

2026 HOLIDAY PLANNER

# Democratic Republic of the Congo

9 holiday entries across 9 dates | 0 estimated / awaiting confirmation  
9 stored date rows. Separate holidays sharing a date retain their own entries.

| DATE / WEEKDAY     | PUBLIC HOLIDAY / RECORDED STATUS                          |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
| 1 Jan<br>Thursday  | New Year's Day<br>Confirmed — source checked              |
| 4 Jan<br>Sunday    | Martyrs of Independence Day<br>Confirmed — source checked |
| 16 Jan<br>Friday   | Laurent Kabila Heroes Day<br>Confirmed — source checked   |
| 17 Jan<br>Saturday | Patrice Lumumba Heroes Day<br>Confirmed — source checked  |
| 6 Apr<br>Monday    | Kimbangu Day<br>Confirmed — source checked                |
| 1 May<br>Friday    | Labour Day<br>Confirmed — source checked                  |
| 17 May<br>Sunday   | Liberation Day<br>Confirmed — source checked              |
| 30 Jun<br>Tuesday  | Independence Day<br>Confirmed — source checked            |
| 1 Aug<br>Saturday  | Parents' Day<br>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                                                             |
|--------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>3 consecutive days</b><br>16 Jan 2026 – 18 Jan 2026 | Laurent Kabila Heroes Day, Patrice Lumumba Heroes Day<br>Source review may be pending |
| <b>3 consecutive days</b><br>4 Apr 2026 – 6 Apr 2026   | Kimbangu Day<br>Source review may be pending                                          |
| <b>3 consecutive days</b><br>1 May 2026 – 3 May 2026   | Labour Day<br>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/democratic-republic-of-the-congo-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.

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Official holiday calendar or legal framework

Confirmed · Scope: public · Checked 2026-09-30

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This planner preserves the calendar's recorded statuses. Historical context and institution-specific evidence do not independently confirm every public-holiday date. A checked date below a source is the evidence

review date, not a new verification performed when downloading.

Generated 30 September 2026. Check the online calendar for subsequent updates.

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