



Holidays in Malaysia

For all programs

This document does not specify all public holidays for this country, only the ones that either affect our programs or are interesting to be a part of!

Teaching programs are still available during the school holidays, but in the form of a holiday program outside the normal school system.

Also please note that these dates may be not be exact due to local conditions.

During 2019

Public Holidays

Date	Weekday	Holiday name	Remarks
Jan 1	Tuesday	New Year	National Holiday
Jan 21	Monday	Thaipusam	Taiping, Perak only
Feb 5	Tuesday	Chinese New Year	National Holiday
Feb 6	Wednesday	Chinese New Year	National Holiday
May 1	Wednesday	Labour Day	National Holiday
May 19	Sunday	Wesak Day	National Holiday
May 20	Monday	Wesak Day Holiday	National Holiday
May 22	Wednesday	Nuzul Al-Quran	Taiping, Perak only
Jun 1	Saturday	Hari Gawai	Kuching, Sarawak only
Jun	Sunday	Hari Gawai Holiday	Kuching, Sarawak only
Jun 5	Wednesday	Hari Raya Aidilfitri*	National Holiday

Jun 6	Thursday	Hari Raya Aidilfitri Holiday	National Holiday
Jul 22	Monday	Sarawak Day	Kuching, Sarawak only
Aug 11	Sunday	Hari Raya Haji*	National Holiday
Aug 12	Monday	Hari Raya Haji Holiday	National Holiday
Aug 31	Saturday	Merdeka Day	National Holiday
Sep 1	Sunday	Awal Muharram (Maal Hijrah)	National Holiday
Sep 2	Monday	Awal Muharram Holiday	National Holiday
Sep 9	Monday	Agong's Birthday	National Holiday
Sep 14	Saturday	Sarawak Governor's Birthday	Kuching, Sarawak only.
Sep 16	Monday	Malaysia Day	National Holiday
Oct 27	Sunday	Deepavali	National except Sarawak
Oct 28	Monday	Deepavali Holiday	National except Sarawak
Nov 1	Friday	Sultan of Perak's Birthday	Taiping, Perak only
Nov 9	Saturday	Prophet Muhammad's Birthday	National Holiday
Dec 25	Wednesday	Christmas Day	National Holiday

*Subject to change

School Holidays

All teaching related projects are closed during school holidays. They will be replaced by Teaching at Community Centres during holidays.