

## **Mauritius Public Holidays for 2012**

<b>New Year</b>	<b>Sunday 1 January</b>
<b>New Year</b>	<b>Monday 2 January</b>
<b>Chinese Spring Festival</b>	<b>Monday 23 January</b>
<b>Abolition of Slavery</b>	<b>Wednesday 1 February</b>
<b>Thaipoozam Cavadee</b>	<b>Tuesday 7 February</b>
<b>Maha Shivaratree</b>	<b>Monday 20 February</b>
<b>National Day</b>	<b>Monday 12 March</b>
<b>Ougadi</b>	<b>Friday 23 March</b>
<b>Labour Day</b>	<b>Tuesday 1 May</b>
<b>Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>	<b>Wednesday 15 August</b>
<b>Eid-UI-Fitr*</b>	<b>Sunday 19 August</b>
<b>Ganesh Chaturthi</b>	<b>Thursday 20 September</b>
<b>Arrival of Indentured Labourers</b>	<b>Friday 2 November</b>
<b>Divali</b>	<b>Tuesday 13 November</b>
<b>Christmas</b>	<b>Tuesday 25 December</b>

\*The exact date of this festival is subject to confirmation as its celebration depends on the visibility of the moon.

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