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Calendar grids for months: JANUARY 2021, FEBRUARY 2021, MARCH 2021, APRIL 2021, MAY 2021, JUNE 2021, JULY 2021, AUGUST 2021, SEPTEMBER 2021, OCTOBER 2021, NOVEMBER 2021, DECEMBER 2021.

HINDU CALENDAR 2021

JANUARY 2021 (MAAGHA)
2 Saturday Chaturthi
8 Friday Ekadashi
10 Sunday Pradosh
14 Thursday MAKAR SANKRANTI
16 Saturday Chaturthi
19 Tuesday Panchak ends
24 Sunday Ekadashi
25 Monday Pradosh
28 Thursday Paush Purnima
31 Sunday Chaturthi

FEBRUARY 2021 (PHAALGUNA)
7 Sunday Ekadashi
8 Monday Pradosh
11 Thursday Panchak starts
15 Monday Chaturthi
16 Tuesday VASANT PANCHAMI
23 Tuesday Ekadashi
24 Wednesday Pradosh
26 Friday Magha Purnima

MARCH 2021 (CHAITRA)
2 Tuesday Chaturthi
8 Monday Ekadashi
10 Wednesday Panchak begins
11 Thursday MAHA SHIVARATRI
15 Monday Panchak ends
17 Wednesday Chaturthi
24 Wednesday Ekadashi
26 Friday Pradosh
27 Saturday HOLIKA DAHAN
28 Sunday Holi
31 Wednesday Chaturthi

APRIL 2021 (VAISHAAKHA)
6 Tuesday Panchak begins
7 Wednesday Ekadashi
8 Thursday Pradosh
11 Sunday Panchak ends
12 Monday NAURATRI BEGINS starts 10:30 pm Sun
15 Thursday Chaturthi
20 Tuesday Durga Astami
21 Wednesday RAM NAUMI
22 Thursday NAVRATRI ENDS at 3:05 pm Wed
23 Friday Vijay Dashmi
24 Saturday Ekadashi
26 Monday Pradosh
26 Monday HANUMAN JAYANTI
26 Monday Chaitra Purnima
29 Thursday Chaturthi

MAY 2021 (JYASHTHA)
4 Tuesday Panchak begins
6 Thursday Ekadashi
8 Saturday Pradosh
9 Sunday Panchak ends
15 Saturday Chaturthi
22 Saturday Ekadashi
23 Sunday Pradosh
26 Wednesday Vaishakha Purnima
Chandra Grahan
28 Friday Chaturthi
31 Monday Panchak begins

JUNE 2021 (AASHAADHA)
5 Saturday Panchak ends
7 Monday Ekadashi
10 Thursday Pradosh
14 Monday Surya Grahan
14 Monday Chaturthi
20 Sunday Ekadashi
22 Tuesday Pradosh
23 Wednesday Jyestha Purnima
continues into Thursday
27 Sunday Chaturthi
28 Monday Panchak begins

JULY 2021 (CHAITRA)
2 Friday Panchak ends
5 Monday Ekadashi
6 Tuesday Pradosh
13 Tuesday Chaturthi
20 Tuesday Ekadashi
21 Wednesday Pradosh
23 Friday Ashadha Purnima
GURU PURNIMA
25 Sunday Panchak begins
26 Monday Chaturthi
29 Thursday Panchak ends

AUGUST 2021 (BHAADRAPADA)
3 Tuesday Ekadashi
5 Thursday Pradosh
11 Wednesday Chaturthi
12 Thursday Naag Panchami
18 Wednesday Ekadashi
19 Thursday Pradosh
21 Saturday Shrawan Purnima
RAKSHA BANDAN
Panchak begins
25 Wednesday Chaturthi
26 Thursday Panchak ends
29 Sunday JANAMASTAMI (Smartha)
Astami from 1:35 pm Sun to 4:29 pm Mon
Jananastami (Vaisnavite -ISKCON)
Rohini from 9:09 pm Sun to 12:14 am Tue
30 Monday

SEPTEMBER 2021 (AASHWINA)
2 Thursday Ekadashi
4 Saturday Pradosh
10 Friday Chaturthi
GANESH UTSAV begins
16 Thursday Ekadashi
17 Friday Panchak begins
18 Saturday Pradosh
19 Sunday GANESH VISARJAN
Bhadrapada Purnima
20 Monday PITRI PAKSH BEGINS
at 7:54 pm Mon
21 Tuesday
22 Wednesday Panchak ends
24 Friday Chaturthi

