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	2025 January	1446 Jumādā l-Ākhira Rajab Sha'bān	2025 February	1446 Sha'bān	2025 March	1446 Sha'bān (Shahr) Ramaḍān Shawwāl	2025 April	1446 Shawwāl Dhū l-Qa'da	2025 May	1446 Dhū l-Qa'da Dhū l-Ḥijja	2025 June	1446 Dhū l-Ḥijja 1447 Muḥarram
Tue							1 Pakistan Holiday	Shawwāl 2				
Wed	1 Australia, Canada, Kenya, Madagascar Pakistan, Tanzania, Uganda, UK, USA Holiday	Jumādā l-Ākhira 29					2 Pakistan Holiday	3				
Thu	2	Rajab 1					3 Pakistan Holiday	4				
Fri	3	2					4	5				
Sat	4 Shahadat 10th Imam Hazrat Ali un Naqi (a)	3	1	Sha'bān 2	1	Sha'bān 30	5	6	1 Kenya, Madagascar, Pakistan, Tanzania, Uganda, Holiday	Dhū l-Qa'da 3	1 Kenya Holiday	Dhū l-Ḥijja 4
Sun	5	4	2 Wiladat 3rd Imam Hazrat Husayn (a)	3	2	(Shahr) Ramaḍān 1	6 India Holiday	7	2	4	2 Kenya Holiday	5
Mon	6	5	3 Wiladat Hazrat Abbas (a)	4	3	2	7 Yawm e Gham Tanzania Holiday	8	3	5	3 Uganda Holiday	6
Tue	7	6	4 Wiladat 4th Imam Hazrat Ali Zayn al-Abidin (a)	5	4	3	8	9	4	6	4 Shahadat 5th Imam Hazrat Muhammad Baqir (a)	7
Wed	8 Hazrat Musa Kadhim (a) Day	7	5 Pakistan Holiday	6	5	4	9	10	5 UK Holiday	7	5	8
Thu	9	8	6	7	6	5	10 India Holiday	11	6	8	6 Shahadat Hazrat Muslim (a) & Roz e Arafat	9
Fri	10	9	7	8	7	6	11	12	7	9	7 Eid al Adh'ha India, Kenya, Madagascar, Pakistan, Tanzania, Uganda Holiday	10
Sat	11 Wiladat 9th Imam Hazrat Muhammad Taqi (a)	10	8	9	8 Madagascar, Uganda Holiday	7	12	13	8	10	8 Pakistan Holiday	11
Sun	12 Tanzania Holiday	11	9	10	9 Canada/USA Clocks go forward	8	13	14	9	11	9 Madagascar, Pakistan, Uganda Holiday	12
Mon	13 India Holiday	12	10	11	10	9	14	15	10	12 India Holiday	10	13
Tue	14 Wiladat 1st Imam Hazrat Ali (a)	13	11	12	11 Wafat Sayyida Khadija (a)	10	15	16	11	13	11	14
Wed	15	14	12	13	12	11	16	17	12	14	12 Wiladat 10th Imam Hazrat Ali un Naqi (a)	15
Thu	16 Wafat Sayyida Zaynab (a)	15	13	14	13	12	17	18	13	15	13	16
Fri	17	16	14 Shab e Baraat and Wiladat 12th Imam Hazrat Mahdi (aj)	15	14 Total Lunar Eclipse: visible in Europe, Asia, Australia, Africa, North America and South America India Holiday	13	18 Australia, Canada, India, Kenya, UK, Madagascar, Tanzania, Uganda Holiday	19	16	18	14	17
Sat	18	17	15	16	15	14	19	20	17	19	15 Eid e Ghadeer	18
Sun	19	18	16 Uganda Holiday	17	16 Wiladat 2nd Imam Hazrat Hasan (a)	15	20	21	18	20	16	19
Mon	20 USA Holiday	19	17 USA Holiday	18	17	16	21 Australia, Canada, Kenya, UK, Madagascar, Tanzania, Uganda Holiday	22	19 Canada Holiday	21	17	20
Tue	21	20	18	19	18	17	22	23	20	22	18	21
Wed	22	21	19	20	19	18	23	24	21	23	19 Shahadat Sons of Hazrat Muslim (a) USA Holiday	22
Thu	23	22	20	21	20 Shab e Zarbat 1st Imam Hazrat Ali (a) Nowrooz @ 09:01 GMT	19	24 Shahadat 6th Imam Hazrat Ja'far Sadiq (a)	25	22	24	20	23
Fri	24	23	21	22	21	20	25 Australia Holiday	26	23 Dahwul Ardh	25	21 Eid e Mubahila	24
Sat	25	24	22	23	22 Shahadat 1st Imam Hazrat Ali (a)	21	26 Tanzania Holiday	27	24	26	22	25
Sun	26 Shahadat 7th Imam Hazrat Musa Kadhim (a) Australia, India, Uganda Holiday	25	23	24	23 Pakistan Holiday	22	27	28	25	27	23	26
Mon	27 Wafat Hazrat Abu Talib (a)	26	24	25	24 Laylatul Qadr	23	28	29	26 UK, USA Holiday	28	24	27
Tue	28 Meraj and Roz e Besat	27	25	26	25	24	29	Dhū l-Qa'da 1	27 Shahadat 9th Imam Hazrat Muhammad Taqi (a)	29	25	28
Wed	29	28	26 India Holiday	27	26	25	30	2	28	30	26 Madagascar Holiday	29
Thu	30	29	27	28	27	26			29 Madagascar Holiday	Dhū l-Ḥijja 1	27	Muḥarram 1447 1
Fri	31	Sha'bān 1	28	29	28 Quds Day	27			30	2	28	2
Sat					29 Partial Solar Eclipse - visible in Europe, North in Asia, North/West Africa and North America Madagascar Holiday	28			31	3	29	3
Sun					30 UK/Europe Clocks go forward	29					30	4
					31 Eid al Fitr India, Kenya, Madagascar, Pakistan, Tanzania, Uganda Holiday	Shawwāl 1						

