

**HIMACHAL PRADESH UNIVERSITY**  
**'General Administration Section'**

No.16-18/79-HPU (Genl.) Vol-VIII

Dated:

29 OCT 2024

**NOTIFICATION**

The Vice-Chancellor is pleased to adopt the Notification No. GAD-A(F)10-7/2023 dated 18<sup>th</sup> October, 2024 alongwith Annexure- I, II, III, & IV issued by the Joint Secretary (GAD) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh with regard to the Gazetted/ Restricted Holidays during the Calendar year-2025, in the State of Himachal Pradesh (**copy enclosed**) for its implementation in the University.

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Copy to:-

1. The DS/DSW/Chief Warden/Dean, CDC, HPU, Shimla-5.
2. All the Deans/Chairpersons/Director of Teaching Departments, HPU-Shimla-5.
3. The Director, ICDEOL/Phy.Edu. & Y.P./AERC/HRDC/IQAC /HPUBS/UIT/UCBS /PECC/DIS/Life Long Learning/UILS, HPU/RC, Dharmshala.
4. The Finance Officer/ Dy. Controller F&A, HPU, Shimla-5
5. The COE/ACOE/P& DO/Librarian/Public Relation Officer, HPU, In-charge, HPU Health Centre/Computer Centre, Shimla-5
6. The Joint Controller, SAD/Internal Audit Officer, HPU, Shimla-5.
7. The Principal, HPUDES, Shimla-1.
8. The Principal, HPU, Model School, Shimla-5.
9. The Executive Engineer (Const./Maint.)/ Architect, HPU, Shimla-5.
10. The Chief Security Officer, HPU, Shimla-5.
11. The SPS to VC/PS to PVC/SPS to Registrar, HPU, Shimla-5.
- 12. The Web Administrator, HPU, Shimla-5 with the request to upload the above Notification on the University Website immediately.**
13. Notice Board/Guard File.

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H.P. University  
Genl. Admn Section  
Dy. No. 2704  
Date 18/10/24

**GOVERNMENT OF HIMACHAL PRADESH**  
**GENERAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT**  
**SECTION-A**

No.GAD-A(F)10-7/2023 Dated Shimla-2 the

18-10-2024

**NOTIFICATION**

The Governor, Himachal Pradesh is pleased to order that the holidays as listed in Annexure-I, will be observed as "**Gazetted Holiday**" during the **Calendar Year 2025**, in the State of Himachal Pradesh.

2. In addition to the holidays mentioned in **Annexure-1**, all Government employees will be authorized to avail two 'Restricted Holidays' out of those mentioned in **Annexure-III**.

3. Holidays listed in **Annexure-II** are declared 'Gazetted Holidays' for women employees working in all Government Offices/ Boards/ Corporations/ Educational Institutions in H.P. These will also be holidays for women employees within the meaning of Section 25 of Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 and also to daily wage women employees.

4. (i) The Deputy Commissioners in the State are authorized to declare two local holidays within their jurisdiction during the Year 2025 in connection with celebration of important fairs and festivals in the respective District/ Area.

(ii) However, for the offices situated within the Municipal limits of Shimla, two local holidays will be declared by the State Government after receiving proposal in this regard from the Deputy Commissioner, Shimla and for the rest of the areas of District Shimla, two local holidays will be declared/decided by the Deputy Commissioner, Shimla as per past practice. For the Offices of H.P. Government situated at Delhi, two local holidays will be declared by the State Government after receiving proposal from Pr. Resident Commissioner, H.P., New Delhi.

5. The holidays listed in Annexure-IV are also declared as 'Gazetted Holidays' within the meaning of Section 25 of Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881.

-By order-

Pr. Secretary (GAD) to the  
Government of Himachal Pradesh

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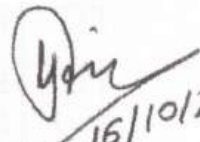
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Copy for information &amp; necessary action is forwarded to the:-

