

**LIST OF GOVERNMENT OF INDIA GAZZETED HOLIDAYS DURING THE YEAR-2012
FOR CHANDIGARH, PANCHKULA AND MOHALI**

Sr. No.	Holidays	Date (2012)	Saka Date	Day
1933 SAKA ERA				
1.	Republic Day	January 26	Magha 06	Thursday
2.	Milad-un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammad)	February 05	Magha 16	Sunday
3.	Maha Shivaratri	February 20	Phalguna 01	Monday
4.	Holi	March 08	Phalguna 18	Thursday
1934 SAKA ERA				
5.	Mahavir Jayanti	April 05	Chaitra 16	Thursday
6.	Good Friday	April 06	Chaitra 17	Friday
7.	Buddha Purnima	May 06	Vaisakha 16	Sunday
8.	Janamashtami (Vaisnava)	August 10	Sravana 19	Friday
9.	Independence Day	August 15	Sravana 24	Wednesday
10.	Idu'l-Fitr	August 20	Sravana 29	Monday
11.	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	October 02	Asvina 10	Tuesday
12.	Dussehra (Vijay Dashami)	October 24	Kartika 02	Wednesday
13.	Idu'l-Zuha (Bakrid)	October 27	Kartika 05	Saturday
14.	Diwal (Deepavali)	November 13	Kartika 22	Tuesday
15.	Muharram	November 25	Agrahayana 04	Sunday
16.	Guru Nanak's Birthday	November 28	Agrahayana 07	Wednesday
17.	Christmas Day	December 25	Pausha 04	Tuesday

**LIST OF RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS DURING THE YEAR-2012 FOR CHANDIGARH,
PANCHKULA AND MOHALI**

Sr. No.	Holidays	Date (2012)	Saka Date	Day
SAKA ERA 1933				
1.	New Year's Day	January 01	Pausa 11	Sunday
2.	Makar Sankranti	January 14	Pausa 24	Saturday
3.	Pongal	January 15	Pausa 25	Sunday
4.	Basanta Panchami/Sri Panchami	January 28	Magha 08	Saturday
5.	Guru Ravidas' birthday	February 07	Magha 18	Tuesday
6.	Swami Dayananda Saraswati Jayanti	February 16	Magha 27	Thursday
7.	Shivaji Jayanti	February 19	Magha 30	Sunday
8.	Holika Dahan	March 07	Phalguna 17	Wednesday
SAKA ERA 1934				
9.	Chaitra Sukladi/Gudi Padava/Ugadi /Cheti Chand	March 23	Chaitra 03	Friday
10.	Ram Navmi	April 01	Chaitra 12	Sunday
11.	Easter Sunday	April 08	Chaitra 19	Sunday
12.	Vaisakhi	April 13	Chaitra 24	Friday
13.	Vishu	April 13	Chaitra 24	Friday
14.	Mesadi	April 14	Chaitra 25	Saturday
15.	Vaisakhadi (Bengal)/ Bahag Bihu (Assam)	April 14	Chaitra 25	Saturday
16.	Guru Rabindranath's Birthday	May 08	Vaisakha 18	Tuesday
17.	Hazarat Ali's Birthday	June 04	Jyaishtha 14	Monday
18.	Rath Yatra	June 21	Jyaishtha 31	Thursday
19.	Raksha Bandhan	August 02	Sravana 11	Thursday
20.	Jamat-Ul-Vida	August 17	Sravana 26	Friday
21.	Parsi New Year's day	August 18	Sravana 27	Saturday
22.	Vinayaka Chaturthi	August 21	Sravana 30	Tuesday
23.	Onam	August 29	Bhadra 07	Wednesday
24.	Ganesh Chaturthi	September 19	Bhadra 28	Wednesday
25.	(Maha Saptami) (Additional)	October 21	Asvina 29	Sunday
26.	Dussehra (Maha Ashtami) (Additional)	October 22	Asvina 30	Monday
27.	Dussehra (Maha Navmi)	October 23	Kartika 01	Tuesday
28.	Maharishi Valmiki's Birthday	October 29	Kartika 07	Monday
29.	Karaka Chaturthi (Karva Chouth)	November 02	Kartika 11	Friday

30.	Narak Chaturdasi	November 12	Kartika 21	Monday
31.	Deepavali (South India)	November 13	Kartika 22	Tuesday
32.	Govardhan Puja	November 14	Kartika 23	Wednesday
33.	Bhai Duj	November 15	Kartika 24	Thursday
34.	Pratihari Sashthi or Surya Sashthi (Chhat Puja)	November 19	Kartika 28	Monday
35.	Guru Teg Bahadur's Martyrdom Day	November 24	Agrahayana 03	Saturday
36.	Christmas Eve	December 24	Pausa 03	Monday