Qamar Dar Akrab - According to narrations we should refrain from reciting the Nikah during Qamar Dar Akrab when the moon is passing through the phase of Scorpio.

Regional Variations -
The Islamic dates are based on expectation of crescent sighting in Europe calculated from the latest available scientific data. During 1446/47 A.H. regional variations may occur for some months. To fulfil the Shariah requirements we will continue to ascertain that the actual sighting has occurred on the days expected.

Visible Crescent -
One should not confuse the New Moon with the visible thin crescent. It should be realised that the new crescent following a lunar month of 30 days will be brighter and stay longer in the sky than the crescent following a month of 29 days.

Additional occurrences on that date.
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All dates subject to the sighting of the moon. Information based on data from the H.M. Nautical Almanac Office and the Royal Greenwich Observatory.

Islamic Dates for 2026

1 Sha'bān 1447	21 January 2026
1 (Shahr) Ramaḍān 1447	19 February 2026
1 Shawwāl 1447	21 March 2026
1 Dhū l-Qa'da 1447	19 April 2026
1 Dhū l-Hijja 1447	18 May 2026
1 Muharram 1448	17 June 2026
1 Safar 1448	16 July 2026
1 Rabī' al-Awwal 1448	15 August 2026
1 Rabī' al-Ākhir 1448	14 September 2026
1 Jumādā l-Ūlā 1448	14 October 2026
1 Jumādā l-Ākhira 1448	12 November 2026
1 Rajab 1448	12 December 2026

