

SRI LANKA DESK CALENDAR - 2026

(BUDDHIST ERA 2569 – 2570)

Let's
Unite and
Build
a New Country!

| JANUARY | | | | | | |
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| Date | Phase of the moon | Time |
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| 03 | ○ | 15 32 |
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| FEBRUARY | | | | | | |
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| MARCH | | | | | | |
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| 11 | ☾ | 15 08 |
| 19 | ● | 06 53 |
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| APRIL | | | | | | |
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| 10 | ☾ | 10 21 |
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| 24 | ☾ | 08 01 |

PUBLIC, BANK, MERCANTILE AND FULL MOON POYA HOLIDAYS – 2026

(Subject to Variation)

| | | | | |
|-----------|----|-----------|---|------------------------------------------------|
| January | 03 | Saturday | – | Duruthu Full Moon Poya Day*† |
| January | 15 | Thursday | – | Tamil Thai Pongal Day*†† |
| February | 01 | Sunday | – | Nawam Full Moon Poya Day*† |
| February | 04 | Wednesday | – | Independence Day*†† |
| February | 15 | Sunday | – | Maha Sivarathri Day*† |
| March | 02 | Monday | – | Medin Full Moon Poya Day*† |
| March | 21 | Saturday | – | Id-UL-Fitr (Ramazan Festival Day)*† |
| April | 01 | Wednesday | – | Bak Full Moon Poya Day*† |
| April | 03 | Friday | – | Good Friday*† |
| April | 13 | Monday | – | Day Prior to Sinhala and Tamil New Year Day*†† |
| April | 14 | Tuesday | – | Sinhala and Tamil New Year Day*†† |
| May | 01 | Friday | – | Vesak Full Moon Poya Day*† |
| May | 01 | Friday | – | May Day (International Workers' Day)*†† |
| May | 02 | Saturday | – | Day Following Vesak Full Moon Poya Day*†† |
| May | 28 | Thursday | – | Id-UL-Alha (Hadji Festival Day)*† |
| May | 30 | Saturday | – | Adhi Poson Full Moon Poya Day*† |
| June | 29 | Monday | – | Poson Full Moon Poya Day*† |
| July | 29 | Wednesday | – | Esala Full Moon Poya Day*† |
| August | 26 | Wednesday | – | Milad-Un-Nabi (Holy Prophet's Birthday)*†† |
| August | 27 | Thursday | – | Nikini Full Moon Poya Day*† |
| September | 26 | Saturday | – | Binara Full Moon Poya Day*† |
| October | 25 | Sunday | – | Vap Full Moon Poya Day*† |
| November | 08 | Sunday | – | Deepavali Festival Day*† |
| November | 24 | Tuesday | – | Il Full Moon Poya Day*† |
| December | 23 | Wednesday | – | Unduvap Full Moon Poya Day*† |
| December | 25 | Friday | – | Christmas Day*†† |

* Public Holidays † Bank Holidays †† Mercantile Holidays

All Saturdays and Sundays are Bank Holidays.

* The above Public Holidays are also applicable to the Postal, Customs and Meteorological Departments. Changes in Public Holidays will be announced by Notification in the Government Gazette.

● Full Moon Poya Holidays approved by the Poya Committee. These days are common Holidays applicable to all employees.

☐ Public Holidays

● New Moon ☾ First Quarter ○ Full Moon ☾ Last Quarter

N.B. – It is hereby notified for general information that the Public and Bank Holidays and Full Moon Poya Days for the Year 2026 given in this Calendar have been approved by the Hon. Minister of Public Administration, Home Affairs, Provincial Councils and Local Government under the Holidays Act.

All times given here are Sri Lanka Standard Time which is 5 1/2 hours ahead of Greenwich Mean Time.

| MAY | | | | | | |
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| Date | Phase of the moon | Time |
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| 01 | ○ | 22 53 |
| 10 | ☾ | 02 40 |
| 17 | ● | 01 31 |
| 23 | ☾ | 16 40 |
| 31 | ○ | 14 15 |

| JUNE | | | | | | |
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| 08 | ☾ | 15 30 |
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| 30 | ○ | 05 26 |

| JULY | | | | | | |
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| 08 | ☾ | 00 59 |
| 14 | ● | 15 13 |
| 21 | ☾ | 16 35 |
| 29 | ○ | 20 05 |

| AUGUST | | | | | | |
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| 06 | ☾ | 07 51 |
| 12 | ● | 23 06 |
| 20 | ☾ | 08 16 |
| 28 | ○ | 09 48 |

| SEPTEMBER | | | | | | |
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| 04 | ☾ | 13 21 |
| 11 | ● | 08 57 |
| 19 | ☾ | 02 13 |
| 26 | ○ | 22 19 |

| OCTOBER | | | | | | |
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| 03 | ☾ | 18 55 |
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| 18 | ☾ | 21 42 |
| 26 | ○ | 09 41 |

| NOVEMBER | | | | | | |
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| Date | Phase of the moon | Time |
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| 02 | ☾ | 01 58 |
| 09 | ● | 12 32 |
| 17 | ☾ | 17 17 |
| 24 | ○ | 20 23 |

| DECEMBER | | | | | | |
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| Date | Phase of the moon | Time |
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| 01 | ☾ | 11 38 |
| 09 | ● | 06 21 |
| 17 | ☾ | 11 12 |
| 24 | ☾ | 06 58 |
| 31 | ○ | 00 29 |

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