

2025 Canada Bank Holidays & Payroll Processing Deadlines

Use the table below to see when you should be processing your pay runs during the holidays.

Direct deposit processing for Wagepoint customers on a **three-day processing schedule** requires payroll to be **approved by 12 pm ET** on the day listed.

Do I need to change my pay date if it falls on a holiday? In short, it depends entirely on your employees' financial institutions. In most cases, you do not need to change your pay date if it lands on a holiday, as Wagepoint sends the funds out one day prior, in accordance with ACH guidelines. However, please note that if your employees' local or regional banks are unable to distribute these funds on the holiday date, you will need to adjust your pay date to one day earlier to avoid delays. Please contact the institutions directly for information regarding their processing timelines.

Holiday	Payroll with the following pay date	Needs to be approved by 12 pm ET on this date (three-day processing schedule)
New Year's Day 2025	Jan 1	Dec 27
	Jan 2	Dec 27
	Jan 3	Dec 30
	Jan 6	Dec 31
	Jan 7	Jan 2
Good Friday	April 18	April 15
	April 21	April 15
	April 22	April 16
	April 23	April 17
	April 24	April 21
Victoria Day	May 19	May 14
	May 20	May 14
	May 21	May 15
	May 22	May 16
	May 23	May 20
Canada Day	July 1	June 26
	July 2	June 26
	July 3	June 27
	July 4	June 30
	July 7	July 2



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Labour Day	Sep 1	Aug 27
	Sep 2	Aug 27
	Sep 3	Aug 28
	Sep 4	Aug 29
	Sep 5	Sep 2
National Day for Truth and Reconciliation	Sep 30	Sep 25
	Oct 1	Sep 25
	Oct 2	Sep 26
	Oct 3	Sep 29
	Oct 6	Oct 1
Thanksgiving Day	Oct 13	Oct 8
	Oct 14	Oct 8
	Oct 15	Oct 9
	Oct 16	Oct 10
	Oct 17	Oct 14
Remembrance Day	Nov 11	Nov 6
	Nov 12	Nov 6
	Nov 13	Nov 7
	Nov 14	Nov 10
	Nov 17	Nov 12
Christmas Day Observed Boxing Day Observed	Dec 25	Dec 22
	Dec 26	Dec 22
	Dec 29	Dec 22
	Dec 30	Dec 23
	Dec 31	Dec 24
New Year's Day 2026	Jan 1	Dec 29
	Jan 2	Dec 29
	Jan 5	Dec 30
	Jan 6	Dec 31
	Jan 7	Jan 2