Australia Holidays 2026

National public holidays and state and territory holidays. "Where" lists the states and territories that observe each day.

Date	Day	Holiday	Observed	Where
Jan 1, 2026	Thursday	New Year's Day	—	Nationwide
Jan 7, 2026	Wednesday	Devonport Cup	—	TAS
Jan 26, 2026	Monday	Australia Day	—	Nationwide
Feb 9, 2026	Monday	Royal Hobart Regatta	—	TAS
Feb 25, 2026	Wednesday	Launceston Cup	—	TAS
Mar 2, 2026	Monday	Labour Day	—	WA
Mar 3, 2026	Tuesday	King Island Show	—	TAS
Mar 9, 2026	Monday	Adelaide Cup Day	—	SA
Mar 9, 2026	Monday	Canberra Day	—	ACT
Mar 9, 2026	Monday	Eight Hours Day	—	TAS
Mar 9, 2026	Monday	Labour Day	—	VIC
Apr 3, 2026	Friday	Good Friday	—	Nationwide
Apr 4, 2026	Saturday	Easter Saturday	—	ACT, NSW, NT,…
Apr 5, 2026	Sunday	Easter Sunday	—	ACT, NSW, NT,…
Apr 6, 2026	Monday	Easter Monday	—	Nationwide
Apr 7, 2026	Tuesday	Easter Tuesday	—	TAS
Apr 25, 2026	Saturday	Anzac Day	—	NSW, SA, TAS,…
Apr 25, 2026	Saturday	Anzac Day	—	ACT, NT, QLD
Apr 25, 2026	Saturday	Anzac Day	Mon, Apr 27	WA
Apr 27, 2026	Monday	Anzac Day Additional Public Holiday	—	NSW
May 4, 2026	Monday	Labour Day	—	QLD
May 4, 2026	Monday	May Day	—	NT
May 8, 2026	Friday	Agfest	—	TAS
Jun 1, 2026	Monday	Reconciliation Day	—	ACT
Jun 1, 2026	Monday	Western Australia Day	—	WA
Jun 8, 2026	Monday	King's Birthday	—	ACT, NSW, NT,…
Jul 3, 2026	Friday	Alice Springs Show Day	—	NT
Jul 10, 2026	Friday	Tennant Creek Show Day	—	NT
Jul 17, 2026	Friday	Katherine Show Day	—	NT
Jul 24, 2026	Friday	Darwin Show Day	—	NT
Aug 3, 2026	Monday	Bank Holiday	—	NSW
Aug 3, 2026	Monday	Picnic Day	—	NT
Aug 12, 2026	Wednesday	Royal Queensland Show Day (Brisbane)	—	QLD
Aug 14, 2026	Friday	Borroloola Show Day	—	NT
Sep 25, 2026	Friday	Friday before the AFL Grand Final	—	VIC
Sep 28, 2026	Monday	King's Birthday	—	WA
Oct 2, 2026	Friday	Burnie Show	—	TAS
Oct 5, 2026	Monday	King's Birthday	—	QLD

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Oct 5, 2026	Monday	Labour Day	—	ACT, NSW, SA
Oct 8, 2026	Thursday	Royal Launceston Show	—	TAS
Oct 16, 2026	Friday	Flinders Island Show	—	TAS
Oct 22, 2026	Thursday	Royal Hobart Show	—	TAS
Nov 2, 2026	Monday	Recreation Day	—	TAS
Nov 3, 2026	Tuesday	Melbourne Cup Day	—	VIC
Nov 27, 2026	Friday	Devonport Show	—	TAS
Dec 24, 2026	Thursday	Christmas Eve (part-day, 6pm to mid…	—	QLD
Dec 24, 2026	Thursday	Christmas Eve (part-day, 7pm to mid…	—	NT, SA
Dec 25, 2026	Friday	Christmas Day	—	Nationwide
Dec 26, 2026	Saturday	Boxing Day	Mon, Dec 28	ACT, NSW, NT,…
Dec 26, 2026	Saturday	Proclamation Day	Mon, Dec 28	SA
Dec 31, 2026	Thursday	New Year's Eve (part-day, 7pm to mi…	—	NT, SA

Observed = the weekday on which offices close when the holiday falls on a weekend. Dates for years beyond officially published schedules are projected from the governing rule. Generated November 2, 2026 from https://holidaytake.com/.