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NOTIFICATION

The undersigned is directed to convey for information of all concerned that the Vice-Chancellor, on the basis of the unanimous recommendation made by the Committee chaired by Director, SEIRR at its meeting held on 11.12.2025, has approved the following days to be observed as holidays / vacation by the University in the calendar year-2026.

A. COMPULSORY HOLIDAYS :

1.	REPUBLIC DAY	26 th January, 2026
2.	IDU'L FITR	21 st March, 2026
3.	MAHAVIR JAYANTI	31 st March, 2026
4.	GOOD FRIDAY	03 rd April, 2026
5.	BUDDHA PURNIMA	1 st May, 2026
6.	IDU'L ZUHA	27 th May, 2026
7.	MUHARRAM	26 th June, 2026
8.	INDEPENDENCE DAY	15 th August, 2026
9.	PROPHET MOHAMMAD'S BIRTHDAY (ID-E-MILAD)	26 th August, 2026
10.	MAHATMA GANDHI'S BIRTHDAY	02 nd October, 2026
11.	DUSSEHRA (VIJAY DASHMI)	20 th October, 2026
12.	DIWALI (DEEPAVALI)	08 th November, 2026
13.	GURU NANAK'S BIRTHDAY	24 th November, 2026
14.	CHRISTMAS DAY	25 th December, 2026

B. LOCAL HOLIDAYS :

1.	BASANTA PANCHAMI	23 rd January, 2026
2.	DOL YATRA / JANMASTAMI	3 rd March, 2026 / 4 th September, 2026
3.	RATHA YATRA	16 th July, 2026

C. RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS :

Two (02) Restricted Holidays to be chosen out of list provided in Annexure-II

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24/12/2025
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D. SARADABAKASHA FOR NON-ACADEMIC STAFF MEMBERS :

SARADABAKASHA	17 th October to 26 th October, 2026 (including Saturday and Sunday)
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E. VACATION FOR PATHA-BHAVANA & SIKSHA-SATRA :

SUMMER VACATION	11.05.2026 to 09.06.2026
SARADABAKASHA	17.10.2026 to 13.11.2026
WINTER VACATION	29.12.2026 to 03.01.2027
ANANDA BAZAR	10 th October, 2026 (Class Suspended)

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No.: Admn./G.H.6/753

Date: 20.12.2025

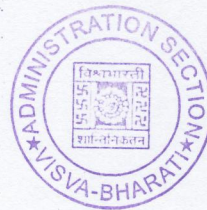
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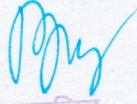


LIST OF RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS FOR THE YEAR 2026 IN RESPECT OF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES OF CENTRAL GOVERNMENT LOCATED AT DELHI / NEW DELHI

S.No	Holiday	Date	Saka Date	Day
<u>SAKA ERA 1947</u>				
1.	New Year's Day	January 01	Pausha 11	Thursday
2.	Hazarat Ali's Birthday	January 03	Pausha 13	Saturday
3.	Makar Sankranti	January 14	Pausha 24	Wednesday
4.	Magha Bihu / Pongal	January 14	Pausha 24	Wednesday
5.	Sri Panchami, Basant Panchami	January 23	Magha 03	Friday
6.	Guru Ravi Das's Birthday	February 01	Magha 12	Sunday
7.	Birthday of Swami Dayananda Saraswati	February 12	Magha 23	Thursday
8.	Maha Shivratri	February 15	Magha 26	Sunday
9.	Shiva ji Jayanti	February 19	Magha 30	Thursday
10.	Holika dahan	March 03	Phalguna 12	Tuesday
11.	Dolyatra	March 03	Phalguna 12	Tuesday
12.	Chaitra Sukladi /Gudi Padava/Ugadi/ Cheti Chand	March 19	Phalguna 28	Thursday
13.	Jamat-UI-Vida	March 20	Phalguna 29	Friday
<u>SAKA ERA 1948</u>				
14.	Easter Sunday	April 05	Chaitra 15	Sunday
15.	Vaisakhi /Visu/ Meshadi (Tamil New Year's Day)	April 14	Chaitra 24	Tuesday
16.	Vaisakhadi (Bengal) / Bahag Bihu (Assam)	April 15	Chaitra 25	Wednesday
17.	Birthday of Guru Rabindranath Tagore	May 09	Vaisakha 19	Saturday
18.	Rath Yatra	July 16	Ashadha 25	Thursday

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19.	Parsi New Year's day / Nauraj	August	15	Sravana	24	Saturday
20.	Onam or Thiru Onam Day	August	26	Bhadra	04	Wednesday
21.	Raksha Bandhan	August	28	Bhadra	06	Friday
22.	Ganesh Chaturthi /Vinayak Chaturthi	September	14	Bhadra	23	Monday
23.	Dussehra (Saptami)	October	18	Asvina	26	Sunday
24.	Dussehra (Mahashtami)	October	19	Asvina	27	Monday
25.	Dussehra (Mahanavmi)	October	20	Asvina	28	Tuesday
26.	Maharishi Valmiki's Birthday	October	26	Kartika	04	Monday
27.	Karaka Chaturthi (Karwa Chouth)	October	29	Kartika	07	Thursday
28.	Naraka Chaturdasi	November	08	Kartika	17	Sunday
29.	Govardhan Puja	November	09	Kartika	18	Monday
30.	Bhai Duj	November	11	Kartika	20	Wednesday
31.	Pratihara Shashthi or Surya Shashthi (Chhat Puja)	November	15	Kartika	24	Sunday
32.	Guru Teg Bahadur's Martyrdom Day	November	24	Agrahayana	03	Tuesday
33.	Hazarat Ali's Birthday	December	23	Pausha	02	Wednesday
34.	Christmas Eve	December	24	Pausha	03	Thursday


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