



# University of Hyderabad

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## NOTIFICATION

Sub: Holidays to be observed in the University during the Year 2021 – Reg.

Ref: 1. Minutes of the CGEWCC Meeting held dt. 11.11.2020.

2. Vice Chancellor's Order dated 25.11.2020.

It has been decided that the following holidays will be observed in the University of Hyderabad during the calendar year 2021.

S.No.	Holiday	Date	Day
1.	Makara Sankranti/Magha Bihu / Pongal	January – 14	Thursday
2.	Republic Day	January – 26	Tuesday
3.	Good Friday	April – 2	Friday
4.	ChaitraSukladi / Gudi Padava / Ugadi / Cheti Chand / Vaisakhi / Vishu	April – 13	Tuesday
5.	Mahavir Jayanti	April – 25	Sunday
6.	Id-ul-Fitr	May – 14	Friday
7.	Buddha Purnima	May – 26	Wednesday
8.	Id-ul-Zuha (Bakrid)	July – 21	Wednesday
9.	Independence Day	August – 15	Sunday
10.	Muharram	August – 19	Thursday
11.	Vinayaka Chaturthi / Ganesh Chaturthi	September – 10	Friday
12.	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	October – 02	Saturday
13.	Dussehra	October – 15	Friday
14.	Milad-un-Nabi or Id-e-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammad)	October – 19	Tuesday
15.	Diwali (Deepavali)	November – 04	Thursday
16.	Guru Nanak's Birthday	November – 19	Friday
17.	Christmas Day	December – 25	Saturday



2. In addition, each employee shall also be allowed to avail himself / herself of any two holidays to be chosen by him / her out of the following Restricted Holidays:-

**LIST OF RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS DURING THE YEAR 2021**

S.NO	HOLIDAY	DATE	DAY
1.	New Year's Day	January - 1	Friday
2.	Lohri	January - 13	Wednesday
3.	Guru Gobind Singh's Birthday	January - 20	Wednesday
4.	Basant Panchami / Sri Panchami	February - 16	Tuesday
5.	Shivaji Jayanti	February - 19	Friday
6.	Hazarat Ali's Birthday	February - 26	Friday
7.	Guru Ravi Das's Birthday	February - 27	Saturday
8.	Swamy Dayananda Saraswati Jayanti	March - 8	Monday
9.	Maha Shivaratri	March - 11	Thursday
10.	Holikadahan / Dolyatra	March - 28	Sunday
11.	Holi	March - 29	Monday
12.	Easter	April - 4	Sunday
13.	Mesadi Tamil New Year's Day	April - 14	Wednesday
14.	Vaisakhadi (Bengal) / BhagBihu (Assam)	April - 15	Thursday
15.	Ram Navami	April - 21	Wednesday
16.	Jamat-UI-Vida	May - 7	Friday
17.	Guru Rabindranath's Birthday	May - 9	Sunday
18.	Rath Yatra	July - 12	Monday
19.	Parsi New Year's Day / Nauraj	August - 16	Monday
20.	Varalakshmi Vratam	August - 20	Friday
21.	Onam or Thiru Onam Day	August - 21	Saturday
22.	Raksha Bandhan	August - 22	Sunday



S.NO	HOLIDAY	DATE	DAY
23.	Janamashtami	August - 30	Monday
24.	Dussehra (Saptami)	October - 12	Tuesday
25.	Dussehra (Maha Ashtami)	October - 13	Wednesday
26.	Dussehra (Maha Navmi)	October - 14	Thursday
27.	Maharishi Valmiki's Birthday	October - 20	Wednesday
28.	Karaka Chaturthi (Karva Chouth)	October - 24	Sunday
29.	Naraka Chaturdasi	November - 3	Wednesday
30.	Govardhan Puja	November - 5	Friday
31.	Bhai Duj	November - 6	Saturday
32.	Pratihara Shashthi or Surya Shashthi (Chat Puja)	November - 10	Wednesday
33.	Guru Teg Bahadur's Martyrdom Day	November - 24	Wednesday
34.	Christmas Eve	December - 24	Friday

3. No substitute holiday will be allowed if any of the festival holidays initially declared subsequently happens to fall on a weekly off or any other non-working day or in the event of more than one festivals falling on the same day.
4. The date of holiday shall change, if necessary, based on the decision of the Central Government Employees' Welfare Co-ordination Committee (CGEWCC), in respect of Idu'l Fitr, Idu'l Zuha, Muharram and Id-e-Milad.

  
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**Registrar**

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