	2025 July	1447 Muḥarram Ṣafar	2025 August	1447 Ṣafar Rabī' al-Awwal	2025 September	1447 Rabī' al-Awwal Rabī' al-Ākhir	2025 October	1447 Rabī' al-Ākhir Jumādā l-Ūlā	2025 November	1447 Jumādā l-Ūlā Jumādā l-Ākhira	2025 December	1447 Jumādā l-Ākhira Rajab
Tue	1 Canada Holiday	Muḥarram 5										
Wed	2	6						Rabī' al-Ākhir 7				Jumādā l-Ākhira 9
Thu	3	7					1	8			1	10
Fri	4 USA Holiday	8		Ṣafar 6			2 India Holiday	9			2	11
Sat	5	9	1	7			3	10	1 Madagascar Holiday	Jumādā l-Ūlā 8	3	12
Sun	6 Roz e Ashura India, Pakistan Holiday	10	2 Shahadat 2nd Imam Hazrat Hasan (a)	8		Rabī' al-Awwal 7	4 Wiladat 11th Imam Hazrat Hasan al-Askari (a)**	11	2 USA/Canada Clocks go back	9	4	13
Mon	7 Tanzania Holiday	11	3	9	1 Canada, USA Holiday	8	5	12	3	10	5	14
Tue	8 Ziyarat of Shuhada e Kerbala	12	4	10	2 Shahadat 11th Imam Hazrat Hasan al-Askari (a)	9	6	13	4	11	6 Wafat Sayyida Fatima (a) (based on a narration)	15
Wed	9 Canada Holiday	13	5 Thirtieth Shuhada e Kerbala	11	3 Eid e Zehra (a)	10	7	14	5 India Holiday	12	7	16
Thu	10	14	6	12	4	11	8	15	6	13	8	17
Fri	11	15	7 Tanzania Holiday	13	5 India, Tanzania Holiday	12	9 Uganda Holiday	16	7	14	9	18
Sat	12	16	8	14	6	13	10 Kenya Holiday	17	8	15	10	19
Sun	13	17	9	15	7 Total Lunar Eclipse: visible in Europe, Asia, Australia, Africa, North America and South America	14	11	18	9	16	11	20
Mon	14	18	10	16	8	15	12 Canada, USA Holiday	19	10	17	12	21
Tue	15	19	11	17	9	16	13 Tanzania Holiday	20	11 Canada, USA Holiday	18	13	22
Wed	16 Tenth Shuhada e Kerbala	20	12	18	10	17	14	21	12	19	14	23
Thu	17	21	13 Pakistan Holiday	19	11 Milad un Nabi & Wiladat 6th Imam Hazrat Ja'far Sadiq (a)	17	15	22	13	20	15	24
Fri	18	22	14 Chehlum Shuhada e Kerbala India, Madagascar Holiday	20	12	18	16	23	14	21	16	25
Sat	19	23	15	21	13	19	17	24	15	22	17	26
Sun	20	24	16 India Holiday	22	14	20	18	25	16	23	18	27
Mon	21 Shahadat 4th Imam Hazrat Ali Zayn al-Abidin (a)	25	17	23	15	21	19 India, Kenya Holiday	26	17	24	19	28
Tue	22	26	18	24	16	22	20	27	18	25	20	29
Wed	23	27	19	25	17 Pakistan Holiday	23	21	28	19	26	21	30
Thu	24	28	20	26	18	24	22	29	20	27	22	Jumādā l-Ūlā 1
Fri	25	29	21	27	19	25	23	30	21	28	23	Jumādā l-Ākhira 1
Sat	26 Twentieth Shuhada e Kerbala	30	22 Shahadat Prophet Muhammad (saw)	28	20	26	24	Jumādā l-Ūlā 1	22	29	24	2
Sun	27	Safar 1	23 Shahadat 8th Imam Hazrat Ali Rida (a)	29	21 Partial Solar Eclipse: visible in South in Australia, Pacific, Atlantic, Antarctica	27	25	2	23	Jumādā l-Ākhira 1	25	3
Mon	28	2	24 UK Holiday	30	22	28	26 UK/Europe Clocks go back	3	24	2	26 Wafat Sayyida Fatima (a) (based on a narration)	3
Tue	29	3	25	Rabī' al-Awwal 1	23	29	27	4	25 Wafat Sayyida Fatima (a) (based on a narration)	3	27	4
Wed	30	4	26	2	24	Rabī' al-Ākhir 1	28	5	26	4	28	5
Thu	31	5	27	3	25	2	29 Wiladat Sayyida Zaynab (a)	6	27 USA Holiday	5	29	6
Fri			28	Shahadat Masuma e Qum (a)* 4	26	3	30	7	28	6	30	7
Sat			29	5	27	4	31	8	29	7	31	8
Sun			30	6	28	5			30	8		
Mon			31	7	29	6						
Tue					30 Canada Holiday	6						

New Moon -
The New Moon phase is defined to be the moment when the moon is almost directly between the Earth and the Sun. At this moment the moon's dark surface faces the Earth. The New Moon is completely invisible. The date and time of this invisible New Moon is commonly found in almanacs, newspapers and calendars.

First Crescent -
The Islamic month begins with the visible First Crescent and not with the invisible New Moon. The First Crescent is usually sighted in the western sky just after sunset on the first or second evening after the New Moon phase. The sighting depends upon the altitude of the crescent above the horizon, time difference between sunset and moonset and the angular distance between the sun and the moon.

PLEASE NOTE:
***4th Rabi al-Awwal:** Mu'mineen should note of the 3 reported wafat dates, 2 other dates are **10th** (popular) or **12th Rabi al-Akhar** (less popular).
They are advised to consult with local centers as to what works better for them to avoid overlap with wiladat date.
****10th Rabi al-Akhar:** Mu'mineen should note of the 4 reported wiladat dates, 2 popular ones are **8th** or **10th Rabi al-Akhar**.

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