatre Day in School
Saturday, March 27	World Theatre Day

Last working Day for the Academic Session-2026-27 (June Session)

The school can celebrate colour days to reinforce Colours. The entire school wears that colour of the day. Literacy Week can be celebrated in September/October. A variety of literary activities can be conducted during this week which will involve parents as well. Hindi Diwas and Kisan Diwas can be celebrated highlighting the importance of the day. Special morning assemblies/activities/skits/shows etc. can be planned on the day.

The Theme of the Month

'Theme of the Month' has been designed for planning the month with a particular theme. They can help enhance learning both in the classroom and at home by incorporating



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activities connected with the monthly awareness themes. The parents can also be a part of it, to reinforce the same back at home.

Some of the suggestions are:

April: Get Organized Month

May: Inventors Month

June: Physical Fitness Month

July: Plastic Free July

August: Happiness Happens Month

September: Friendship Month, Poetic Earth Month (Elementary)

October: Save the Noisy Planet

November: Joy of Giving Month

December: International Brain Teasers Month, Universal Human Rights Month- (Elementary)

January: Creativity Month

February: 'Proud to be' Month

March: What have we learned Month

Graduation day: On the last day of school. Give away the report cards and the portfolios.

The Suggested Field Trips: Field trips should be organized depending on the weather of the city. They can be linked with various celebrations also. For example, a trip to an old age home can be organized to celebrate Grandparent's Day or with the theme "My Family". Similarly, children could visit and spend a day in the orphanage on Children's Day. Here are some suggestions for



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field trips as per our themes. Field trips to other places in your city can also be organized after consulting with the head office.

Toddler

Unit 7: The Food We Eat: Visit to supermarket.

Unit 8: Growing Things: Visit a park.

Unit 12: Colour My World: Organize a colour week.

Unit 17: Animals Big and Small: Visit a farm.

Unit 18: Let's Go: Visit a traffic park or rail museum.

Nursery

Unit 2: What Can I Learn About Myself? : A visit by a community helper, a visit to a fire station or a police station.

Unit 4: What are the Colours in My World? Organize a colour week.

Unit 13: What Can I Learn about Butterflies? : Visit to a park.

Unit 18: What is Special about Pets? : Visit to a pet store.

Unit 19: What are farm Animals? : Visit to a farm or a dairy.

Unit 20: What Animals Live in a Zoo? : Visit to a zoo.

Unit 21: What is important about the Food I Eat? Organize a health week and a visit to a grocery store.

JKG

Unit 2: This is Me: Visit by a community helper, visit to a fire station or a police station.



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Unit 5: Adventures in moving: Visit a traffic park or a rail museum.

Unit 6: Animal Explorers: Visit to a zoo.

Unit 12: Plant Pals: Visit to Nursery

SKG

Unit 3: Our Neighbourhood: Visit by a community helper, visit to a fire station or a police station.

Unit 4: Dinosaur Discovery: Visit to Dino Park

Unit 6/7: Canada & its Wildlife/Trees: Visit a zoo or a botanical garden.

Unit 8: Super Friends: Picnic to a park nearby

Unit 9: Healthy Habits: Visit a farm or a dairy. A visit to a milk processing unit or a manufacturing unit for a dairy product could be done.

Unit 12: Solar System: Science Planetarium.

Note: The calendar takes into account most of the festivals celebrated in our country. In case we have missed out on a festival which is a major one in your area do not hesitate to add it.

This is a guideline and the school may have to make certain changes as per their local requirements. These changes have to be made with prior approval from the corporate office.

For the celebrations, please refer to our festival documents on the intranet.

For any ideas or suggestions please get in touch with the academic team at the corporate office.