

## Public holidays, 2005 Russia

1 January New Year's Day

2 January New Year holiday (unconfirmed)
7 January Christmas Day (Orthodox)

23 February Defenders of the Motherland Day

8 March Women's Day
1 May Labour Day
9 May Victory Day

12 June Independence Day 7 November Reconciliation Day 12 December Constitution Day

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