

**Embassy of India
Abu Dhabi**

No. Abu/Admn/602/1/2021

August 24, 2022

Subject : List of Holidays to be observed in Embassy of India, Abu Dhabi & Consulate General of India, Dubai during the year 2023.

SI No.	Holiday	Date	Day of Week
1.	Republic Day	January 26	Thursday
2.	Holi	March 08	Wednesday
3.	Good Friday	April 07	Friday
4.	Idu'l Fitr *	April 22	Saturday
5.	Budha Purnima	May 05	Friday
6.	Id-ul-Zuha(Bakrid) *	June 29	Thursday
7.	Muharram *	July 19	Wednesday
8.	Independence Day	August, 15	Tuesday
9.	Janamashtami	September 07	Thursday
10.	Milad-un-Nabi or Id-e-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammad)	September 29	Thursday
11.	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	October 02	Monday
12.	Mahanavmi	October 23	Monday
13.	Dussehra	October 24	Tuesday
14.	Diwali (Deepavali)	November 12	Sunday
15.	Guru Nanak's Birthday	November 27	Monday
16.	UAE's Commemoration Day	December 01	Friday
17.	Christmas Day	December, 25	Monday

* Subject to announcement of the local Government.

2. In addition to the above, India-based officers/officials can avail of 2 (two) Restricted Holidays out of the attached list of Restricted Holidays.


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1. GA Section, Ministry of External Affairs, JNB, New Delhi
2. Gulf Division/CR/DB Section, MEA, South Block, New Delhi
3. Consulate General of India, Dubai
4. All Missions/Posts abroad.
5. Government of India Tourist Office, Dubai, UAE
6. BLS International Services Ltd / IVS Global, UAE