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Holidays

2016 Holiday Schedule

Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution recognizes and provides holiday time for nine national holidays.

Holiday	Date	Observed
New Years Day	Friday - January 1, 2016	January 1st
Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday	Monday - January 18, 2016	3rd Monday in January
**Presidents' Day	Monday - February 15, 2016	3rd Monday in February
Memorial Day	Monday - May 30, 2016	Last Monday in May
Independence Day	Monday - July 4, 2016	Monday, July 4th
Labor Day	Monday - September 5, 2016	1st Monday in September
Veterans Day	Friday - November 11, 2016	November 11th
Thanksgiving Day	Thursday - November 24, 2016	4th Thursday in November
Day After Thanksgiving	Friday - November 25, 2016	Friday, November 25th
Christmas Day	Sunday - December 25, 2016	Monday, December 26th

** Denotes the Institution's floating holiday. With prior supervisory approval, an employee may work on a floating holiday and take the floating holiday at a later date in the calendar year. If you work on a floating holiday, you are to list those hours as regular hours on your timecard. On the day you take your floating holiday, you are to list those hours as holiday hours on your timecard. Floating holidays are to be taken in full day increments only. Please be aware that the Institution is officially closed on floating holidays which will affect normal daily services (such as mail delivery, shuttle services, stockroom, etc).
If you have any questions regarding the Holiday Schedule, please contact Human Resources at ext. 2253.

2015 Holiday Schedule

Holiday	Date	Observed
New Years Day	Thursday - January 1, 2015	Thursday - January 1, 2015
Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday	Monday - January 19, 2015	3rd Monday in January
**Presidents' Day	Monday - February 16, 2015	3rd Monday in February
Memorial Day	Monday - May 25, 2015	Last Monday in May
Independence Day	Saturday - July 4, 2015	Friday - July 3, 2015
Labor Day	Monday - September 7, 2015	1st Monday in September
Veterans Day	Wednesday - November 11, 2015	Wednesday - November 11, 2015
Thanksgiving Day	Thursday - November 26, 2015	4th Thursday in November
Day After Thanksgiving	Friday - November 27, 2015	Friday - November 27, 2015
Christmas Day	Friday - December 25, 2015	Friday - December 25, 2015

2014 Holiday Schedule

Holiday	Date	Observed
New Years Day	Wednesday - January 1, 2014	Wednesday - January 1, 2014
Martin Luther King Jr.'s Birthday	Monday - January 20, 2014	3rd Monday in January
**Presidents' Day	Monday - February 17, 2014	3rd Monday in February
Memorial Day	Monday - May 26, 2014	Last Monday in May
Independence Day	Friday - July 4, 2014	Friday - July 4, 2014
Labor Day	Monday - September 1, 2014	1st Monday in September

Veterans Day	Tuesday - November 11, 2014	Tuesday - November 11, 2014
Thanksgiving Day	Thursday - November 27, 2014	4th Thursday in November
Christmas Day	Thursday- December 25, 2014	Thursday- December 25, 2014

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