1. All Administrative Secretaries to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.
2. The Secretary to Governor, H.P. Shimla-2.
3. The D.G. of Police/ADGP(CID)H.P., Shimla.
4. The Pr. PS-cum-Spl. Secy to Hon'ble Chief Minister, H.P, Shimla for information.
5. All HODs Himachal Pradesh.
6. The Director (LAC/ Education) Shimla, H.P.
7. The Director (IPR) Shimla, HP for appropriate publicity.
8. The Registrar(s), HPU-Summer Hill Shimla/CSK Himachal Pradesh Agriculture University Palampur and Dr.Y.S Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry Solan, H.P. Technical University Hamirpur, H.P and Sardar Patel University Mandi, H.P.
9. MDs /Commissioners of All Boards/ Corporations Himachal Pradesh.
10. The Station Director, Doordarshan /All India Radio, Shimla.
11. The PSs/ Spl.PSs/ Sr.Spl PSs to Hon'ble Speaker/ Deputy Speaker, H.P, Vidhan Sabha, Shimla-4.
12. The PSs/Spl.PSs/Sr.Spl PSs to all Hon'ble Ministers, H.P.Sectt., Shimla-2
13. The PSs to All Hon'ble Chief Parliamentary Secretaries, HP Sectt. Shimla-2
14. The Sr.Spl PS to Chief Secretary, HP Secretariat Shimla -2
15. PS to Chairman 7<sup>th</sup> State Finance Commission,
16. PS to Vice Chairman H.P. Tourism Dev. Board, H.P.
17. PS to Deputy Chairman State Planning Board, H.P.
18. P.S. to Deputy Chief Whip, Shimla.
19. The Chief Secretaries all States/ UTs.
20. The Secretary, Election Commission, Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi.
21. All the Divisional Commissioners, H.P.
22. All the Deputy Commissioners, Himachal Pradesh.
23. The Pr. R.C., H.P. Govt., New Delhi-110001.
24. The Secretary, HP Public Service Commission, H.P.
25. The Administrative Officer, Rajya Chayan Aayog - HPRCA, Hamirpur, Himachal Pradesh.
26. The Secretary, HP Vidhan Sabha, Shimla.
27. The Registrar, H.P. High Court, Shimla.
28. The Secretary, H.P. Board of School Education, Dharamshala, Distt. Kangra H.P.
29. The Controller, Himachal Pradesh Printing and Stationary Department, Shimla for publication in the Rajpatra (Ordinary).
30. The Pr. A.G., Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-3.
31. The Secretary, Rajya Sainik Board, Hamirpur H.P.
32. The Director, Census Operation, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla.
33. The Regional Director, Reserve Bank of India, Shimla-9.
34. The Manager, Central Bank of India, Combermere Hotel, Near lift Shimla, HP.
35. The Manager, Indian Bank, Kasumpti, Shimla-9.
36. The Divisional Manager, Indian Oil Corporation, Shimla.
37. The Divisional Manager, LIC, Shimla.
38. The Zonal Manager, Punjab National Bank, Zonal Office, MC Parking Complex, Cart Road Shimla-1.

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39. The SLBC, UCO Bank Zonal Office Himland, email (slbchp@ucobank.co.in)
40. The Zonal Manager, United Commercial Bank, Himland Hotel Building Circular Road Shimla-1.
41. The Zonal Manager, Zonal Office, Punjab & Sind Bank, SCO-84 to 91, Bank Square Sector- 17 B, Chandigarh.
42. The Manager, State Bank of India/ PNB/ HP Cooperative Bank, HP Secretariat Shimla-2
43. The Manager, NABARD/ICICI Bank/ Punjab & Sindh Bank of India/ Oriental Bank of Commerce/ J&K Bank/ Syndicate Bank of India/ Union Bank of India/ Indian Overseas Bank/ Maharashtra Bank, H.P. Shimla.
44. The Manager, Canara Bank, Shimla/ Solan, Himachal Pradesh.
45. The Manager, National Agriculture & Rural Dev. Bank, Shimla.
46. The Deputy General Manager, Small Industrial Developmental Bank of India, Shimla-1.
47. The Manager, Oriental Insurance Corpn. Civil Estate, Kaithu, Shimla.
48. The Manager, Central Insurance Corp. Mai- The Estate, Shimla.
49. The Manager, United India Insurance Corpn. Bhagra Niwas, Shimla.
50. The Manager, New India Insurance Corpn., The Mall, Shimla.
51. The Manager, National Insurance Corpn., Timber House, Shimla.
52. The Manager, Indian Industrial Dev. Bank Shimla.
53. The MD, HP Co-operative Bank, Shimla/ Kangra Central Co-operative Bank, Dharamshala/ Jogindra Central Co-operative Bank, Solan/ Bhagat Urban Bank, Solan/ Shimla Urban Bank, Shimla/ Mandi/ Urban Bank, Mandi/ Rural Dev. Bank Mandi, HP.
54. The Chief Post Master General, H.P., Shimla-9.
55. The Chief General Manager, BSNL, Shimla.
56. Guard File.

  
16/10/2024

(Parveen Kumar Taak)  
Joint Secretary (GAD) to the  
Government of Himachal Pradesh.



