



2024 Global Holidays

This is Sterling's global list of public and national holidays that could impact our clients and candidates around the world. Please note the list may exclude some local and statewide holidays.

In observance of these holidays, some courthouses, schools, businesses, and governments will close. As a result, criminal searches, drug and health testing, and verifications with external dependencies are expected to be delayed. We recommend candidates and employees scheduled for drug and/or health services call their selected testing site to verify hours of operation as some providers have modified hours.

Holidays	2024 Date	Country/Region
New Year's Day	Monday, January 1, 2024	Observed in many countries
Day After New Year's Day	Tuesday, January 2, 2024	Observed in many countries
Epiphany	Saturday, January 6, 2024	Observed in many countries
Three Kings Day (Día de los Reyes Magos)	Monday, January 8, 2024	Colombia
Martin Luther King, Jr's Birthday	Monday, January 15, 2024	US Federal Holiday
Saint Sebastian Day (Dia de São Sebastião)	Saturday, January 20, 2024	Municipal holiday - celebrated in the city of Rio de Janeiro (Brazil)
Australia Day	Friday, January 26, 2024	Australia
Indian Republic Day	Friday, January 26, 2024	India
Constitution Day (Día de la Constitución)	Monday, February 5, 2024	Mexico
First – Third day of Lunar New Year	Saturday, February 10, 2024 – Monday, February 12, 2024	Hong Kong
Chinese New Year	Saturday, February 10, 2024 – Monday, February 12, 2024	Singapore
Chinese New Year	Saturday, February 10, 2024 – Saturday, February 17, 2024	China, Hong Kong and Macau
Carnival and Ash Wednesday	Monday, February 12, 2024 – Wednesday, February 14, 2024	Observed in many countries in Africa, Asia and Latin America
President's Day/Washington's Birthday	Monday, February 19, 2024	US Federal Holiday
Family Day	Monday, February 19, 2024	Canada
Benito Juarez Birthday	Monday, March 18, 2024	Mexico (moved from the exact date, which is Thursday, March 21)
Holy Week	Sunday, March 24 – Saturday, March 30, 2024	Observed in many counties throughout Latin America
Saint Joseph Day (Día de San José)	Monday, March 25, 2024	Colombia
Good Thursday (Jueves Santo)	Thursday, March 28, 2024	Colombia
Good Friday	Friday, March 29, 2024	Observed in many countries

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Day after Good Friday	Saturday, March 30, 2024	Hong Kong
Easter Monday	Monday, April 1, 2024	Observed in many countries
Ching Ming Festival	Thursday, April 4, 2024	China, Hong Kong
Birthday of the Buddha	Monday, April 8, 2024	Hong Kong
Hari Raya Puasa	Wednesday, April 10, 2024	Malaysia and Singapore
Tiradentes	Sunday, April 21, 2024	Brazil
Saint George Day (Dia de São Jorge)	Tuesday, April 23, 2024	State holiday in Rio de Janeiro (Brazil)
Anzac Day	Thursday, April 25, 2024	Australia
Golden Week	Monday, April 29, 2024 – Monday, May 6, 2024	Japan
Labour Day	Wednesday, May 1, 2024 – Sunday, May 5, 2024	China
Labour Day	Wednesday, May 1, 2024	Brazil, Colombia and Mexico
May Day / Labour Day	Monday, May 6, 2024	Celebrated in many countries throughout the world
Ascension Day (Día de la Ascensión)	Monday, May 13, 2024	Colombia
Victoria Day	Monday, May 20, 2024	Canada
Vesak Day	Thursday, May 23, 2024	Singapore
Spring Bank Holiday	Monday, May 27, 2024	United Kingdom
Memorial Day	Monday, May 27, 2024	US Federal Holiday
Corpus Christi	Thursday, May 30, 2024	Brazil
Yang Dipertuan Agong's Birthday	Monday, June 3, 2024	Malaysia
Corpus Christi	Monday, June 3, 2024	Colombia
Holy Heart Day (Día del Sagrado Corazón)	Monday, June 10, 2024	Colombia
King's Birthday	Monday, June 10, 2024	Australia
Dragon Boat Festival	Monday, June 10, 2024	China, Hong Kong, Macau, Singapore and Taiwan
Tuen Ng Festival	Monday, June 10, 2024 –	China and Hong Kong
Eid al-Adha or Hari Raya Haji	Saturday, June 15 and Tuesday, June 18, 2024	Celebrate in various countries throughout Africa and Asia
Hari Raya Haji	Monday, June 17, 2024	Celebrate in various countries throughout Africa and Asia
Juneteenth	Wednesday, June 19, 2024	US Federal Holiday
Saint-Jean-Baptiste Day	Monday, June 24, 2024	Canada (Quebec)
Saint Peter and Saint Paul Day (Día de San Pedro y San Pablo)	Monday, July 1, 2024	Colombia
Canada Day	Monday, July 1, 2024	Canada
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Establishment Day	Monday, July 1, 2024	Hong Kong
Independence Day	Thursday, Jul 4, 2024	US Federal Holiday

