



UNIVERSITY OF GOUR BANGA

P.O.: Mokdumpur, Dist.: Malda, Pin – 732 103, West Bengal, India

List of Holidays for the Year 2024

Occasion	Holiday's Date	Day
New Year's Day	1 st January	Monday
Birthday of Swami Vivekananda	12 th January	Friday
Netaji's Birthday	23 rd January	Tuesday
Republic Day	26 th January	Friday
Day before Saraswati Puja	13 th February	Tuesday
Saraswati Puja (Shree Panchami) / Birth Day of Thakur Panchanan Barma	14 th February	Wednesday
University Foundation Day	19 th February	Monday
Shab-e-Barat	26 th February	Monday
Shivaratri	8 th March	Friday
Doljatra	25 th March	Monday
Day after Doljatra	26 th March	Tuesday
Good Friday	29 th March	Friday
** Birth Day of Shri Shri Harichand Thakur (Madhu Krishna Troyodashi Tithi)	6 th April	Saturday
Day before Id-UI-Fitr	10 th April	Wednesday
Eid-UI-Fitr	11 th April	Thursday
Bengali New Year's Day (Nababarsha) / Birthday of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar	14 th April	Sunday
Mahavir Jayanti	21 st April	Sunday
May Day	1 st May	Wednesday
Birthday of Rabindra Nath Tagore	8 th May	Wednesday
Buddha Purnima / Birthday of Pandit Raghunath Murmu	23 rd May	Thursday
ID-Ud-Zoha (Bakrid)	17 th June	Monday
Rathayatra	7 th July	Sunday
Muharram	17 th July	Wednesday
Independence Day	15 th August	Thursday
Rakhi Bandhan	19 th August	Monday
Janmastami	26 th August	Monday
Fateha-Dwaz-Daham	16 th September	Monday
Birthday of Gandhiji / Mahalaya	2 nd October	Wednesday
Durga Puja, Maha Chaturthi	7 th October	Monday
Durga Puja, Maha Panchami	8 th October	Tuesday
Durga Puja, Maha Shashthi	9 th October	Wednesday
Durga Puja, Maha Saptami	10 th October	Thursday
Durga Puja, Maha Ashtami and Maha Nabami	11 th October	Friday
** Durga Puja, Vijaya Dasami	12 th October	Saturday
Additional Day for Durga Puja	14 th October	Monday
Additional Day for Durga Puja	15 th October	Tuesday
Lakshmi Puja	16 th October	Wednesday
Additional Day for Lakshmi Puja	17 th October	Thursday
Additional Day for Lakshmi Puja	18 th October	Friday
Kali Puja	31 st October	Thursday
Additional Day for Kali Puja	1 st November	Friday
Bhratridwitiya	3 rd November	Sunday
Day after Bhratridwitiya	4 th November	Monday
Chhat Puja	7 th November	Thursday
Additional Day for Chhat Puja	8 th November	Friday
Birthday of Guru Nanak/Birth Day of Birsa Munda/Parshwanath's Rathajatra	15 th November	Friday
Christmas Day	25 th December	Wednesday
Karam Puja	To be notified later on	

* Sundays are holidays under the Negotiable Instruments Act. (N. I. Act).

** Saturdays will be observed as full holiday (For University Academic / Administrative Departments only).

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PUJA VACATION FOR THE AFFILIATED COLLEGES UNDER UNIVERSITY OF GOUR BANGA

Puja Vacation	From 8 th October 2024 (Tuesday) to 4 th November 2024 (Monday)
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Sectional Holidays in the year, 2024 for the employees of different communities mentioned against each: -

** Birth Day of Guru Rabidas	24 th February (Saturday) [For the followers of Guru Rabidas]
** Easter Saturday	30 th March (Saturday) [For Christians only]

NOTE:

The holiday with double asterisk mark [i.e., (**)] is applicable to those Government offices only where Saturdays are not observed as full holiday.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO BE FOLLOWED IN ALL TYPES OF HOLIDAYS INCLUDING HOLIDAYS

FOR THE MUSLIM FESTIVALS:

1. No substitute holiday(s) shall be allowed for any initially notified holiday(s) if any of the festivals subsequently happens to fall on a weekly off day / any other non working day or in the event of more than one festival/occasion falling on the same day.
2. If there is any change in the date of the festivals / occasions, viz., Id-UI-Fitar, Id-Ud-Zoha (Bakrid), Muharram, Fateha-Dwaz-Daham and Sab-e-Barat, depending upon the sighting of the moon, holiday will be declared by 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.
3. It may happen that the change of date of the above festivals / occasions has to be notified at a very short notice. In such a situation, announcement would be made through TV /A.I.R / Newspapers and the Heads of Department / Offices of the State Government may take action according to such announcements without waiting for formal order regarding the change of date.

The list is provisional and subject to modifications as per Government Orders and/or directions of the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, University of Gour Banga, if issued subsequently.

Date: 14.12.2023

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