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LIST OF HOLIDAYS FOR THE YEAR 2026

	<i>No. of day(s)</i>	<i>Days of the week</i>	<i>English Date</i>
New Year's Day (2026 AD)	1	Thursday	1 st January
Birthday of Swami Vivekananda	1	Monday	12 th January
Day before Saraswati Puja	1	Thursday	22 nd January
Netaji's Birthday / Saraswati Puja (Sree Panchami)	1	Friday	23 rd January
University Foundation Day	1	Saturday	24 th January
Republic Day	1	Monday	26 th January
Shab-e-Barat	1	Wednesday	4 th February
Birthday of Thakur Panchanan Barma	1	Saturday	14 th February
Shivaratri	1	Sunday	15 th February
Doljatra	1	Tuesday	3 rd March
Holi (Day after Doljatra)	1	Wednesday	4 th March
Birthday of Shri Shri Harichand Thakur	1	Tuesday	17 th March
Day before Eid-Ul-Fitr	1	Friday	20 th March
Eid-Ul-Fitr	1	Saturday	21 st March
Ram Navami	1	Thursday	26 th March
Mahavir Jayanti	1	Tuesday	31 st March
Good Friday	1	Friday	3 rd April
Birthday of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar	1	Tuesday	14 th April
Bengali New Year's Day (Nababarsha)	1	Wednesday	15 th April
May Day / Buddha Purnima/ Birthday of Pandit Raghunath Murmu	1	Friday	1 st May
Birthday of Rabindranath Tagore	1	Saturday	9 th May
Day before Id-Ud-Zoha (Bakrid)	1	Tuesday	26 th May
Id-Ud-Zoha (Bakrid)	1	Wednesday	27 th May
Muharram	1	Friday	26 th June
Sir Asutosh Day	1	Monday	29 th June
Rathayatra	1	Thursday	16 th July
Independence Day	1	Saturday	15 th August
Fateha-Dwaz-Daham	1	Wednesday	26 th August
Rakhi Bandhan	1	Friday	28 th August
Janmastami	1	Friday	4 th September
Viswakarma Puja	1	Thursday	17 th September
Birthday of Gandhiji	1	Friday	2 nd October
Mahalaya	1	Saturday	10 th October
Durga Puja, Maha Chaturthi to Dasami	7	Thursday to Wednesday	15 th Oct. to 21 st Oct.
Additional Day for Durga Puja	3	Thursday to Saturday	22 nd Oct. to 24 th Oct.
Lakshmi Puja	1	Sunday	25 th October
Additional Day for Lakshmi Puja	1	Monday	26 th October
Kali Puja	1	Sunday	8 th November
Additional Day for Kali Puja	2	Monday to Tuesday	9 th Nov. to 10 th Nov.
Bhratridwitiya	1	Wednesday	11 th November
Day after Bhratridwitiya	1	Thursday	12 th November
Chhat Puja / Birthday of Birsa Munda	1	Sunday	15 th November
Additional Day for Chhat Puja	1	Monday	16 th November
Birthday of Guru Nanak / Parshwanath's Rathajatra	1	Tuesday	24 th November
Christmas Day	1	Friday	25 th December
Karam Puja		To be notified later on	
<i>The following days may be observed as Sectional Holidays for the employees of different communities :</i>			
Maghotsab (For Brahmos only)	1	Sunday	25 th January
Birthday of Guru Rabidas (for the followers of Guru Rabidas)	1	Sunday	1 st February
Easter Saturday (For Christians only)	1	Saturday	4 th April
Baisakhi (For Sikhs only)	1	Tuesday	14 th April
Hul Diwas [for Adibasi (Santhal) only]	1	Tuesday	30 th June

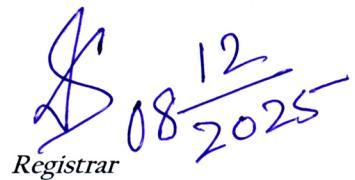
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N.B. : If there is any change in the date of Eid-Ul-Fitr, Id-Ud-Zoha, Muharram, Fateha-Dwaz-Daham, Shab-e-Barat depending upon the sighting of the moon, holiday will be declared by a separate order for the date on which the festival would be actually observed in lieu of the date originally notified as holiday for this festival.

University offices will remain closed on Saturdays and Sundays.

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