

General holidays for 2019 published

The following list of general holidays for 2019 was gazetted today (May 11) for public information:

Every Sunday		Sunday
The first day of January	January 1	Tuesday
Lunar New Year's Day	February 5	Tuesday
The second day of Lunar New Year	February 6	Wednesday
The third day of Lunar New Year	February 7	Thursday
Ching Ming Festival	April 5	Friday
Good Friday	April 19	Friday
The day following Good Friday	April 20	Saturday
Easter Monday	April 22	Monday
Labour Day	May 1	Wednesday
The day following the Birthday of the Buddha	May 13	Monday
Tuen Ng Festival	June 7	Friday
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region Establishment Day	July 1	Monday
The day following the Chinese Mid-Autumn Festival	September 14	Saturday
National Day	October 1	Tuesday
Chung Yeung Festival	October 7	Monday
Christmas Day	December 25	Wednesday
The first weekday after Christmas Day	December 26	Thursday

"As the Birthday of the Buddha in 2019 falls on a Sunday, the day following it is designated as a general holiday in substitution," a Government spokesman said.