

2026 HOLIDAY PLANNER

Bhutan

17 holiday entries across 17 dates | 0 estimated / awaiting confirmation
17 stored date rows. Separate holidays sharing a date retain their own entries.

DATE / WEEKDAY	PUBLIC HOLIDAY / RECORDED STATUS
2 Jan Friday	Winter Solstice Confirmed — source checked
19 Jan Monday	Traditional Day of Offering Confirmed — source checked
18 Feb Wednesday	Losar Confirmed — source checked
19 Feb Thursday	Losar Confirmed — source checked
21 Feb Saturday	Birth Anniversary of His Majesty the King Confirmed — source checked
22 Feb Sunday	Birth Anniversary of His Majesty the King Confirmed — source checked
23 Feb Monday	Birth Anniversary of His Majesty the King Confirmed — source checked
26 Apr Sunday	Death Anniversary of Zhabdrung Confirmed — source checked
2 May Saturday	Birth Anniversary of the 3rd Druk Gyalpo Confirmed — source checked
31 May Sunday	Lord Buddha's Parinirvana Confirmed — source checked
24 Jun Wednesday	Birth Anniversary of Guru Rinpoche Confirmed — source checked
18 Jul Saturday	First Sermon of Lord Buddha Confirmed — source checked
23 Sep Wednesday	Blessed Rainy Day Confirmed — source checked
21 Oct Wednesday	Dassain Confirmed — source checked
1 Nov Sunday	Coronation of His Majesty the King; Descending Day of Lord Buddha Confirmed — source checked
11 Nov Wednesday	Birth Anniversary of the 4th Druk Gyalpo - Constitution Day Confirmed — source checked
17 Dec Thursday	National Day Confirmed — source checked

TIME OFF & PLANNING NOTES

Long weekends

Listed days can include closure periods, not just a festival's observance date. Follow the holiday links for the reviewed date roles. Estimated dates may change.

Assumed weekend: **Saturday and Sunday**, plus the listed public holidays. This is a planning assumption, not a universal legal workweek. Employer schedules may differ.

BREAK	HOLIDAY / PLANNING STATUS
3 consecutive days 2 Jan 2026 – 4 Jan 2026	Winter Solstice Source review may be pending
3 consecutive days 17 Jan 2026 – 19 Jan 2026	Traditional Day of Offering Source review may be pending
3 consecutive days 21 Feb 2026 – 23 Feb 2026	Birth Anniversary of His Majesty the King Source review may be pending

Check before booking

Bank, office and school coverage is incomplete; an unmarked institution is not necessarily open. Optional-holiday coverage has not been established. Confirm the applicable notice and your employer's schedule before arranging leave.

Your planning notes

Calendar and individual holiday guides:
<https://officepublicholidays.com/bhutan-public-holidays-2026/>

Official sources and date status

Recorded confirmation and independent source review are shown separately. An institution-specific notice does not establish closure for every employer or school.

www.moha.gov.bt

Official holiday calendar or legal framework

Confirmed · Scope: public · Checked 2026-10-01

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