

**PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY
PUDUCHERRY**

**HOLIDAYS - DECLARATION OF PUBLIC HOLIDAYS AND RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS FOR ALL
UNIVERSITY OFFICES AND INSTITUTIONS UNDER PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY
DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 2016 - NOTIFICATION - ISSUED.**

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All University Schools, Departments, Centres and Offices under the control of Pondicherry University except the Central Library, University Health Centre, Gyms and Departments of Ocean Studies & Marine Biology and Department of Coastal Disaster Management, Port Blair, shall be closed on the days specified in Appendix-I, during the calendar year 2016. The following festivals, which fall on Sundays during the year, 2016 have been excluded from the holiday list:

- (i) Sunday, the 1st May, 2016 ... May Day.
- (ii) Sunday, the 25th December 2016 ... Christmas

The Departments at Port Blair will follow the Public Holidays declared by the Andaman & Nicobar Government.

In addition to the above closed holidays, the University employees are also permitted to avail of ANY TWO HOLIDAYS to be chosen by the employee from out of the list of Restricted Holidays specified in Appendix-II during the Calendar year 2016.

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DEPUTY REGISTRAR (ADMN.)

1. All Directors, Pondicherry University
2. All Deans/Heads of Departments/ Centres ...
Pondicherry University, Puducherry / Karaikal /
Mahe / Andaman.
3. All Officers of the University, Pondicherry University.
4. The Librarian, Central Library, Pondicherry University.
5. The Chief Medical Officer, University Health Centre, Pondicherry University.
6. All Members of Staff (By circulation).

*With a request to display in the
Notice Board of the School / Dept. /
Centre*

Copy for information to :

- i). The Director of Education, Government of Puducherry
- ii). Affiliated institutions (as per list enclosed)

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RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS – 2016

Sl. No.	DATE	DAY	FESTIVAL
1	14.01.2016	Thursday	Bhogi
2	15.01.2016	Friday	Pongal (for Mahe region only)
3	16.01.2016	Saturday	Thiruvalluvar Day (for Mahe and Yanam regions only)
4	22.02.2016	Monday	Masimagam
5	07.03.2016	Monday	Mahasivarathiri
6	19.03.2016	Saturday	Feast of St. Joseph
7	24.03.2016	Thursday	Maundy Thursday
8	28.03.2016	Monday	Easter Monday
9	08.04.2016	Friday	Telugu New Year Day (for Puducherry, Karaikal & Mahe regions only)
10	13.04.2016	Wednesday	Vishu 1 st day (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam regions only)
11	15.04.2016	Friday	Ram Navami
12	20.04.2016	Wednesday	Mahavir Jayanthi
13	05.05.2016	Thursday	Ascension of Our Lady
14	06.05.2016	Friday	Shab-e-mihraj*
15	17.05.2016	Tuesday	Kandhoori Urs Festival * (For Karaikal region only)
16	20.05.2016	Friday	Villianur Car Festival
17	21.05.2015	Saturday	Buddha Purnima
18	23.05.2016	Monday	Shab-e-Barath*
19	26.05.2016	Thursday	Sandana Koodu (For Karaikal region only)
20	19.06.2016	Sunday	Mangani Festival