**Gazetted Holidays for the Year-2025**

S.N.	Holiday	Date	Saka Date	Day of week
<b>1946 Saka Era</b>				
1.	Statehood Day	25 <sup>th</sup> January, 2025	Magha 05	Saturday
2.	Republic Day	26 <sup>th</sup> January, 2025	Magha 06	Sunday
3.	Guru Ravidas's Birthday	12 <sup>th</sup> February, 2025	Magha 23	Wednesday
4.	Maha Shivratri	26 <sup>th</sup> February, 2025	Phalguna 07	Wednesday
5.	Holi	14 <sup>th</sup> March, 2025	Phalguna 23	Friday
<b>1947 Saka Era</b>				
6.	Id-ul-Fitr	31 <sup>th</sup> March, 2025	Chaitra 10	Monday
7.	Ram Navmi	06 <sup>th</sup> April, 2025	Chaitra 16	Sunday
8.	Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's Birthday	14 <sup>th</sup> April, 2025	Chaitra 24	Monday
9.	Himachal Day	15 <sup>th</sup> April, 2025	Chaitra 25	Tuesday
10.	Good Friday	18 <sup>th</sup> April, 2025	Chaitra 28	Friday
11.	Bhagvan Shree Parshuram Jayanti	29 <sup>th</sup> April, 2025	Vaisakha 8	Tuesday
12.	Budha Purnima	12 <sup>th</sup> May, 2025	Vaisakha 22	Monday
13.	Maharana Pratap Jayanti	29 <sup>th</sup> May, 2025	Jyaishtha 8	Thursday
14.	Id-ul-Zuha (Bakrid)	7 <sup>th</sup> June, 2025	Jyaishtha 17	Saturday
15.	Sant Guru Kabir Jayanti (Prakat Diwas)	11 <sup>th</sup> June, 2025	Jyaishtha 21	Wednesday
16.	Muharram	06 <sup>th</sup> July, 2025	Ashadha 15	Sunday
17.	Independence Day	15 <sup>th</sup> August, 2025	Sravana 24	Friday
18.	Janmashtami	16 <sup>th</sup> August, 2025	Sravana 25	Saturday
19.	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	02 <sup>nd</sup> October, 2025	Asvina 10	Thursday
20.	Dussehra	02 <sup>th</sup> October, 2025	Asvina 10	Thursday
21.	Maharishi Valmiki's Birthday	07 <sup>th</sup> October, 2025	Asvina 15	Tuesday
22.	Diwali (Deepavali)	20 <sup>th</sup> October, 2025	Asvina 28	Monday
23.	Guru Nanak's Birthday	05 <sup>th</sup> November, 2025	Kartika 14	Wednesday
24.	Christmas Day	25 <sup>th</sup> December, 2025	Pausha 04	Thursday

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Gazetted Holidays for the Year-2025 for women employees working in all Government Offices/Boards/Corporations/Educational Institutions in H.P. These will also be holidays for women employees under Section 25 of Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 and also to daily waged women employees.

Sr. No.	Holiday	Date	Saka Date	Day of week
<b>1947 Saka Era</b>				
1.	Raksha Bandhan	09 <sup>th</sup> August, 2025	Sarvana 18	Saturday
2.	Karva Chauth	10 <sup>th</sup> October, 2025	Asvina 18	Friday
3.	Bhai Duj	23 <sup>rd</sup> October, 2025	Kartika 01	Thursday

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Restricted Holidays for the Year-2025

S.N.	Holiday	Date	Saka Date	Day of week
<b>1946 Saka Era</b>				
1.	New Year's Day	1 <sup>st</sup> January, 2025	Pausha 11	Wednesday
2.	Makar Sankranti	14 <sup>th</sup> January, 2025	Pausha 24	Tuesday
3.	Basant Panchami/Sri Panchami	02 <sup>nd</sup> February, 2025	Magha 13	Sunday
4.	Birthday of Swami Dayananda Saraswati	23 <sup>rd</sup> February, 2025	Phalguna 04	Sunday
<b>1947 Saka Era</b>				
5.	Vaisakhi/Vishu	13 <sup>th</sup> April, 2025	Chaitra 23	Sunday
6.	Easter Sunday	20 <sup>th</sup> April, 2025	Chaitra 30	Sunday
7.	Guru Rabindranath's Birthday	09 <sup>th</sup> May, 2025	Vaisakha 19	Friday
8.	Ganesh Chaturthi/Vinayaka Chaturthi	27 <sup>th</sup> August, 2025	Bhadra 05	Wednesday
9.	Dussehra (Mahashtami)	30 <sup>th</sup> September, 2025	Asvina 08	Tuesday
10.	Govardhan Puja	22 <sup>nd</sup> October, 2025	Asvina 30	Wednesday
11.	Guru Teg Bahadur's	24 <sup>th</sup> November, 2025	Agrahayana 03	Monday
12.	Christmas Eve	24 <sup>th</sup> December, 2025	Pausha 03	Wednesday

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**Gazetted Holidays for the Year-2025 under Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881**

S.N.	Holiday	Date	Saka Date	Day of week
<b>1946 Saka Era</b>				
1.	Republic Day	26 <sup>th</sup> January, 2025	Magha 06	Sunday
2.	Guru Ravi Das's Birthday	12 <sup>th</sup> February, 2025	Magha 23	Wednesday
3.	Maha Shivratri	26 <sup>th</sup> February, 2025	Phalgun 07	Wednesday
4.	Holi	14 <sup>th</sup> March, 2025	Phalgun 23	Friday
<b>1947 Saka Era</b>				
5.	Himachal Day	15 <sup>th</sup> April, 2025	Chaitra 25	Tuesday
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11.	Independence Day	15 <sup>th</sup> August, 2025	Sravana 24	Friday
12.	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	2 <sup>nd</sup> October, 2025	Asvina 10	Thursday
13.	Maharishi Valmiki's	07 October, 2025	Asvina 15	Tuesday
14.	Diwali (Deepavali)	20 <sup>th</sup> October, 2025	Asvina 28	Monday
15.	Guru Nanak's Birthday	05 <sup>th</sup> November, 2025	Kartika 14	Wednesday
16.	Christmas Day	25 <sup>th</sup> December, 2025	Pausha 04	Thursday