### West Bengal Board of Madrasah Education

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### Memo No.: 1770/ Aca/15

Date: 26.11.15

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-2016 (01 January, 2016 to 31 December, 2016)

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 Madrasah are being informed that for the current academic session 2015, 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, Dr. Syed Nurus Salam Secretary West Bengal Board of Madrasah Education Date: 26.11.15

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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 (4<sup>th</sup> Floor), Mondirtala, Howrah
- 2. The 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 School Education, Govt. of West Bengal, Bikash Bhavan (7<sup>th</sup> Floor), Salt Lake City, Kol-91
- Director of Madrasah Education, Govt. of West Bengal, Bikash Bhavan (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor), South Block, Salt Lake City, Kol-91
- The President, West Bengal Council of Higher Secondary Education, Vidyasagar Bhaban, 9/2 DJ Block, Sector-II, Salt Lake City, Kolkata-700091
- 7. The Administrator, West Bengal Board of Secondary Education, Nivedita Bhaban, 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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Secretary West Bengal Board of Madrasah Education

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Model List of Holidays for the Academic Session-2016 (1<sup>st</sup> January 2016 to 31<sup>st</sup> December

2016) for recognized Madrasahs

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Sl.No.	Date	Day	Purpose of Holiday	No. of Holiday(s)	Remarks
1	01.01. 2016	Friday	English New Year's Day	01 Day	Holiday
2	12.01.2016	Tuesday	Birthday of Swami Vivekananda	01 Day	Holiday
3	22.01.2016	Friday	Fateha-Yaz Daham	01 Day	Holiday
4	23.01.2016	Saturday	Birthday of Netaji	01 Day	Holiday *
5	26.01.2016	Tuesday	Republic Day	01 Day	Holiday *
6	13.02.2016	Saturday	Saraswaty Puja	01 Day	Holiday *
7	23.03.2016 & 24.03.2016	Wednesday &Thursday	Dol Yatra & Holi	02 Days	Holidays
8	25.03.2016	Friday	Good Friday	01 Day	Holiday
9	14.04.2016	Thursday	Birthday of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar & Bengali New Year's Day	01 Day	Holiday
10	01.05.2016	Sunday	May Day	Х	Holiday
11	05.05.2016	Thursday	Shab-E-Meraj	01 Day	Holiday
12	08.05.2016	Sunday	Birthday of Rabindranath Tagore	Х	Holiday *
13	20.05.2016 to 07.06.2016	Friday to Tuesday	Summer Vacation, Shab-E-Barat, Birth day of Kazi Nazrul Islam, Honour of 1 <sup>st</sup> Ramzan	16 Days	
14	23.06.2016 To 09.07.2016	Thursday To Saturday	Ramzan Vacation, Jum'a-Tul-Vida ,Lailatul Quadar, Eid ul Fitre	13 Days	Holidays
15	15.08.2016	Monday	Independence Day	01 Day	Holiday *
16	25.08.2016	Thursday	Janmashtami	01 Day	Holiday
17	05.09.2016	Monday	Teachers' Day	01 Day	Holiday *
18	12.09.2016 to 14.09.2016	Monday to Wednesday	Eid-ul-Azha	03Days	Holidays
19	30.09.2016	Friday	Mahalaya	01 Day	Holiday
20	02.10.2016	Sunday	Birth day of Mahatma Gandhi	X	Holiday
21	03.10.2016	Monday	Hijri New Year	01 Day	Holiday
22	07.10.2016 to 16.10.2016	Friday to Sunday	Durgapuja, Muharram and Lakshmi Puja	08 Days	Holidays
23	29.10.2016 to 01.11.2016	Saturday,toTuesday	Kalipuja, Bhatri Dwitiya	03 Days	Holidays
24	14.11.2016	Monday	Birthday of Guru Nanak & Children's day	01 Day	Holiday
25	30.11.2016	Wednesday	Akhri Chahar Shumba	01 Day	Holiday
26	13.12.2016	Tuesday	Fateha-Dwaz Daham	01 Day	Holiday
27	25.12.2016	Sunday	Christmas Day	Х	Holiday
28	Discretion of Hea	d of the Institution		03 Days	Holidays

**N.B. 1.** This holiday list shall be treated as model Holiday List for the Academic Year-2015. 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.** In case of Madrasahs where Friday is weekly holidays instead of Sunday the holiday will be changed accordingly.

- 6. 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) Independence day
- (v) Teacher's day
- 7. The Board reserves the right to change the Holiday List if required.

Dr. Syed Nurus Salam Secretary West Bengal Board of Madrasah Education