

West Bengal Board of Madrasah Education

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Memo No.: 1609 / Aca/16

Date: 06.12.16

From: The Secretary
West Bengal Board of Madrasah Education

To: The Heads of all recognized Madrasah within the State of West Bengal

Sub: Uniform list of maximum number of holidays to be observed in the academic session-2017 (01 January, 2017 to 31 December, 2017)

In exercise of the power conferred by clause (e) of sub-section (2) of section 20 and as per decision of the meeting of the Board held on 31.03.2004 and as directed, the heads of all recognized Madrasahs are being informed that for the current academic session 2017, the Madrasahs shall have to observe a uniform list of holidays as per specimen list of holidays attached herewith. The maximum numbers of holidays for this academic session will be 65 days.

This order shall have to be strictly followed. In case, any festival is affected due to lunar cause, the holidays on account of the said festival would be so adjusted.

Yours faithfully,



Secretary

West Bengal Board of Madrasah Education

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Copy for kind information and necessary action to:

1. The Principal Secretary, Minority Affairs and Madrasah Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal, Nabanna (3rd Floor), Mondirtala, Howrah
2. The Principal Secretary, School Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal, Bikash Bhavan, Salt Lake City, Kol-91
3. The Private Secretary to Hon'ble MOS, Minority Affairs and Madrasah Education Department, Govt. of West Bengal, Writers' Buildings, Kolkata-700 001
4. Director of Madrasah Education, Govt. of West Bengal, Bikash Bhavan (2nd Floor), South Block, Salt Lake City, Kol-91
5. Director of School Education, Govt. of West Bengal, Bikash Bhavan (7th Floor), Salt Lake City, Kol-91
6. The President, West Bengal Council of Higher Secondary Education, Vidyasagar Bhavan, 9/2 DJ Block, Sector-II, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700091
7. The President, West Bengal Board of Secondary Education, Nivedita Bhavan, DJ-8, Salt lake, Kol-91
8. The President, West Bengal Board of Primary Education, Acharya Prafulla Chandra Bhavan, Salt LakeCity, Kol-91
9. The Deputy Secretary, West Bengal Board of Madrasah Education and Convener, Madrasah Darpan for publication in the next issue of Madrasah Darpan
10. All District Inspector of Schools (P.E. and S.E.), West Bengal
11. P.A. to President, West Bengal Board of Madrasah Education
12. Office Superintendent, West Bengal Board of Madrasah Education, North Bengal regional Office, Malda
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List of holidays to be observed in the recognized Madrasahs of the State in the year-2017

