

Name	Date	Remarks
New Year's Day (元日 Ganjitsu)	January 1	This national holiday was established in 1948, as a day to celebrate the new year.
Coming of Age Day (成人の日 Seijin no Hi)	Second Monday of January	This national holiday was established in 1948 as a day to congratulate and encourage people who have reached the age of maturity (20) during the year.
National Foundation Day (建国記念の日 Kenkoku Kinen no Hi)	February 11	This national holiday was established in 1966 (and first held in 1967) as a day to reflect on the establishment of the nation and to nurture a love for the country.
The Emperor's Birthday (天皇誕生日 Tennō Tanjōbi) (pending)	February 23 (pending)	<i>Pending: This national holiday is currently celebrated on December 23 (the day that Emperor Akihito was born on in 1933).</i>
Vernal Equinox Day (春分の日 Shunbun no Hi)	Around March 20	This national holiday was established in 1948 as a day for the admiration of nature and the love of living things.
Shōwa Day (昭和の日 Shōwa no Hi)	April 29	This national holiday was established in 2007 as a day to reflect on the events of the Shōwa period.
Constitution Memorial Day (憲法記念日 Kenpō Kinenbi)	May 3	This national holiday was established in 1948, to commemorate the day on which Japan's postwar constitution took effect.
Greenery Day (みどりの日 Midori no Hi)	May 4	This national holiday is celebrated as a day to commune with nature and be grateful for its blessings.
Children's Day (こどもの日 Kodomo no Hi)	May 5	This national holiday was established in 1948, as a day on which to esteem the personalities of children and plan for their happiness.
Marine Day (海の日 Umi no Hi)	Third Monday of July	This national holiday was established in 1995 (and first held in 1996) as a day of gratitude for the blessings of the oceans and for hoping for the prosperity of the maritime nation that is Japan.
Mountain Day (山の日 Yama no Hi)	August 11	This national holiday was established in 2014 (and first held in 2016), as a day on which to appreciate Japan's mountains.
Respect for the Aged Day (敬老の日 Keirō no Hi)	Third Monday of September	This national holiday was established in 1966 as a day to respect the elderly and celebrate long life.
Autumnal Equinox Day (秋分の日 Shūbun no Hi)	Around September 23	This national holiday was established in 1948 as a day on which to honor one's ancestors and remember the dead.
Health and Sports Day (体育の日 Taiiku no Hi)	Second Monday of October	This national holiday was established in 1966 as a day on which to enjoy sports and cultivate a healthy mind and body.
Culture Day (文化の日 Bunka no Hi)	November 3	This national holiday was established in 1948. It commemorates the November 3, 1946 announcement of the Constitution.
Labour Thanksgiving Day (勤労感謝の日 Kinrō Kansha no Hi)	November 23	This national holiday was established in 1948 as an occasion for praising labor, celebrating production and giving one another thanks.
The Emperor's Birthday (天皇誕生日 Tennō Tanjōbi)	December 23	The birthday of the reigning emperor has been a national holiday since 1868.
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