Punjab's new year arrives with the harvest: Vaisakhi, 14 April 2027

Plan around it, eat sarson da saag with makki di roti, and take home phulkari, the embroidery that has its own GI tag.



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Vaisakhi in 2027

Capital	**Chandigarh (shared with Haryana)**
Official language	**Punjabi**
Area	**50,362 km², 19th largest of 28**
UNESCO World Heritage Sites	**None yet**
Tiger reserves	**None**

★ Capital ● Town or sight

WHAT TO EAT

Sarson da saag
Makki di roti
Amritsari kulcha
Lassi

WHAT TO TAKE HOME

Phulkari
Basmati rice

Both have a GI tag

PLAN AROUND

Vaisakhi, the harvest new year

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STATE ANIMAL	STATE BIRD	STATE FLOWER	STATE TREE
Blackbuck	Northern goshawk (baaz)	Gladiolus	Sheesham

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