

**TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER**

**Holiday Schedule for 2021 - 2022**

<b><u>2021</u></b>	<b><u>DAY OF WEEK</u></b>	<b><u>HOLIDAY</u></b>
September 6	Monday	Labor Day
November 25	Thursday	Thanksgiving Day
November 26	Friday	Thanksgiving Holiday
December 24	Friday	Winter Holiday
December 27	Monday	Winter Holiday
December 31	Friday	New Year's Holiday
<b><u>2022</u></b>		
January 17	Monday	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
May 30	Monday	Memorial Day
July 4	Monday	Independence Day Holiday
<b>TOTAL ALLOWABLE HOLIDAYS</b>		<b>9</b>

**Note:**

State law provides for 17 state holidays. In FY 2022 five (5) holidays fall on a weekend and cannot be substituted for other regular working days. The state will observe twelve (12) holidays in FY 2022, which is less than FY 2021. TTUHSC will observe nine (9) holidays. An additional three (3) days of holiday entitlement will be accrued to employees' holiday comp balance at the rate of two hours per month with a maximum accrual of 24 hours.

Under the provisions of Article V of Senate Bill 5, 73<sup>rd</sup> Legislature, Regular Session, a state employee is entitled to observe optional holidays, such as Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur, Cesar Chavez Day and Good Friday. Since the university is closed on scheduled holidays, employees who wish to take an optional holiday will be required to use vacation leave or compensatory time.