Memo No.- 1610 /Aca/16

Date- 06.12.2016

Sl. No.	Date	Day	Purpose of Holiday	No. of Holiday(s)	Remarks
Term: FIRST (January to April -2017)					
1.	01.01. 2017	Sunday	English New Year’s Day(2017 A.D.)	X	Holiday
2.	10.01.2017	Tuesday	Fateha-Yaz- Daham	01Day	Holiday
3.	12.01.2017	Thursday	Birthday of Swami Vivekananda	01 Day	Holiday
4.	23.01.2017	Monday	Birthday of Netaji	01 Day	Holiday, to be observed
5.	26.01.2017	Thursday	Republic Day	01 Day	Holiday, to be observed
6.	01.02.2017	Wednesday	Saraswati Puja(Sree Panchami)	01 Day	Holiday
7.	24.02.2017	Friday	Shivaratri	01Day	Holiday
8.	12.3.2017- 13.03.2017	Sunday -Monday	Dol Yatra(holi) & day after Dolyatra	01 Day	Holiday
9.	09.04.2017	Sunday	Mahabir Jayanti	X	Holiday
10.	14.04.2017	Friday	Good Friday & Birthday of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar	01 Day	Holiday
11.	15.04.2017	Saturday	Bengali New Year’s Day	01Day	Holiday
12.	25.04.2017	Tuesday	Shab-E-Miraj	01Day	Holiday
Sub Total				10Days	
Term: SECOND (May to August-2017)					
13.	01.05.2017	Monday	May Day	01 Day	Holiday
14.	09.05.2017	Tuesday	Birthday of Rabindranath Tagore	X	To be observed
15.	12.05.2017	Friday	Shab-E-Barat	01 Day	Holiday
	22.05.2017- 05.06.2017	Monday-Monday	Summer Vacation, Birthday of Kazi Nazrul Islam, Honour of 1 st Ramjan	13Days	Holiday
	16.06.2017- 27.06.2017	Friday-Tuesday	Lailatul Quadr, Jum’a-Tul-Vida, Eid-ul-Fitr	10Days	Holiday
16.	13.07.2017	Thursday	Birth day of poet Bhanu Bhakt(for Darjeeling district only)	01Day	Holiday
17.	07.08.2017	Monday	Rakhi Purnima	01Day	Holiday
18.	14.08.2017	Monday	Janmashtami	01 Day	Holiday
19.	15.08.2017	Tuesday	Independence Day	01 Day	Holiday, to be observed
Sub Total				29Days	
Term: THIRD(September to December-2017)					
20.	02.09.2017 to 04.09.2017	Saturday to Monday	Eid-ul-Azha	02 Days	Holiday
21.	05.09.2017	Tuesday	Teachers’ Day	X	To be observed
22.	19.09.2017	Tuesday	Mahalaya	01 Day	Holiday
23.	22.09.2017	Friday	Hijri New Year	01 Day	Holiday
	26.09.2017 to 06.10.2017	Tuesday to Friday	Durgapuja, Vijaya Dasami, Muharram, Birth day of Mahatma Gandhi, Laxmi Puja	10days	Holiday
24.	19.10.2017 to 21.10.2017	Thursday to Saturday	Kalipuja, Bhatri Dwitya,	03 Days	Holiday
25.	04.11.2017	Saturday	Birthday of Guru Nanak	01Day	Holiday
26.	11.11.2017	Saturday	Birthday of Maulana Abul Kalam Azad(Education Day)	X	To be observed

27.	15.11.2017	Wednesday	Akheri Chahar Shumba	01Day	Holiday
28.	02.12.2017	Saturday	Fateha-Dwaz Daham	01 Day	Holiday
29.	25.12.2017	Monday	Christmas Day	01 Day	Holiday
30.	30.12.2017	Saturday	Fateha-Yaz- Daham	01 Day	Holiday
Sub Total				22 Days	
Discretion of the Head of the Institution				04Days	
Total				65Days	

N.B. 1. This holiday list shall be treated as model Holiday List for the Academic Year-2017. The adjustment in Holiday(s) is permissible as per local need for festival and for any natural disaster subject to approval of the M.C. / Administrator as the case may be. The total number of Holidays in the Academic Year would be fixed at 65 days. The Madrasah authority is not allowed to exclude National and State holiday from the total number of holidays (i.e. 65 days).

2. The Madrasah authority is not allowed to increase or decrease the total no of holidays in this academic year, which is fixed to 65 days without the written permission of the Board. Any excess holiday(s) beyond sixty five days in this academic year, enjoyed by the madrasah will be treated as unauthorized leave.

3. For hilly areas of Darjeeling, the M/A may adjust the vacation as per local environment keeping total number of holidays fixed at 65 days.

4. Any festival affected due to lunar cause, the holiday on account of the said festival would be so adjusted.

5. The Madrasah authority shall make necessary arrangement to observe the following Days

(i) Birth day of Netaji

(ii) Republic day

(iii) Birth day of Rabindranath Tagore

(iv) Birth day of Kazi Nazrul Islam

(iv) Independence day

(v) Teacher's day

(vi) Birth day of Maulana Abul Kalam Azad

6. The Board reserves the right to change the Holiday List if required.



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