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**List of Holidays for the year 2013**

Name of Festivals	No. of day(s)	Days of the week	English Date
Birthday of Swami Vivekananda	0	Saturday	12 <sup>th</sup> January
Convocation Day	0	Saturday	19 <sup>th</sup> January
Birthday of Netaji	1	Wednesday	23 <sup>rd</sup> January
Fateha-doaz-Daham	1	Friday	25 <sup>th</sup> January
Republic Day	0	Saturday	26 <sup>th</sup> January
Shree Panchami (Saraswati Puja)	1	Friday	15 <sup>th</sup> February
Foundation Day	0	Saturday	16 <sup>th</sup> February
Doljatra	1	Wednesday	27 <sup>th</sup> March
Good Friday	1	Friday	29 <sup>th</sup> March
Birthday of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar	0	Sunday	14 <sup>th</sup> April
Bengali New Year's Day	1	Monday	15 <sup>h</sup> April
May Day	1	Wednesday	1 <sup>st</sup> May
Birthday of Rabindranath Tagore	1	Thursday	9 <sup>th</sup> May
Id-UI-Fitre	1	Friday	9 <sup>th</sup> August
Independence Day	1	Thursday	15 <sup>th</sup> August
Janmastami	1	Wednesday	28 <sup>th</sup> August
Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	1	Wednesday	2 <sup>nd</sup> October
Mahalaya	1	Friday	4 <sup>th</sup> October
Durga Puja Holiday (Saptami 11 <sup>th</sup> Oct) Id-Uz-Zoha (16 <sup>th</sup> October-Wednesday) Laxmi Puja (18 <sup>th</sup> October-Friday)	9	(Friday to next Saturday)	11 <sup>th</sup> October to 19 <sup>th</sup> October
Kali Puja	0	Saturday	2 <sup>nd</sup> November
Bhatridwitiya	1	Tuesday	5 <sup>th</sup> November
Muharram	1	Thursday	14 <sup>th</sup> November
Guru Nanak Jayanthi	0	Sunday	17 <sup>th</sup> November
Christmas Day	1	Wednesday	25 <sup>th</sup> December

The following days may be observed as Sectional Holidays for the employees of different communities:

Easter Saturday	0	Saturday	30 <sup>th</sup> March (for Christians only)
Baisakhi	0	Sunday	14 <sup>th</sup> April (for Sikhs only)
Buddha Purnima	0	Saturday	25 <sup>th</sup> May (for Buddhist only)
Sab-e-Barat	1	Tuesday	25 <sup>th</sup> June (for Muslims only)

Apart from these holidays another two restricted holidays may be availed on any religious/festive occasion.

University will remain closed on Saturdays and Sundays.

(If any of the holidays fall on Saturday and Sunday no additional holiday will be allowed instead)

NB: If there is any change in the date of Id-ul-Fitre, Id-uz-Zoha, Muharram, Fateh-Duaz-Daham, Sab-e-Barat depending upon the sighting of 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 this festival at par with State Govt. notification.

This is issued with the approval of the Vice Chancellor and ratification of EC (Resolution No 31.22A.01)

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(Dr. B. Bandyopadhyay)  
Registrar

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