

Holidays and public holidays

Public holidays and vacations in France

When are the French on vacation?

National holidays in France

		2020	2021
New Year's Day	Jour de l'an	1er janvier	1er janvier
Easter Sunday	Dimanche de Pâques	12 avril	4 avril
Easter Monday	Lundi de Pâques	13 avril	5 avril
Public Holiday	Fête du Travail	1er mai	1er mai
Victoire des Alliés 1945	Victory of the Allies 1945	8 mai	8 mai
Ascension	Ascension	21 mai	13 mai
Pentecôte	Pentecôte	1er juin	24 mai
National Day	Fête nationale	14 juillet	14 juillet
Assomption	Assomption	15 août	15 août
Toussaint	Toussaint	1er novembre	1er novembre
Armistice	Armistice	11 novembre	11 novembre
Christmas Day	Noël	25 décembre	25 décembre

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School holidays in France are divided into **5 periods**.

Be careful if you wish to leave during these dates, make your **reservations very early**, the **tourist sites are very popular**.

School holidays in zone A: Academies of Besançon, Bordeaux, Clermont-Ferrand, Dijon, Grenoble, Limoges, Lyon and Poitiers.

In 2020 and 2021

Summer holidays: July 4 to September 1, 2020

All Saints' Day Holidays: October 17 to November 2, 2020

Christmas Holidays: December 19 to January 4, 2021

Winter Holidays: February 6 to February 22, 2021

Spring Break: April 10 to April 26, 2021

Ascension Bridge: May 12 to May 17, 2021

Summer vacation: July 6, 2021

**School holidays in Zone B: Academies of Aix-Marseille Academy, Amiens, Caen, Lille, Nancy-Metz, Nantes, Nice, Orléans-Tours.
In 2020 and 2021**

Summer holidays: July 4 to September 1, 2020

All Saints' Day Holidays: October 17 to November 2, 2020

Christmas Holidays: December 19 to January 4, 2021

Winter vacation: February 20 to March 8, 2021

Spring break: April 24 to May 10, 2021

Pont de l'asension: May 12 to May 17, 2021

Summer vacation: July 6, 2021

School holidays in Zone C : Academies of Créteil, Montpellier, Paris, Toulouse et Versailles

Summer holidays: July 4 to September 1

All Saints' Day Holidays: October 17 to November 2, 2020

Christmas Holidays: December 19 to January 4, 2021

Winter vacation: February 13 to March 1, 2021

Spring break: April 17 to May 3, 2021

Pont de l'asension: May 12 to May 17, 2021

Summer vacation: July 6, 2021