

MEMORANDUM

TO: All State Agencies
FROM: Governor Laura Kelly 
DATE: October 10, 2024
SUBJECT: Designated Holidays for 2024

The following are holidays for the state service in calendar year 2024.

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| New Year's Day | Monday, January 1, 2024 |
| Martin Luther King, Jr. Day | Monday, January 15, 2024 |
| Memorial Day | Monday, May 27, 2024 |
| Juneteenth National Independence Day | Wednesday, June 19, 2024 |
| Independence Day | Thursday, July 4, 2024 |
| Labor Day | Monday, September 2, 2024 |
| Veterans Day | Monday, November 11, 2024 |
| Thanksgiving Holiday | Thursday, November 28, 2024 |
| | Friday, November 29, 2024 |
| Christmas | Wednesday, December 25, 2024 |

Employees who are entitled to holidays should receive credit for these holidays in accordance with Kansas Administrative Regulation (K.A.R.) 1-9-2 and Office of Personnel Services Bulletin 05-03. Please note that, in accordance with their regular work schedules, employees will receive holiday credit for either the officially observed or legal holidays, but not both.

In addition to the holidays discussed above, I am authorizing a discretionary holiday for state employees, which is for observance of a holiday or other special day during pay periods attributable to calendar year 2024. Employees may use the 2024 discretionary holiday between Sunday, December 24, 2023, and Saturday, December 21, 2024.

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