

**PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY
PUDUCHERRY**

**HOLIDAYS - DECLARATION OF PUBLIC HOLIDAYS AND RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS FOR ALL
UNIVERSITY OFFICES AND INSTITUTIONS UNDER PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY
DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 2015 - 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 2015.

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 2015.

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

Copy for information to :

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

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PUBLIC HOLIDAYS – 2015

Sl. No.	DATE	DAY	FESTIVAL
1	01.01.2015	Thursday	New Year's Day
2	03.01.2015	Saturday	Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammad)
3	15.01.2015	Thursday	Pongal
4	16.01.2015	Friday	Thiruvalluvar Day
5	26.01.2015	Monday	Republic Day
6	03.04.2015	Friday	Good Friday
7	14.04.2015	Tuesday	Tamil New Year's Day / Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's Birthday
8	01.05.2015	Friday	May Day
9	18.07.2015	Saturday	Ramzan (Id-ul-Fitr)*
10	15.08.2015	Saturday	Independence Day
11	17.09.2015	Thursday	Vinayagar Chaturthi
12	24.09.2015	Thursday	Bakrid (Id-ul-Alha)*
13	02.10.2015	Friday	Gandhi Jayanthi
14	21.10.2015	Wednesday	Ayudha Pooja
15	10.11.2015	Tuesday	Deepavali
#	24.12.2015	Thursday	Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammad)
16	25.12.2015	Friday	Christmas

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

Milad-Un-Nabi or Id-E-Milad (Birthday of Prophet Mohammad) falls twice in the year 2015.


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RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS – 2015

Sl. No.	DATE	DAY	FESTIVAL
1	14.01.2015	Wednesday	Bhogi
2	15.01.2015	Thursday	Pongal (for Mahe region only)
3	16.01.2015	Friday	Thiruvalluvar Day (for Mahe and Yanam regions only)
4	17.01.2015	Saturday	Uzhavar Thirunal
5	17.02.2015	Tuesday	Mahashivarathri
6	04.03.2015	Wednesday	Masimagam
7	19.03.2015	Thursday	Feast of St. Joseph
8	21.03.2015	Saturday	Telugu New Year Day (for Puducherry, Karaikal & Mahe regions only)
9	28.03.2015	Saturday	Ram Navami
10	02.04.2015	Thursday	Maundy Thursday / Mahavir Jayanthi
11	06.04.2015	Monday	Easter Monday
12	15.04.2015	Wednesday	Vishu 2 nd day (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam regions only)
13	04.05.2015	Monday	Buddha Purnima
14	15.05.2015	Friday	Shab-e-mihraj* (for Yanam region only)
15	16.05.2015	Saturday	Shab-e-mihraj* (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Mahe regions only)
16	28.05.2015	Thursday	Kandoori Urs Festival* (For Karaikal Region only)
17	01.06.2015	Monday	Shab-e-Barath* (for Yanam region only)
18	02.06.2015	Tuesday	Shab-e-Barath* (for Mahe region only)
19	03.06.2015	Wednesday	Shab-e-Barath* (for Puducherry and Karaikal regions only)
20	07.06.2015	Sunday	Sandana Koodu (For Karaikal Region only)

21	01.07.2015	Wednesday	Mangani Festival
22	14.07.2015	Tuesday	Lailathul qadr*
23	14.08.2015	Friday	Veerampattinam Car Festival / Karikida Amavasi
24	27.08.2015	Thursday	Onam 1 st Day (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam regions only)
25	28.08.2015	Friday	Onam 2 nd Day (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam regions only)
26	30.08.2015	Sunday	Sree Narayana Guru Jayanthi
27	05.09.2015	Saturday	Krishna Jayanthi
28	17.09.2015	Thursday	Vinayaga Chathurthi (for Mahe region only)
29	15.10.2015	Thursday	St. Theresa Festival (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam regions only)
30	21.10.2015	Wednesday	Mahanavami (for Mahe region only) / Ayudha Pooja (for Yanam region only)
31	22.10.2015	Thursday	Vijayadasami
32	23.10.2015	Friday	Muharram (Ashuraday)* (for Mahe and Yanam regions only)
33	24.10.2015	Saturday	Muharram (Ashuraday)* (for Puducherry, Karaikal and Yanam regions only)
34	02.11.2015	Monday	All Souls Day
35	09.11.2015	Monday	Deepavali Eve
36	10.11.2015	Tuesday	Deepavali (For Mahe region only)
37	25.11.2015	Wednesday	Guru Nanak's birthday
38	08.12.2015	Tuesday	Immaculate Conception of Blessed Virgin Mary
39	17.12.2015	Thursday	Sri Subrahmanya Sasti Festival
40	21.12.2015	Monday	Vaikunta Ekadesi
41	24.12.2015	Thursday	Christmas Eve

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