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In accordance with the directive by the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training), Establishment (JCA) Section, Government of India vide Office Memorandum No. F. No. 12/2/2023-JCA dated 3rd July, 2025, the Institute will observe the following Holidays during the calendar year 2026.

INSTITUTE HOLIDAYS - 2026

Sl. No.	Name of holidays	Date(s)	Day(s) of the week	No. of days
1	Republic Day	26.01.2026	Monday	01
2	Holi	04.03.2026	Wednesday	01
3	Idu'l Fitr*	21.03.2026	Saturday	01
4	Ram Navami	26.03.2026	Thursday	01
5	Mahavir Jayanti	31.03.2026	Tuesday	01
6	Good Friday	03.04.2026	Friday	01
7	Buddha Purnima	01.05.2026	Friday	01
8	Idu'l Zuha (Bakrid)*	27.05.2026	Wednesday	01
9	Muharram*	26.06.2026	Friday	01
10	Independence Day	15.08.2026	Saturday	01
11	Prophet Mohammad's Birthday (Id-E-Milad)*	26.08.2026	Wednesday	01
12	Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday	02.10.2026	Friday	01
13	An additional day for Dussehra (Mahashtami)	19.10.2026	Monday	01
14	Dussehra (Vijay Dashmi)	20.10.2026	Tuesday	01
15	Diwali (Deepavali)	08.11.2026	Sunday	01
16	Guru Nanak's Birthday	24.11.2026	Tuesday	01
17	Christmas Day	25.12.2026	Friday	01

NB: The holidays with single asterisk mark i.e. (*) of Holidays list of 2026, is applicable depending on appearance of Moon.

LIST OF RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS – 2026

Sl. No.	Name of holidays	Date(s)	Day(s) of the week	No. of days
1	New Year's Day	01.01.2026	Thursday	01
2	Hazarat Ali's Birthday	03.01.2026	Saturday	01
3	Makar Sankranti/ Magha Bihu / Pongal	14.01.2025	Wednesday	01
4	Basant Panchami/ Sri Panchami	23.01.2026	Friday	01
5	Guru Ravi Das's Birthday	01.02.2026	Sunday	01
6	Birthday of Swami Dayananda Saraswati	12.02.2026	Thursday	01
7	Maha Shivratri	15.02.2026	Sunday	01
8	Shiva ji Jayanti	19.02.2026	Thursday	01
9	Holika Dahan / Dolyatra	03.03.2026	Tuesday	01
10	Chaitra Sukladi / Gudi Padava /Ugadi/ Cheti Chand	19.03.2026	Thursday	01
11	Jamat-ul-Vida	20.03.2026	Friday	01
12	Easter Sunday	05.04.2026	Sunday	01
13	Vaisakhi / Vishu/ Meshadi (Tamil New Year's Day)	14.04.2026	Tuesday	01
14	Vaisakhadi (Bengal) / Bahag Bihu (Assam)	15.04.2026	Wednesday	01
15	Guru Rabindranath's birthday	09.05.2026	Saturday	01

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16	Rath Yatra	16.07.2026	Thursday	01
17	Parsi New Year's day / Nauraj	15.08.2026	Saturday	01
18	Onam or Thiru Onam Day	26.08.2026	Wednesday	01
19	Raksha Bandhan	28.08.2026	Friday	01
20	Ganesh Chaturthi / Vinayaka Chaturthi	14.09.2026	Monday	01
21	Dussehra (Saptami)	18.10.2026	Sunday	01
22	Dussehra (Mahashtami)	19.10.2026	Monday	01
23	Dussehra (Mahanavmi)	20.10.2026	Tuesday	01
24	Maharishi Valmiki's Birthday	26.10.2026	Monday	01
25	Karaka Chaturthi (Karva Chouth)	29.10.2026	Thursday	01
26	Naraka Chaturdasi	08.11.2026	Sunday	01
27	Gobardhan Puja	09.11.2026	Monday	01
28	Bhai Duj	11.11.2026	Wednesday	01
29	Pratihara Shashthi or Surya Shashthi (Chhat Puja)	15.11.2026	Sunday	01
30	Guru Teg Bahadur's Martyrdom Day	24.11.2026	Tuesday	01
31	Hazarat Ali's Birthday	23.12.2026	Wednesday	01
32	Christmas Eve	24.12.2026	Thursday	01

1. Individual may avail 02 (two) days of restricted Holyday from the above list in the Calendar Year 2026.
2. Each head of the Department/Section are requested to maintain a record (in a Register) of Casual leave & Restricted Holydays of each individual for future reference. The record may be maintained in the following format.

Name & designation of the Employee:

CASUAL LEAVE For the year 2026

Sl No	Date		No. of days applied /availed in 2026	Prefix	Suffix	No. of days balance in Year 2026	Remarks	Signature of HOD
	From	To						

RESTRICTED HOLIDAYS (Maximum 02 days in a year)

Sl. No	Date		No. of days applied /availed in 2026	Prefix	Suffix	Occasion	No. of days balance in Year 2026	Remarks	Signature of HOD
	From	To							

This issue with the approval from the competent authority of the Institute

Sanjay Kumar
17/12/25
Registrar

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