



2021 HINDU CALENDAR

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HINDU FESTIVALS 2021

Makar Sankranti	14 Jan	Sri Krishna Janmashtami	30 Aug
Thai Pongal	14 Jan	Sri Ganesh Chaturti	10 Sept
Thai Poosam Kavady	28 Jan	Purattasi	17 Sept - 17 Oct
Vasant Panchami	16 Feb	Pithar Paksh	21 Sept - 06 Oct
Maha Shivaratri	11 March	Mahalaya Paksham	21 Sept - 06 Oct
Holika Dahan	28 March	Navaratri	07 Oct - 14 Oct
Panguni Uthiram	28 March	Sri Saraswathi Pooja	12 Oct
Hindi New Year	12 April	Sri Durga Astami	13 Oct
Telugu New Year	13 April	Sri Durga Naumee	14 Oct
Ramayan Week	12 April - 20 April	Vijay Dashmi	15 Oct
Sri Raam Naumi	21 April	Dhan Trayodasi	02 Nov
Tamil New Year	14 April	Narak Chaturdasi	03 Nov
Sri Hanuman Jayanti	26 April	Deepavali - Maha Lakshmi Pooja	04 Nov
Chitra Paruvam Kavady	06 May	Gujarati New Year	05 Nov
Vaigasi Visakam	25 May	Annakuta Govardhan Pooja	05 Nov
Nirjala Ekadasi	20 June	Skanda Sashti	09 Nov
Guru Purnima	23 July	Prabodhani Ekadasi/Tulsi Vivaha	14 Nov
Naag Panchami	13 Aug	Kartik Purnima	19 Nov
Varalakshmi Vratam	20 Aug	Karthigai Deepam	19 Nov
Raksha Bandan/Shravani	22 Aug	Gita Jayanti	14 Dec
Gita Week	23 Aug - 29 Aug		

EKADASI 2021

Jan	09 & 24	July	05 & 20
Feb	07 & 23	Aug	04 & 18
Mar	09 & 24	Sept	02 & 17
April	07 & 23	Oct	02 & 16
May	07 & 22	Nov	01, 14 & 30
June	05 & 20	Dec	15 & 30

PURNIMA 2021

Jan	28	July	23
Feb	27	Aug	22
Mar	28	Sept	20
April	26	Oct	20
May	26	Nov	19
June	24	Dec	18

ECLIPSE 2021

26 May - Lunar Total Eclipse (NOT visible from SA)
10 June - Annular Solar Eclipse (NOT visible from SA)
19 Nov - Partial Lunar Eclipse (NOT visible from SA)
04 Dec - Solar Eclipse 09:00am-10:06am (Partially visible from SA)

PANCHAK 2021

15 to 20 January comm. 13:36 ends 09:07	25 to 30 July comm. 19:18 ends 10:33
11 to 16 February comm. 22:41 ends 17:27	22 to 26 August comm. 04:27 ends 18:59
11 to 16 March comm. 05:51 ends 01:14	18 to 23 September comm. 11:56 ends 03:14
07 to 12 April comm. 11:30 ends 08:00	15 to 20 October comm. 17:46 ends 10:32
04 to 09 May comm. 17:14 ends 13:59	11 to 16 November comm. 23:22 ends 16:45
01 to 05 June comm. 00:29 ends 19:58	09 to 13 December comm. 06:40 ends 22:35
28 June to 03 July comm. 09:30 ends 02:44	

MARRIAGE DATES 2021

Jan	Sat 2	Sun 3	Sat 9	Sun 10	Sat 16	Sun 17	Sat 23	Sun 24	Sat 30	Sun 31
Feb	Sat 6	Sun 7	Sat 13	Sun 14	Sat 20	Sun 21	Sat 27	Sun 28		
Mar	Sat 6	Sun 7	Sat 13	Sun 14	Sat 20	Sun 21	Sat 27			
April	Sat 3	Sun 4	Sat 10	Sun 11	Sat 24	Sun 25				
May	Sat 1	Sun 2	Sat 8	Sun 9	Sat 15	Sun 16	Sat 22	Sun 23	Sat 29	Sun 30
June	Sat 5	Sun 6	Sun 13	Sat 19	Sun 20	Sat 26	Sun 27			
July	Sat 3	Sun 4	Sat 10	Sun 11	Sat 17	Sun 18	Sat 24	Sun 25	Sat 31	
Aug	Sun 1	Sat 7	Sun 8	Sat 14	Sun 15	Sat 21				
Sept	Sat 4	Sun 5	Sat 11	Sun 12	Sat 18	Sun 19				
Oct	Sat 16	Sun 17	Sat 23	Sun 24	Sat 30	Sun 31				
Nov	Sat 6	Sun 7	Sat 13	Sat 20	Sun 21	Sat 27	Sun 28			
Dec	Sat 4	Sun 5	Sat 11	Sun 12	Sat 18	Sun 19	Sat 25	Sun 26		