



# UTKAL UNIVERSITY OF CULTURE

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## NOTIFICATION

It is hereby declared that the P.G. Teaching Departments of Utkal University of Culture shall remain closed on all Sundays and the days listed in **Annexure-I** of the Calendar year 2026.

Since the festive / commemorative days as listed in **Annexure-II** fall on Sunday those days have not been specifically declared as holidays.

In addition to this, the Vice Chancellor may at his discretion grant **4 (four) holidays** on special circumstances for all P.G. Teaching Departments. The working hours of P.G. Teaching Department shall remain as usual.

By order of Vice Chancellor

*As*  
04.12.2025

**REGISTRAR**

Memo No. 1503 /UUC Date: 04.12.2025

1. The Principals of all affiliated colleges of Utkal University of Culture (Through University Website).
2. All Officers of this University.
3. Head, P.G. Teaching Dept., Utkal University of Culture, BBSR.
4. Chair Professor, Sarala Das Chair, Utkal University of Culture, BBSR.
5. University Website / Notice Board / All sections of U.U.C. / Steno to Vice Chancellor.

*As*  
04.12.2025

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**LIST OF HOLIDAYS FOR OFFICE OF THE P.G. DEPARTMENT**  
**FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR - 2026**

Sl. No.	Name of the Festival	Date	Day of the Week	No. of Holidays
1	Makar Sankranti	14-Jan-2026	Wednesday	1
2	Subash Chandra Bose Jayanti / Vir Surendra Sai Jayanti / Basant Panchami	23-Jan-2026	Friday	1
3	Republic Day	26-Jan-2026	Monday	1
4	Dola Purnima	3-Mar-2026	Tuesday	1
5	Holi	4-Mar-2026	Wednesday	1
6	Id-UI-Fitre	21-Mar-2026	3rd Saturday	1
7	Shree Rama Navami	27-Mar-2026	Friday	1
8	Utkal Divas	1-Apr-2026	Wednesday	1
9	Good Friday	3-Apr-2026	Friday	1
10	Maha Vishuva Sankranti / Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Jayanti	14-Apr-2026	Tuesday	1
11	Budha Purnima /	1-May-2026	Friday	1
12	Sabitri Amabasya	16-May-2026	3rd Saturday	1
13	Summer Vacation	18-May-2026 to 30-Jun-2026	Monday to Tuesday	35 (Excluding 6 Sundays & 3 Holidays)
14	Ratha Yatra	16-Jul-2026	Thursday	1
15	Independence Day	15-Aug-2026	3rd Saturday	1
16	Birthday of Prophet Muhammad	26-Aug-2026	Wednesday	1
17	Jhulana Purnima	27-Aug-2026	Thursday	1
18	Janmasthanmi	4-Sep-2026	Friday	1
19	Ganesh Puja	14-Sep-2026	Monday	1
20	Nua Khai	15-Sep-2026	Tuesday	1
21	Day following Nua Khai	16-Sep-2026	Wednesday	1
22	Gandhi Jayanti	2-Oct-2026	Friday	1
23	Mahalaya	10-Oct-2026	<b>2nd Saturday</b>	1
24	Durga Puja Vacation	17-Oct-2026 to 24-Oct-2026	3rd Saturday to <b>4th Saturday</b>	7 Excluding 01 Sunday
25	Anla Navami	18-Nov-2026	Wednesday	1
26	Rahas Purnima	24-Nov-2026	Tuesday	1
27	Prathamastami	1-Dec-2026	Tuesday	1
28	X-Mas Day	25-Dec-2026	Friday	1
<b>Total Days</b>				<b>68</b>

**LIST OF FESTIVALS / COMMEMORATIVE DAYS WHICH FALLS ON  
SUNDAYS DURING THE CALENDER YEAR - 2026 FOR OFFICE OF THE  
P.G. DEPARMENT, UTKAL UNIVERSITY OF CULTURE**

1	Maha Sivaratri	15-Feb-2026	Sunday	1
2	Pahili Raja	14-Jun-2026	Sunday	1
3	Mahasthami	18-Oct-2026	Sunday	1
4	Kumar Purnima	25-Oct-2026	Sunday	1
5	Diwali	8-Nov-2026	Sunday	1
			<b>Total Days</b>	<b>5</b>

The working hours of the University is from **10.00 A.M** to **5.30 P.M** with a break for lunch from 1.30 P.M. to 2.00 P.M.

  
Registrar  
Utkal University of Culture  
Bhubaneswar