

**PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY
PUDUCHERRY**

**HOLIDAYS - DECLARATION OF PUBLIC HOLIDAYS AND RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS FOR ALL
UNIVERSITY OFFICES AND INSTITUTIONS UNDER PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY
DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 2019 - 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 2019. The following festivals, which fall on Sunday during the year, 2019 have been excluded from the holiday list:

- i. Sunday, the 14th April, 2019 Dr.Ambedkar's Birthday/ Tamil New Year's Day/
Vishu - 1st day
- ii. Sunday, the 27th October 2019Diwali

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 out of the list of Restricted Holidays specified in Appendix-II during the Calendar year 2019.

// BY ORDER //

DEPUTY REGISTRAR [Admn.]

1. All Directors, Pondicherry University
2. All Deans/Heads of Departments/ Centres
Pondicherry University, Puducherry / Karaikal /
Mahe / Andaman. ... *With a request to display in the
Notice Board of the School / Dept. /
Centre*
3. The Librarian, Central Library, Pondicherry University.
4. All Officers of the University, Pondicherry University.
5. The Chief Medical Officer, University Health Centre, Pondicherry University.
6. All Members of Staff (By circulation).

Copy for information to:

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

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P. Rajasekaran
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PUBLIC HOLIDAYS – 2019

Sl. No.	DATE	DAY	FESTIVAL
1	01.01.2019	Tuesday	New Year's Day
2	15.01.2019	Tuesday	Pongal
3	16.01.2019	Wednesday	Thiruvalluvar Day/Mattu Pongal
4	26.01.2019	Saturday	Republic Day
5	19.04.2019	Friday	Good Friday
6	01.05.2019	Wednesday	May Day
7	05.06.2019	Wednesday	Ramzan (Id-ul-Fitr)*
8	12.08.2019	Monday	Bakrid (Id-ul-Adha)*
9	15.08.2019	Thursday	Independence Day
10	16.08.2019	Friday	De jure Transfer Day
11	02.09.2019	Monday	Vinayagar Chathurthi
12	02.10.2019	Wednesday	Gandhi Jayanthi
13	07.10.2019	Monday	Saraswathi Pooja/Ayudha Pooja
14	01.11.2019	Friday	Puducherry Liberation Day
15	10.11.2019	Sunday	Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad * (Birthday of Prophet Mohammad)
16	25.12.2019	Wednesday	Christmas

* Subject to change depending on the appearance of the Moon.

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RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS – 2019

Sl. No.	DATE	DAY	FESTIVAL
1	01.01.2019	Tuesday	New Year's Day (for Mahe region)
2	14.01.2019	Monday	Bhogi
3	15.01.2019	Tuesday	Pongal (for Mahe region)
4	16.01.2019	Wednesday	Thiruvalluvar Day (for Mahe and Yanam regions) Kanuma (for Yanam region)
5	17.01.2019	Thursday	Uzhavar Thirunal
6	19.02.2019	Tuesday	Masimagam
7	04.03.2019	Monday	Mahasivarathiri
8	19.03.2019	Tuesday	Feast of St. Joseph
9	20.03.2019	Wednesday	Sri Kailasanathar Temple Car festival (for Karaikal region)
10	03.04.2019	Wednesday	Shab-e-Miharaj* (For Mahe region)
11	04.04.2019	Thursday	Shab-e-Miharaj* (For Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam regions)
12	06.04.2019	Saturday	Telugu New Year's Day (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Mahe regions)
13	13.04.2019	Saturday	Sri Rama Navami
14	15.04.2019	Monday	Kandhoori Urs Festival * (for Karaikal region) Vishu 2 nd day (for Puduchery, Karaikal and Yanam regions)
15	17.04.2019	Wednesday	Mahavir Jayanthi
16	18.04.2019	Thursday	Maundy Thursday
17	21.04.2019	Sunday	Shab-e-Barath
18	22.04.2019	Monday	Easter Monday
19	25.04.2019	Thursday	Sandana Koodu* (For Karaikal region)
20	18.05.2019	Saturday	Budda Purnima*
21	01.06.2019	Saturday	Lailathul Qadr* (For Mahe Region)
22	02.06.2019	Sunday	Ascension (Kristhuvinnnettram) Lailathul Qadr* (For Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam regions)

23	13.06.2019	Thursday	Villianur Car Festival (for Puducherry region)
24	16.07.2019	Tuesday	Mangani Festival
25	31.07.2019	Wednesday	Karkidaka Amavasi
26	16.08.2019	Friday	Veerampattinam Car Festival (for Puducherry region)
27	23.08.2019	Friday	Gokulashtmai
28	02.09.2019	Monday	Vinayaga Chathurthi (for Mahe region)
29	10.09.2019	Tuesday	Onam 1 st Day (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam regions only) Muharram * (Ashuraday)
30	11.09.2019	Wednesday	Onam 2 nd Day (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam regions only)
31	13.09.2019	Friday	Sree Narayana Guru Jayanthi
32	21.09.2019	Saturday	Sree Narayana Guru Samadhi
33	08.10.2019	Tuesday	Vijayadasami
34	15.10.2019	Tuesday	St. Theresa Festival (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam region only)
35	26.10.2019	Saturday	Deepavali Eve
36	02.11.2019	Saturday	All Souls Day
37	12.11.2019	Tuesday	Guru Nanak's Birthday
38	02.12.2019	Monday	Sri Subrahmanya Sasti
39	08.12.2019	Sunday	Immaculate Conception of Blessed Virgin Mary
40	10.12.2019	Tuesday	Karthigai Deepam
41	24.12.2019	Tuesday	Christmas Eve

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P. Subramanian
24/11/19

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