



UTKAL UNIVERSITY OF CULTURE

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NOTIFICATION

It is hereby declared that all offices under Utkal University of Culture shall remain closed on account of festive/commemorative occasions listed in Annexure-I and all Sundays, Second Saturdays and Fourth Saturdays of every month during the Calendar Year, 2021, Saka Era 1942-1943.

In addition to the above holidays, the University employees will be allowed to avail one holiday at their option on any one of the festive occasions listed in Annexure-II irrespective of their religious denomination with written permission of the authority competent to sanction Casual Leave.

Since the festive/commemorative days as listed in Annexure-III fall on Sundays, Second Saturdays and Fourth Saturdays, those days have not been specifically declared as holidays.

In addition to the above holidays, the Vice-Chancellor may grant 04(four) holidays on special circumstances/occasions at his discretion during the year.

The working hour of the University will be from 10.00 A.M. to 5.30 P.M. with a lunch break from 1.30 P.M. to 2.00 P.M.

By order of the Vice-Chancellor,

3.12.2020

REGISTRAR

Memo No.1579/UUC

Date: 03-12-2020

Copy along with the list of holidays and optional holidays forwarded for information to :-

1. The Principal Secretary to Hon'ble Chancellor, Utkal University of Culture, Raj Bhavan, Bhubaneswar.
2. The Chief Secretary to Government of Odisha, Bhubaneswar

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3. The Principal Secretary to Government, Odia Language, Literature and Culture Department, Odisha, Bhubaneswar.
4. The Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Government, Higher Education Department, Odisha, Bhubaneswar.
5. The Secretary, University Grants Commissioner, Bahadur Saha Zafar Marg, New Delhi – 110 001.
6. The Director, Culture, Odisha, Bhubaneswar.
7. The Registrar, Sambalpur University, Burla, Sambalpur/Utkal University, Vani Vihar, Bhubaneswar/Berhampur University, Berhampur/Sri Jagannath Sanskrit University, Puri/O.U.A.T., Bhubaneswar/ Fakir Mohan University, Balasore/North Odisha University, Baripada/Biju Pattanaik University of Technology, Rourkela/Ravenshaw University, Cuttack/Ramadevi University, Bhubaneswar/ G.M. University, Sambalpur/ Khallikote University, Berhampur for kind information.
8. The Principal of all affiliated colleges of Utkal University of Culture.
9. All officers of this University.
10. Chairman, P.G.Council, Utkal University of Culture.
11. All sections of Utkal University of Culture/University Website/Notice Board.

3.12.2020

REGISTRAR

ANNEXURE - I**LIST OF HOLIDAYS FOR OFFICE OF THE UTKAL UNIVERSITY OF CULTURE**
FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2021

Sl. No.	Name of the festival	Date	Day of the Week	No. of Days
1	Makar Sankranti	14-Jan-2021	Thursday	1
2	Republic Day	26-Jan-2021	Tuesday	1
3	Basanta Panchami	16-Feb-2021	Tuesday	1
4	Panchayati Raj Divas	5-Mar-2021	Friday	1
5	Maha Sivaratri	11-Mar-2021	Thursday	1
6	Holi	29-Mar-2021	Monday	1
7	Utkal Divas	1-Apr-2021	Thursday	1
8	Good Friday	2-Apr-2021	Friday	1
9	Maha Visuva Sankranti/ Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Jayanti	14-Apr-2021	Wednesday	1
10	Ashokastami	20-Apr-2021	Tuesday	1
11	Ram Navami	21-Apr-2021	Wednesday	1
12	Id-UI-Fitre	14-May-2021	Friday	1
13	Akhaya Trutiya	15-May-2021	Saturday	1
14	Sabitri Amabasya	10-Jun-2021	Thursday	1
15	Pahili Raja	14-Jun-2021	Monday	1
16	Raja Sankranti	15-Jun-2021	Tuesday	1
17	Ratha Yatra	12-Jul-2021	Monday	1
18	Id-Uz-Zuha	21-Jul-2021	Wednesday	1
19	Moharrum	20-Aug-2021	Friday	1
20	Janmastami	30-Aug-2021	Monday	1
21	Ganesh Puja	10-Sep-2021	Friday	1
22	Gandhi Jayanti	2-Oct-2021	Saturday	1
23	Mahalaya	6-Oct-2021	Wednesday	1
24	Durga Puja/Birth Day of Prophet Mohammad/Mahalaxmi Puja/Kumar Purnami	11-Oct-2021 to 20-Oct-2021	Monday to Wednesday	10 Including one Sunday
25	Kali Puja/Dipabali	04-11-2021	Thursday	1
26	Aanla Navami	12-Nov-2021	Friday	1
27	Rahasa Purnima	19-Nov-2021	Friday	1
			Total Days	36

ANNEXURE – II

LIST OF OPTIONAL HOLIDAYS FOR THE YEAR 2021

Sl. No.	Name of the festival	Date on which it falls	Day of week	No. of days
1.	Guru Govind Singh Birthday	20-01-2021	Wednesday	1
2.	Foundation Day of Brahma Samaj	25-01-2021	Monday	1
3.	Easter Saturday	03-04-2021	Saturday	1
4.	Sahabe-E-Quadar	10-05-2021	Monday	1
5.	Buddha Purnima/ Birth Day of Raghunath Murmu	26-05-2021	Wednesday	1
6.	Bahuda Ytra	20-07-2021	Tuesday	1
7.	Christmas Eve	24-12-2021	Friday	1
			Total	07 days

The University employees may avail one optional holiday on any one of the above festive occasions.

ANNEXURE – III

LIST OF FESTIVALS/ COMMEMORATIVE DAYS WHICH FALLS ON SUNDAYS/SECOND SATURDAYS/FOURTH SATURDAYS DURING THE CALENDER YEAR – 2021

1.	Dolo Purnima	28-03-2021	Sunday	1
2.	Byasa Purnima/Guru Purnima	24-07-2021	Saturday	1
3.	Independence Day	15-08-2021	Sunday	1
4.	Rakshya Bandhan	22-08-2021	Sunday	1
5.	Christmas Day	25-12-2021	Saturday	1
			Total	05 days