

**UNIVERSITY OF GOUR BANGA****List of Holidays for the Year 2018**

Occasion	Holiday's Date	Day
New Year's Day [2018 A.D.]	1 <sup>st</sup> January	Monday
Birth Day of Swami Vivekananda	12 <sup>th</sup> January	Friday
Saraswati Puja (Shree Panchami)	22 <sup>nd</sup> January	Monday
Birth Day of Netaji	23 <sup>rd</sup> January	Tuesday
Republic Day	26 <sup>th</sup> January	Friday
Shivaratri	14 <sup>th</sup> February	Wednesday
University Foundation Day	19 <sup>th</sup> February	Monday
Doljatra	2 <sup>nd</sup> March	Friday
Day after Doljatra (Holi)	3 <sup>rd</sup> March	Saturday
Good Friday	30 <sup>th</sup> March	Friday
Birth Day of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar	14 <sup>th</sup> April	Saturday
Bengali New Year's Day	15 <sup>th</sup> April	Sunday
Buddha Purnima	30 <sup>th</sup> April	Monday
May Day	1 <sup>st</sup> May	Tuesday
Birth Day of Rabindra Nath Tagore	9 <sup>th</sup> May	Wednesday
Id-UI-Fitre	16 <sup>th</sup> June	Saturday
Independence Day	15 <sup>th</sup> August	Wednesday
ID-Ud-Zoha (Bakrid)	22 <sup>nd</sup> August	Wednesday
Janmastami	3 <sup>rd</sup> September	Monday
Muharram	21 <sup>st</sup> September	Friday
Birth Day of Gandhiji	2 <sup>nd</sup> October	Tuesday
Mahalaya	8 <sup>th</sup> October	Monday
Mahasasthi of Durga Puja	15 <sup>th</sup> October	Monday
Mahasaptami of Durga Puja	16 <sup>th</sup> October	Tuesday
Mahaastami of Durga Puja	17 <sup>th</sup> October	Wednesday
Mahanabami of Durga Puja	18 <sup>th</sup> October	Thursday
Vijaya Dasami	19 <sup>th</sup> October	Friday
Additional Day in connection with Durga Puja	20 <sup>th</sup> October	Saturday
Additional Day in connection with Durga Puja	21 <sup>st</sup> October	Sunday
Additional Day in connection with Durga Puja	22 <sup>nd</sup> October	Monday
Additional Day in connection with Durga Puja	23 <sup>rd</sup> October	Tuesday
Lakshmi Puja	24 <sup>th</sup> October	Wednesday
Additional Day for Lakshmi Puja	25 <sup>th</sup> October	Thursday
Kali Puja	6 <sup>th</sup> November	Tuesday
Additional Day in connection with Kali Puja	7 <sup>th</sup> November	Wednesday
Additional Day in connection with Kali Puja	8 <sup>th</sup> November	Thursday
Bhatridwitya	9 <sup>th</sup> November	Friday
Chhat Puja	13 <sup>th</sup> November	Tuesday
Birth Day of Guru Nanak	23 <sup>rd</sup> November	Friday
Fateha-Dowaz-Daham	19 <sup>th</sup> December	Wednesday
Christmas Day	25 <sup>th</sup> December	Tuesday

Sectional Holidays in the year 2018 for the employees of different communities: -

Mahabir Jayanti (for Jains only)	: 29 <sup>th</sup> March	Thursday
Easter Saturday (for Christians only)	: 31 <sup>th</sup> March	Saturday
Baisakhi (for Sikhs Only)	: 14 <sup>th</sup> April	Saturday
Sab-e-Barat (for Muslims only)	: 02 <sup>nd</sup> May	Wednesday
Hul Diwas (for Adivasi Only)	: 30 <sup>th</sup> June	Saturday
Karam Puja	:	To be notified later on

**Note:**

1. Sundays are holidays under the Negotiable Instruments Act.
2. Saturdays will be observed as full holiday (For University Teaching / Administrative Departments only)

**For Teachers and Non-Teaching staff of Affiliated General Degree Colleges only:**

**Puja Vacation** : October 15, 2018 to November 11, 2018

**For Teachers of Affiliated General Degree Colleges only**

**Summer Recess (46 days)** : From April 16, 2018 to May 31, 2018.

**Winter Recess (6 days)** : From December 26, 2018 to December 31, 2018.

***\* As LLB courses are running under Semester system there will be no Puja Vacation and Recess for Affiliated Law Colleges.***

***\*\* The list is provisional and subject to modifications as per Govt. Orders and Directions of the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, UGB, Malda, if issued subsequently.***