

GIRI INSTITUTE OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES, LUCKNOW
List of Holidays for the Year 2026

Gazetted Holidays				Restricted Holidays			
Festivals	Date	Days of the Week	No. of Days	Festivals	Date	Days of the Week	No. of Days
*Hazrat Ali Jayanti	03 January	Saturday	1	New Year Day	01 January	Thursday	1
Republic Day	26 January	Monday	1	Makar Sankranti	14 January	Wednesday	1
Maha Shivaratri	15 February	Sunday	1	Basant Panchami	23 January	Friday	1
Holika Dahan	02 March	Monday	1	Jannayak Karpoori Thakur B'day	24 January	Saturday	1
Holi	04 March	Wednesday	1	Sant Ravidas Jayanti	01 February	Sunday	1
#Holi	05 March	Thursday	1	*Shabe Barat	04 February	Wednesday	1
#Shitla Ashtmi	11 March	Wednesday	1	Holi	05 March	Thursday	1
*Idul Fitr	21 March	Saturday	1	*Jamat Ul Vida/Jamat Ul wida	13 March	Friday	1
Ram Navami	26 March	Thursday	1	Chheti Chand	19 March	Thursday	1
Mahaveer Jayanti	31 March	Tuesday	1	*Eid ul fitr	22 March	Sunday	1
Good Friday	03 April	Friday	1	Easter Saturday	04 April	Saturday	1
Dr Bhim Rao Ambedkar Jayanti	14 April	Tuesday	1	Maharshi Kashyap and Maharaja Nishadraj Guhy Jayanti	05 April	Sunday	1
Buddha Purnima	01 May	Friday	1	Easter Monday	06 April	Monday	1
#Mahaveer Ji ka Mela	05 May	Tuesday	1	Chandrashekhar Jayanti	17 April	Friday	1
*Bakrid/Eid-ul-Zuha	27 May	Wednesday	1	Parasuram Jayanti	19 April	Sunday	1
*Muharram	26 June	Thursday	1	Loknayak Maha Rana Pratap Jayanti	09 May	Saturday	1
Independence Day	15 August	Saturday	1	*Eid ul Juha/Bakrid	28 May	Thursday	1
*Eid-E-Milad/ Barawafat	26 August	Wednesday	1	*Muharram	25 June	Thursday	1
Raksha Bandhan	28 August	Friday	1	*Chehlum	04 August	Tuesday	1
Janmashtami	04 September	Friday	1	Vishkarma Puja	17 September	Thursday	1
Mahatma Gandhi Jayanti	02 October	Friday	1	Anant Chaturdashi	25 September	Friday	1
Dussehra Maha Navami/Vijay Dashmi	20 October	Tuesday	1	Maharaj Agrasen Jayanti	11 October	Sunday	1
Diwali	08 November	Sunday	1	Dussehra Mahaashstami	19 October	Monday	1
Govardhan Puja	09 November	Monday	1	Maharishi Valmiki Jayanti	26 October	Monday	1
Bhai Dooj/Chitragupt Jayanti	11 November	Wednesday	1	Sardar Balabh Bhai Patel/ Achair Narindra Dev Jayanti	31 October	Saturday	1
Guru Nanak Jayanti+Kartik Purinma+Guru Teg Bahadur Shahid Diwas	24 November	Tuesday	1	Narak Chaturdeshi	08 November	Sunday	1
Christmas Day	25 December	Friday	1	Chhath puja festival	15 November	Sunday	1
				Uda Devi Shahid Diwas	16 November	Monday	1
Casual Leave - 14 Days				Hazrat Khwaja MC Ajmer	16 December	Wednesday	1
Restricted Leave - 2 Days				Garib Nawaz Ka Urs			
				Ch. Charan Singh Jayanti	23 December	Wednesday	1
				Christmas Eve	24 December	Thursday	1

Note: Staff may, with prior sanction from Director/FAO, avail any two restricted holidays.

*Depending on the visibility of Moon.

Manual of government orders

+Holidays declared under executive orders in the offices of head of departments and other departments where five-day working week is applicable.

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