Holidays Continued	2024 Date	Country/Region
Awal Muharram	Saturday, July 6, 2024 – Sunday, July 7, 2024	Countries observing Muslim holidays
Independence Day	Saturday, July 20, 2024	Colombia
Civic Holiday	Monday, August 5, 2024	Canada
Battle of Boyacá	Wednesday, August 7, 2024	Colombia
National Day	Friday, August 9, 2024	Singapore
Independence Day	Thursday, August 15, 2024	India
Assumption Day	Thursday, August 15, 2024	Europe, South America, Caribbean, and Africa
Assumption of Virgin Mary (Asunción de la Virgen)	Monday, August 19, 2024	Colombia
Summer Bank Holiday	Monday, August 26, 2024	United Kingdom
National Day	Saturday, August 31, 2024	Malaysia
Labor Day	Monday, September 2, 2024	US and Canadian Federal Holiday
Independence Day	Saturday, September 7, 2024	Brazil
Chinese Mid-Autumn Festival & National Day	Sunday, September 15, 2024 – Tuesday, September 17, 2024	China
Malaysia Day	Monday, September 16, 2024	Malaysia
Independence Day	Monday, September 16, 2024	México
Day following the Chinese Mid-Autumn Festival	Wednesday, September 18, 2024	Hong Kong
National Day of Truth and Reconciliation	Monday, September 30, 2024	Canada
Federal Executive Power Transfer Day (Día de la Transmisión del Poder Ejecutivo Federal)	Tuesday, October 1, 2024	Mexico
National Day/Golden Week	Tuesday, October 1, 2024 – Monday, October 7, 2024	China, Hong Kong, and Macau
Labour Day	Monday, October 7, 2024	Australia
Chung Yeung Festival	Friday, October 11, 2024	Hong Kong
Our Lady Aparecida (Nossa Senhora Aparecida)	Saturday, October 12, 2024	Brazil
Dussehra	Saturday, October 12, 2024 – Sunday, October 13, 2024	India and Nepal
Columbus Day (Día de la Raza)	Monday, October 14, 2024	Colombia
Canadian Thanksgiving Day	Monday, October 14, 2024	Canada
National Indigenous People Day	Monday, October 14, 2024	US Federal Holiday
Trade Union Category Day	Monday, October 21, 2024	Brazil



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Diwali	Thursday, October 31, 2024 – Friday, November 1, 2024	Fiji, Guyana, India, Malaysia, Mauritius, Myanmar, Singapore, Sri Lanka Suriname, Tobago, Trinidad,
Day of the dead (Finados)	Saturday, November 2, 2024	Brazil
All Saints' Day (Día de todos los santos)	Monday, November 4, 2024	Colombia
Melbourne Cup	Tuesday, November 5, 2024	Australia (Victoria)
Cartagena's Independence Day	Monday, November 11, 2024	Colombia
International Remembrance Day/Int'l Armistice Day	Monday, November 11, 2024	Europe and Americas
Veterans Day	Monday, November 11, 2024	US Federal Holiday
Republic Proclamation Day	Friday, November 15, 2024	Brazil
Mexican Revolution Day	Monday, November 18, 2024	Mexico (moved from the exact date, which is Wednesday, November 20)
Black Conscience Day	Wednesday, November 20, 2024	Rio de Janeiro (Brazil)
Thanksgiving Day	Thursday, November 28, 2024	US Federal Holiday
Immaculate Conception Day (Día de la Inmaculada Concepción)	Sunday, December 8, 2024	Colombia
Sultan of Selangor's Birthday	Wednesday, December 11, 2024	Malaysia
Christmas Day	Wednesday, December 25, 2024	Observed in many countries
Boxing Day	Thursday, December 26, 2024	United Kingdom, Canada, Hong Kong, Australia

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