



**OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR**  
**GAUHATI UNIVERSITY::GOPINATH BORDOLOI NAGAR:: GUWAHATI-781014 HOLIDAY LIST**  
**FOR THE PERIOD FROM 1<sup>st</sup> JANUARY,2017 TO DECEMBER 31<sup>st</sup> 2017 FOR THE CALENDAR**  
**YEAR 2017**

(As approved by the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor on dated 28/12/2016)

(A) Holidays: Offices & Classes of the University and its affiliated & permitted colleges will remain closed on the following days w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> January,2017 to December 31<sup>st</sup> 2017

Sl. Nos.	Occasions	Month	Date (s)	Day (s) of the week	No. of days
1	Magh Bihu	January	13, 14 & 15	Friday, Saturday & Sunday	3
2	Republic Day/ G.U Foundation Day		26	Thursday	1
3	Saraswati puja	February	1	Wednesday	1
4	Sivaratri		24	Friday	1
5	Dol Jatra	March	12 & 13	Sunday & Monday	2
6	Good Friday	April	14	Friday	3
7	Bohag Bihu		14,15 & 16	Friday, Saturday & Sunday	
8	May Day	May	1	Monday	1
9	Buddha Purnima		10	Wednesday	1
10	Id-UL-Fitre	June	26 & 27	Monday & Tuesday	2
11	Independence day	August	15	Tuesday	1
12	Tithi of Srimanta Sankardev		23	Wednesday	1
13	Tithi of Sri Sri Madhab Dev	September	10	Sunday	1
14	Janmastomi		13	Wednesday	1
15	Id-Uz zuha		25 & 26	Monday & Tuesday	2
16	Durga Puja & Lakshmi Puja	September and October	26 Sept. to 5 October	Tuesday to Thursday	10
17	Janmostav of Srimanta Sankardev		30 Sept.	Saturday	
18	Muharram		1 October	Sunday	
19	Birth day of Mahatma Gandhi		2 October	Monday	
20	Kati Bihu	October	18	Wednesday	1
21	Kali Puja & Dewali		19 & 20	Thursday & Friday	2
22	Guru Nanak's Birth Day	November	4	Saturday	1
23	Lachit Divas		24	Friday	1
24	Asom Divas (Sukafa Divas)		December	2	Saturday
25	Christmas Day	25		Monday	1

**(B) Restricted Holidays: 2017**, Each employee will also be entitled to avail himself/herself of any 3 (three) holidays in the year to be chosen by him/her out of the following list of restricted holidays. The employee(s) intending to avail this holiday should submit application to the concerned Head for approval of the competent authority in advance. Such leave will normally be granted by the leave sanctioning authority except when the presence of the employee(s) is considered necessary due to exigencies of work in the University.

Sl.Nos.	Occasions	Month	Date (s)	Day (s) of the week	No. of days
1	New Year's Day	January	1	Sunday	1
2	Fateha-E-Dowaj Daham		10	Tuesday	1
3	Silpi Dives		17	Tuesday	1
4	Netaji's Birth day		23	Monday	1
5	Gwther bathaw San		24	Tuesday	1
6	Me-Dum-Me-Phi		31	Tuesday	1
7	Bir Chilarai Divas	February	10	Friday	1
8	Ali Aye Lingang		15	Wednesday	1
9	Bathow Puja/Khring Khring Bathow Puja	March	6	Monday	1
10	Mahabir Jayanti	April	9	Sunday	1
11	Sati Sadhini Divas		21	Friday	1
12	Tithi of Damodar Dev		27	Thursday	1
13	Tithi of Gopal Dev	May	1	Monday	1
14	Sabebarat		12	Friday	1
15	Tithi of Hari Dev		25	Thursday	1
16	Janmotsav of Sri Sri Madhab Dev	June	10	Saturday	1
17	Ambubasi Nibriti				1
18	Biswakarma Puja	September	17	Sunday	1
19	Chhat Puja	October	26	Thursday	1
20	Martyr's Day	December	10	Sunday	1
21	Christmas Eve		24	Sunday	1

Note: 1) If any Holidays for occasions do not fall on the days notified, necessary notification, changing the date will be issued in due course.

- 2) Additional holidays further to the above will be applicable as when declared by the University Administration.
- 3) Summer/Winter break will be as specified in the Academic Calendar.
- 4) Any other day as may be declared by the State Govt. /Dist. Admn. as holiday Under Section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1888 (XXIV of 1881) will be the holiday of the University.
- 5) Silpi Divas to be celebrated on 17<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2017 from 2 pm.
- 6) The exact date of Ambubasi Nibriti will depend on the next Assamese new calendar which is not available now.

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28/12/16

Registrar  
Gauhati University

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Date: 28/12/2016

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- 2) All Heads of the Administrative Departments, Gauhati University.
- 3) The Principal, University Law College, Gauhati University.
- 4) The Principal of all Affiliated Colleges..
- 5) The Registrars of all Indian Universities.
- 6) The Secretary, Board of Secondary Education, Assam, Guwahati – 21.
- 7) The Secretary, Assam Higher Secondary Education Council, Guwahati – 21.
- 8) The Secretary to the Governor of Assam, Raj Bhawan, Guwahati – 1.
- 9) The Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Education Department, Guwahati – 6.
- 10) The Director of Higher Education, Assam, Guwahati – 19.
- 11) The Director of Medical Education, Assam, Dispur, Guwahati – 6.
- 12) The Secretary, University Grant Commission, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi – 110002.
- 13) The Director of Technical Education, Assam, Guwahati – 19.
- 14) The Secretary, Association of Indian Universities, A.I.U., 16 Kotla Marg, New Delhi-110002.
- 15) The Rector, Gauhati University.
- 16) The Secretary to the Vice-Chancellor, Gauhati University.
- 17) The Secretary to the Registrar, Gauhati University.
- 18) The Deputy Registrar, Gauhati University.
- ✓ 19) University Website.

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