



United States Legal Federal Holidays 2010 and 2011

Federal Legal Holidays 2010

- **January 1, 2010** (Friday): New Year's Day [Jan. 1 every year]
- **January 18, 2010** (Monday): Martin Luther King Day [3rd Monday in Jan]
- **February 15, 2010** (Monday): Presidents Day (observed) [3rd Monday in Feb]
note: Presidents Day is also Washington's Birthday (observed)
- **May 31, 2010** (Monday): Memorial Day (observed) [last Monday in May]
- **July 4, 2010** (Sunday): Independence Day [July 4th every year]
July 5, 2010 (Monday): federal employees extra day off for July 4th
- **September 6, 2010** (Monday): Labor Day [1st Monday in Sept]
- **October 11, 2010** (Monday): Columbus Day (observed) [2nd Monday in Oct]
- **November 11, 2010** (Thursday): Veterans' Day [Nov. 11 every year]
- **November 25, 2010** (Thursday): Thanksgiving Day [4th Thursday in Nov]
December 24, 2010 (Friday): federal employees extra day off for Christmas
- **December 25, 2010** (Saturday): Christmas Day [Dec. 25 every year]

Federal Legal Holidays 2011

- **January 1, 2011** (Saturday): New Year's Day [Jan. 1 every year]
- **January 17, 2011** (Monday): Martin Luther King Day [3rd Monday in Jan]
- **February 21, 2011** (Monday): Presidents Day (observed) [3rd Monday in Feb]
note: Presidents Day is also Washington's Birthday (observed)
- **May 30, 2011** (Monday): Memorial Day (observed) [last Monday in May]
- **July 4, 2011** (Monday): Independence Day [July 4th every year]
- **September 5, 2011** (Monday): Labor Day [1st Monday in Sept]
- **October 10, 2011** (Monday): Columbus Day (observed) [2nd Monday in Oct]
- **November 11, 2011** (Friday): Veterans' Day [Nov. 11 every year]
- **November 24, 2011** (Thursday): Thanksgiving Day [4th Thursday in Nov]
- **December 25, 2011** (Sunday): Christmas Day [Dec. 25 every year]
December 26, 2011 (Monday): federal employees extra day off for Christmas

Extra Federal Holiday every 4th year: Inauguration Day - next on January 21, 2013. It happens on Jan 20th after the U.S. Presidential Election, held every 4 years. Since January 20th in 2013 is on a Sunday, observance is on Monday, Jan 21st.

Be Aware if a federal public holiday falls on a Saturday or Sunday.

Sometimes ... many Federal, State, City, Postal, and Bank employees, other workers take an extra day off work. When a holiday falls on Saturday, they might not work on the preceding Friday. When a holiday falls on Sunday, they might not work on the following Monday. See July 4th and Christmas in 2010 above.