

Presidents' Day



Presidents' Day is a national holiday in the United States. It began as an observance of George Washington's birthday on February 22nd and was established by Congress in the 1880s. Later, some states began to also observe the birthday of Abraham Lincoln every February 12th. In 1968, Congress moved the official observance of Washington's birthday from February 22nd to the third Monday in February. Today, Presidents' Day honors not only Washington and Lincoln, but all former U.S. presidents.

1. Presidents' Day was originally observed on the birthday of which former U.S. president?

2. Presidents' Day is observed in which month?

3. What other well-known U.S. president has a birthday in that month?
