| 2023-2024 BALA VIHAR CALENDAR |  |  |  |  |  |
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| SEP | 9/09/2023 <br> BV Teachers' Meeting \& Training | 9/10/2023 <br> FIRST DAY <br> BV \& Language classes | 9/17/2023 | 9/24/2023 <br> Shlokathon class starts | From September to December: 12 teaching classes + 1 Open House |
| OCT | 10/01/2023 | 10/08/2023 <br> We are OPEN - all classes \& satsangs will take place as usual! (Indigenous People's Day Weekend) | 10/15/2023 | 10/22/2023 | 10/29/2023 <br> BV OPEN HOUSE (No Adult Satsang) |
| NOV | ```11/05/2023 Language Class Open House Daylight Saving Time Ends``` | 11/12/2023 <br> DIWALI HOLIDAY* <br> No classes | 11/19/2023 | 11/26/2023 <br> Thanksgiving Holiday No classes | * BV, Language \& Satsang classes will be closed on Sunday, 11/12/23 for Diwali this year as it falls exactly on that Sunday |
| DEC | 12/03/2023 | 12/10/2023 | 12/17/2023 | 12/24/2023 <br> Christmas Holiday <br> No classes | 12/31/2023 <br> New Years Holiday No classes |
| JAN | 1/07/2024 | $1 / 14 / 2024$ <br> (Martin Luther King Jr. Day Wknd) | 1/21/2024 | 1/28/2024 |  |
| FEB | 2/4/2024 | 2/11/2024 <br> Gita Mahotsav | $02 / 18 / 2024$ <br> President's Day Holiday No classes | 2/25/2024 | Note: <br> 2/19-23 MA School vacation week 2/26-3/1: NH School vacation week |
| MAR | 3/3/2024 | 3/10/2024 <br> Daylight Saving Time Begins | 3/17/2024 | $3 / 24 / 2024$ <br> HOL | 3/31/2024 |
| APRIL | 4/07/2024 | 4/14/2024 <br> Patriot's Day Holiday <br> No classes | 4/21/2024 | 4/28/2024 | Note: <br> 4/15-19: MA School vacation week 4/22-26: NH School vacation week |
| MAY | 5/05/2024 Language Classes Annual Day GURUDEV'S BIRTHDAY (5/8) | 5/12/2024 | 5/19/2024 <br> 12th Grade Graduation | 5/26/2024 <br> Memorial Day Holiday <br> No classes |  |
| JUNE | 6/02/2024 | 6/09/2024 <br> Picnic @ NARA Park |  |  | From January to year end: 17 teaching classes + Gita Mahotsav + Language Classes Annual Day + Picnic/Mela |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Gurudev's birthday } \\ 5 / 08 / 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Registration for life members } \\ \text { opens } 5 / 19 / 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Registration for current families } \\ \text { opens } 5 / 26 / 2024 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Registration for new families } \\ \text { opens 6/03/2024 } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  |


|  | Festival | Date |
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| 1 | Krishna Janmashtami | Wednesday 9/6/23 |
| 2 | Ganesh Chathurthi | Monday 9/18/23 |
| 3 | Navaratri Begins | Sunday 10/15/23 |
| 4 | Vijaya Dashami | Monday 10/23/23 |
| 5 | Diwali/Naraka Chaturdashi | Saturday-Sunday 11/11-12/23 |
| 6 | Thanksgiving | Thursday 11/24/23 |
| 7 | Gita Jayanti \& Tapovan Jayanti | Friday 12/22/23 |
| 8 | Christmas | Monday 12/25/23 |
| 9 | Makar Sankranti | Sunday 1/14/24 |
| 10 | Maha Shivaratri | Friday 3/8/24 |
| 11 | Holi | Sunday-Monday 3/24-25/24 |
| 12 | Ugadi/Gudi Padwa | Tuesday 4/9/24 |
| 13 | Solar New Year | Saturday 4/13/24 |
| 14 | Ram Navami | Tuesday 4/16/24 |
| 15 | Hanuman Jayanti | Tuesday 4/23/24 |
| 16 | Gurudev's Birthday | Wednesday 5/8/24 |
| 17 | Adi Shankaracharya Jayanti \& Mother's Day | Sunday 5/12/24 |
| 18 | Father's Day | Sunday 6/16/24 |
| 19 | Guruji's Birthday | Sunday 6/30/24 |
| 20 | Guru Poornima | Sunday 7/21/24 |
| 21 | Maha Samadhi Day | Saturday 8/3/24 |

