



UNIVERSITY OF NORTH BENGAL

List of Holidays for the year 2026 for the Non-Government Affiliated Colleges*

Particulars	No. of Day(s)	Day(s) of the week	Date(s)
New Year's Day	1	Thursday	1 st January
Birthday of Swami Vivekananda	1	Monday	12 th January
Day before Saraswati Puja	1	Thursday	22 nd January
Saraswati Puja [Shree Panchami]	1	Friday	23 rd January
Netaji's Birthday	1	Friday	23 rd January
Republic Day	1	Monday	26 th January
Birthday of Bir Chilarai	1	Sunday	1 st February
Sab-e-Barat	1	Wednesday	4 th February
Birthday of Thakur Panchanan Barma	1	Saturday	14 th February
Shivaratri	1	Sunday	15 th February
Doljatra	1	Tuesday	3 rd March
Holi (Day after Doljatra)	1	Wednesday	4 th March
Birthday of Shri Shri Harichand Thakur	1	Tuesday	17 th March
Day before Eid-ul-Fitr	1	Friday	20 th March
Eid-ul-Fitr	1	Saturday	21 st March
Ram Navami	1	Thursday	26 th March
Mahavir Jayanti	1	Tuesday	31 st March
Good Friday	1	Friday	3 rd April
Birthday of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar	1	Tuesday	14 th April
Bengali New Year's Day (Nababarsha)	1	Wednesday	15 th April
Birth Day of Pandit Raghunath Murmu	1	Friday	1 st May
May Day	1	Friday	1 st May
Buddha Purnima	1	Friday	1 st May
Birthday of Rabindranath Tagore	1	Saturday	9 th May
Day before Id-Uz-Zoha (Bakrid)	1	Tuesday	26 th May
Id-Uz-Zoha (Bakrid)	1	Wednesday	27 th May
Muharram	1	Friday	26 th June
Birth day of Poet Bhanu Bhakt	1	Monday	13 th July
Rathajatra	1	Thursday	16 th July
Independence Day	1	Saturday	15 th August
Fateha Duaz Daham	1	Wednesday	26 th August
Rakhi Bandhan	1	Friday	28 th August
Janmastami	1	Friday	4 th September
Viswakarma Puja	1	Thursday	17 th September
Birthday of Gandhiji	1	Friday	2 nd October
Mahalaya	1	Saturday	10 th October
Birthday of Birsa Munda	1	Sunday	15 th November
Chhat Puja	1	Sunday	15 th November
Addl. day for Chhat Puja	1	Monday	16 th November
Parshwanath's Rathajatra	1	Tuesday	24 th November
Birthday of Gurunanak	1	Tuesday	24 th November
Christmas Day	1	Friday	25 th December
Karam Puja	1	To be notified later on	

SECTIONAL HOLIDAYS

1. Birth Day of Guru Rabidas (for follower of Guru Rabidas)	1	Sunday	1 st February
2. Easter Saturday (for Christians only)	1	Saturday	4 th April
3. Hul Diwas (for Adibasi [Santal] only)	1	Tuesday	30 th June

For Vacation Staff (other than Hill Colleges)

Summer Recess	16 days	Friday - Sunday	15 th May to 31 st May
Puja Vacation	29 days	Thursday - Thursday	15 th October - 12 th November
Winter Holidays	6 days	Saturday - Thursday	26 th December to 31 st December

Hill Colleges

Puja Holidays	12	Thursday - Monday	15 th October - 26 th October
Dewali Holidays	5 days	Sunday - Thursday	8 th November - 12 th November
Winter Vacation	37 days	Saturday - Sunday	26 th December, 2026 to 31 st January, 2027

* The List is provisional and subject to modifications as per Govt. Orders and University Rules, if issued subsequently.
Only for Colleges within the Darjeeling and Kalimpong District.

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