OCTOBER 2021 (KAARTIKA)
2 Saturday Ekadashi
3 Sunday Pradosh
5 Tuesday Pitri Paksh ends
SARVA PITRI AMAWASYA
NAVRATRI BEGINS
6 Wednesday Chaturthi
9 Saturday DURGA ASTAMI
NAVRATRI ENDS continues into Thurs
Astami begins 12:17 pm Tues, ends 10:37 am Wed
Naumi begins 10:37 am Wed, ends 9:22 am Thurs
14 Thursday VIJAY DASAMI
15 Friday Panchak begins
16 Saturday Ekadashi
17 Sunday Pradosh
19 Tuesday Ashwin Purnima
Panchak ends
23 Saturday Chaturthi
31 Sunday Ekadashi

NOVEMBER 2021 (MAARGASHEERSHA)
2 Tuesday DHANWANTARI TRIODASHI
Pradosh
3 Wednesday NARAK CHATURDASHI
3 Wed/Thur DIVALI - continues into Thurs see note below
Amavasya starts 8:33 pm Wed ends 5:14 pm Thurs
4 Thursday GOBERDHAN PUJA starts 5:14 pm
5 Friday GOBERDHAN PUJA ends/
Bhatri Dooj begins
7 Sunday Chaturthi
11 Thursday Panchak starts
14 Sunday Ekadashi
15 Monday TULSI VIVAH
16 Tuesday Panchak ends
Pradosh
18 Thursday KARTIK PURNIMA - continues into Fri
KARTIK SNAAN
Purnima from 1:30 am Thurs to 3:36 pm Fri
19 Friday Chandra Grahan
22 Monday Chaturthi
30 Tuesday Ekadashi

DECEMBER 2021 (PAUSHA)
1 Wednesday Pradosh
4 Saturday Surya Grahan
7 Tuesday Chaturthi
8 Wednesday Panchak starts
13 Monday Panchak ends
14 Tuesday GITA JAYANTI
Ekadashi
15 Wednesday Pradosh
18 Saturday Margashisha Purnima
22 Wednesday Chaturthi
30 Thursday Ekadashi
31 Friday Pradosh

PRADOSH: The 13th lunar day of each fortnight is auspicious for the worship of Lord Shiva.
EKAADASHI: The 11th lunar day of each fortnight is dedicated to Lord Vishnu, devotees fast and abstain from eating rice and grain.
PURNIMA: Full moon day of each month is dedicated to Lord Vishnu and is observed by performing Satyanarayan puja (full moon katha).
PANACHAK: 5 nakshatras (constellations of stars) in every month are inauspicious for various activities.
MAKAR SANKRANTI: Sankranti occurs every month when the sun enters a new house of the zodiac.
GANESH CHATURTHI: The 4th lunar day of every fortnight is called Chaturthi, dedicated to Lord Ganesh.
KRISHNA JANAMASTAMI: The birth anniversary of Lord Krishna. Many times there are 2 days given for this festival.

day after. Strict Hindus will fast for the duration of both Astamiti and Rohini Nakshatra which often covers the two consecutive days.
5 DAYS OF DIVALI:
(1) Dhanwantari Triodashi, when the Yam Deep is lit occurs 2 lunar days (sometimes 1 or 2 solar days) before Divali.
(2) Narak Chaturdashi, the lunar day before Divali which marks the anniversary of Lord Krishna defeating Narakasur.
(3) Deepavali, when Latchmi puja is performed falls on Amaavasya (dark night) of the month of Kartik.
(4) Gobarshan Puja, the day after Deepavali commemorates Lord Krishna protecting the residents of Vraj by lifting the mountain with his finger.
(5) Bhatri Dooj, two lunar days after Deepavali where the bond within family members are celebrated.
GRAHAN: Solar and Lunar eclipses are known as Grahan. If the eclipse is visible at one's location, then for some time before (up to 12 hours) and for the duration of the eclipse the period is known as SUTAK - a period of inauspiciousness. One spends the time in fasting and prayer to alleviate the negative prevailing planetary influences during this period.

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