

2026 Democratic Republic of the Congo Holidays

New Year's Day

January 1, 2026
Thursday

Day of the Martyrs

January 4, 2026
Sunday

**Day of the Martyrs
(substitute day)**

January 5, 2026
Monday

**Anniversary of President
Laurent Kabila**

January 16, 2026
Friday

**Anniversary of Prime
Minister Patrice Emery
Lumumba**

January 17, 2026
Saturday

Labour Day

May 1, 2026
Friday

Liberation Day

May 17, 2026
Sunday

**Liberation Day
(substitute day)**

May 18, 2026
Monday

Independence Day

June 30, 2026
Tuesday

Parents' Day

August 1, 2026
Saturday

Christmas Day

December 25, 2026
Friday