

UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA

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LIST OF HOLIDAYS FOR THE YEAR 2021

	No. of day(s)	Days of the week	English Date
New Year's Day (2021 AD)	1	Friday	1 st January
Birthday of Swami Vivekananda	1	Tuesday	12 th January
Birthday of Netaji	1	Saturday	23 rd January
University Foundation Day	1	Sunday	24 th January
Republic Day	1	Tuesday	26 th January
Birthday of Thakur Panchanan Barma	1	Sunday	14 th February
Saraswati Puja (Sree Panchami)	1	Tuesday	16 th February
Additional day in connection with Saraswati Puja	1	Wednesday	17 th February
Shivaratri	1	Thursday	11 th March
Doljatra	1	Sunday	28 th March
Holi (Day after Doljatra)	1	Monday	29 th March
Good Friday	1	Friday	2 nd April
Birthday of Shri Shri Harichand Thakur	1	Friday	9 th April
Birthday of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar	1	Wednesday	14 th April
Bengali New year's Day	1	Thursday	15 th April
Mahabir Jayanti	1	Sunday	25 th April
May Day	1	Saturday	1 st May
Birthday of Rabindranath	1	Sunday	9 th May
Id-UI-Fitre	1	Friday	14 th May
Additional day in connection with Id-UI-Fitre	1	Saturday	15 th May
Buddha Purnima	1	Wednesday	26 th May
Sir Asutosh Day	1	Tuesday	29 th June
Rathayatra	1	Monday	12 th July
Id-Ud-Zoha	1	Wednesday	21 st July
Independence Day	1	Sunday	15 th August
Muharram	1	Thursday	19 th August
Janmastami	1	Monday	30 th August
Birthday of Gandhi	1	Saturday	2 nd October
Mahalaya	1	Wednesday	6 th October
Additional day of Durgapuja-Mahasasthi	1	Monday	11 th October
Mahasaptami to Dasami	4	Tuesday to Friday	12 th Oct to 15 th Oct
Additional day in connection with Durgapuja	1	Monday	18 th October
Fateha-Dwaz-Daham	1	Tuesday	19 th October
Lakshmi Puja	1	Wednesday	20 th October
Additional day in connection with Lakshmi Puja	2	Thursday to Friday	21 st Oct to 22 nd Oct
Kali Puja	1	Thursday	4 th November
Additional day in connection with Kali Puja	1	Friday	5 th November
Bhatridwitya	1	Saturday	6 th November
Day before Chhat Puja	1	Tuesday	9 th November
Chhat Puja	1	Wednesday	10 th November
Birthday of Birsa Munda	1	Monday	15 th November
Birthday of Guru Nanak	1	Friday	19 th November
Christmas Day	1	Saturday	25 th December
<i>The following days may be observed as Sectional Holidays for the employees of different communities :</i>			
Maghotsab (For Brahmos only)	1	Monday	25 th January
Sab-e-Barat (For Muslims only)	1	Tuesday	30 th March
Easter Saturday (For Christians only)	1	Saturday	3 rd April
Baisakhi (For Sikhs only)	1	Wednesday	13 th April
Hul Diwas [For Adivasi (Santal) only]	1	Wednesday	30 th June
Karam Puja	To be notified later on		

Contd.

N.B. : If there is any change in the date of the festivals/occasions, viz., Id-ul-Fitar, Id-ud-Zoha, Muharram, Fateha-Duaz-Daham and Sab-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 these festivals/occasions.

University offices will remain closed on Saturdays and Sundays.

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