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JANUARY 2021

HOLIDAYS (PUBLIC/ R.H.)
Makar Sankranti / Pongal - Jan 14
Republic Day - Jan 26
New Year’s Day - Jan 01
Lohri - Jan 13
Guru Govind Singh’s Birthday - Jan 20

02
FEBRUARY 2021
Mudhuban Beach at Port Blair
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HOLIDAYS (PUBLIC/ R.H.)
Basant Panchami/ Sri Panchami - Feb 16
Shivaji Jayanti - Feb 19
Hazarat Ali’s Birthday - Feb 26
Guru Ravidas’s Birthday - Feb 27

03 MARCH - 2021

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MARCH 2021

Lapat Beach at Nancowrie
Photo By : Abhishek Dev, IAS

HOLIDAYS (PUBLIC/ R.H.)
Holi - Mar 29
Swami Dayanand Saraswati Jayanti - Mar 08
Maha Shivaratri - Mar 11
Holika Dahan/ Dolyatra - Mar 28

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APRIL - 2021

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Bharatpur Beach at Shaheed Dweep
Photo By : Murly Krishna, Dte of IP&T

HOLIDAYS (PUBLIC/ R.H.)
Good Friday - Apr 02
Easter Sunday - Apr 04
Chaitra Sukladi/ Gudi Padava/ Ugadi/ Cheti Chand/ Vaisakhi/ Vishu - Apr 13
Mesadi Tamil New Year’s Day - Apr 14
Vaisakhadi (Bengal) / Bahag Bihu (Assam) - Apr 15
Ram Navami - Apr 21
Mahavir Jayanti - Apr 25
Sunset view at Wandoor
Photo By: G.V. Sumesh

HOLIDAYS (PUBLIC/ R.H.)
*Id-ul-Fitr - May 14
Buddha Purnima - May 26
Jamat Ul- Vida - May 07
Guru Rabindranath’s Birthday - May 09

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Ariel View of Cinque Island
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HOLIDAYS (PUBLIC/ R.H.)
* Id-ul Zuha (Bakrid) - Jul 21
Rath Yatra - Jul 12

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**Sunset View at Chidiyatapu**  
Photo By: Jatin Goyal, DANICS

**HOLIDAYS (PUBLIC/R.H.)**
- Independence Day - **Aug 15**
- *Muharram* - **Aug 19**
- Onam or Thiru Onam Day - **Aug 21**
- Parsi New Year’s Day/ Nauraj - **Aug 16**
- Raksha Bandhan - **Aug 22**
- Janmashtami (Smarta) - **Aug 30**

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Chelonia Mydas - Green Turtle
Photo By: ZSI

HOLIDAYS (PUBLIC/ R.H.)
Vinayaka Chaturthi/ Ganesh Chaturthi - Sep 10

10 OCTOBER - 2021
Ariel view of Teresa & Bambooka Islands

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NOVEMBER 2021

Ariel view of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Island

HOLIDAYS (PUBLIC/ R.H.)
Diwali (Deepavali) - Nov 04
Guru Nanak’s Birthday - Nov 19
Naraka Chaturdasi - Nov 03
Govardhan Puja - Nov 05
Bhai Duj - Nov 06
Pratihar Sashthi or Surya Sashthi (Chhat Puja) - Nov 10
Guru Teg Bahadur’s Martyrdom Day - Nov 24

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DECEMBER - 2021
Sunset at Galathia Beach at Great Nicobar Island
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HOLIDAYS (PUBLIC/ R.H.)
Christmas Day - Dec 25
Christmas Eve - Dec 24
First flag hoisting of Independent India by Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose - Dec 30