

#### For all programs

# **During 2025**

#### **Public Holidays Goa & Udaipur**

This document may not specify all public holidays for Goa & Udaipur, only those that affect our programs or we feel you may want to be a part of!

| Date                        | Holiday       | Activities during holiday  | Programs not running:   |
|-----------------------------|---------------|--|---|
| January 1st<br>(Wednesday)) | New Years Day | Celebrate with the local kids                                      | <ul> <li>Community Engagement Program</li> <li>Kindergarten Teaching</li> <li>Construction and Renovation</li> <li>Culture Week</li> <li>Medical Project</li> </ul> |
| January 26th<br>(Saturday)  | Republic Day  | Watch the Republic Day parade at the parade ground                 | <ul> <li>Community Engagement Program</li> <li>Kindergarten Teaching</li> <li>Construction and Renovation</li> </ul>  |
| March 14th<br>(Friday)      | Holi          | Celebrate the festival of colors with the local community projects | <ul> <li>Community Engagement Program</li> <li>Kindergarten Teaching</li> <li>Construction and Renovation</li> </ul>  |
| March 30th (Sunday)         | Ugadi         | No Activities  | <ul> <li>Community Engagement Program</li> <li>Kindergarten Teaching</li> <li>Construction and Renovation</li> </ul>  |
| March 31st (Monday)         | Idul Fitr     | No Activities  | <ul> <li>Community Engagement Program</li> <li>Kindergarten Teaching</li> <li>Construction and Renovation</li> </ul>  |
| April 18th (Friday)         | Good Friday   | No Activities  | <ul> <li>Community Engagement Program</li> <li>Kindergarten Teaching</li> <li>Construction and Renovation</li> </ul>  |

| May 1st<br>(Wednesday)          | May Day                       | No Activities  | <ul><li>Community Engagement Program</li><li>Kindergarten Teaching</li><li>Construction and Renovation</li></ul>  |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|---|
| June 17th (Monday)              | Bakrid / Eid al<br>Adha       | No Activities  | <ul><li>Teaching</li><li>Construction and Renovation</li></ul>  |
| August 15th (Thursday)          | Independence<br>Day           | Celebrate Indian Independence Day with the kids at Slum outreach program   | <ul> <li>Community Engagement Program</li> <li>Kindergarten Teaching</li> <li>Construction and Renovation</li> </ul>  |
| August 27th (Wednesday)         | Ganesh<br>Chaturthi           | Visit a Lord Ganesh pendal in the neighborhood and watch the procession of lord Ganesh with the residents of the community | <ul> <li>Community Engagement Program</li> <li>Kindergarten Teaching</li> <li>Construction and Renovation</li> </ul>  |
| October 2nd (Wednesday)         | Gandhi Jayanti                | No Activities  | <ul> <li>Community Engagement Program</li> <li>Kindergarten Teaching</li> <li>Construction and Renovation</li> </ul>  |
| October 20th (Monday)           | Deepavali                     | Celebrate the festival of lights at the TGL Center   | <ul> <li>Community Engagement Program</li> <li>Kindergarten Teaching</li> <li>Construction and Renovation</li> </ul>  |
| December 3rd<br>(Tuesday)       | Feast of St<br>Francis Xavier | Visit The local market where the feast takes place   | <ul><li>Community Engagement Program</li><li>Kindergarten Teaching</li><li>Construction and Renovation</li></ul>  |
| December<br>19th<br>(Thursday)  | Liberation Day                | No Activities  | <ul> <li>Community Engagement Program</li> <li>Kindergarten Teaching</li> <li>Construction and Renovation</li> </ul>  |
| December<br>25th<br>(Wednesday) | Christmas Day                 | Celebrate Christmas<br>at the slum outreach<br>program   | <ul> <li>Community Engagement Program</li> <li>Kindergarten Teaching</li> <li>Construction and Renovation</li> <li>Culture Week</li> <li>Medical Project</li> </ul> |

## **Goa School Holidays**

| Date  | Holiday/Event       | Activities during<br>Holiday  | Programs not running:  |
|---|---------------------|---|--|
| August 23,<br>2025 -<br>September<br>1st 2025 | Ganesh<br>Chaturthi | Education Projects can be transferred to Special needs care/Renovation and construction | <ul><li>Kindergarten Teaching</li><li>Teaching Project</li></ul> |

| December<br>25, 2025 -<br>January 2,<br>2026 | Winter Vacation /<br>Christmas Break | Education Projects can be transferred to Winter camps. | <ul><li>Kindergarten Teaching</li><li>Teaching Project</li></ul> |
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| May 1, 2025 -<br>June 3, 2025                | Summer<br>Vacation                   | Projects can be transferred to the Construction        | <ul><li>Kindergarten Teaching</li><li>Teaching Project</li></ul> |

The teaching program will not run at the school on the dates above. Also, note that the date of school holidays may not be exact as they are sometimes adjusted depending on the school's plans.

#### Holidays in Darjeeling

#### For all programs

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(Canine Rehabilitation Project only available for Vaccinated Participants)

## **During 2025**

| Date                                  | Holiday                          | Activities during holiday   | Programs not running:  |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--|
| January 14 <sup>th</sup><br>(Tuesday) | Maghi Parwa /<br>Maghe Sankranti | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation.               | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| January 26 <sup>th</sup><br>(Sunday)  | Republic Day                     | Projects cannot be transferred because its weekend                                | All Projects not running   |
| January 30th<br>(Thursday)            | Sonam Lhosar                     | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation                | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| February 26th<br>(Wednesday)          | Maha Shivaratri                  | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation                | All Projects not running   |
| February 28th<br>(Friday)             | Gyalpo Lhosar                    | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation/ Kindergarten. | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| March 8th<br>(Saturday)               | International<br>Women's Day     | No program transfer as it is the weekend.   | All programs   |

| March 13th<br>(Thursday)             | Holi<br>Fagun Purnima | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation/               | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|---|--|
| March 14 <sup>th</sup><br>(Friday)   | Holi                  | None  | All Projects not running   |
| March 31st<br>(Monday)               | Ramjan Edul Fikra     | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation                | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| April 6th<br>(Sunday)                | Ram Navami            | No program transfer as it is the weekend.   | All programs   |
| April 10 <sup>th</sup><br>(Thursday) | Mahavir Jayanti       | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation                | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| April 18 <sup>th</sup><br>(Friday)   | Good Friday           | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation                | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| May 1st<br>(Thursday)                | Labour Day            | All Projects not running  | All Projects   |
| May 12th<br>(Monday)                 | Buddha Jayanti        | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation/.              | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| May 28th<br>(Wednesday)              | Ganatantra Diwas      | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation/ Kindergarten. | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| June 7th<br>(Saturday)               | Eid UI Azha           | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation.               | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| July 6 <sup>th</sup><br>(Sunday)     | Muharram              | No program transfer as it is the weekend.   | All Projects   |

| July 10 <sup>th</sup>                 | Guru Purnima                         | Designate con he form of the second                                 | Education Desired  |
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| (Thursday)                            |                                      | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation. | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| August 9 <sup>th</sup><br>(Saturday)  | Rakshabandhan                        | No program transfer as it is the weekend.                           | All programs   |
| August 15 <sup>th</sup><br>(Friday)   | Independence Day                     | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation  | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| August 16 <sup>TH</sup><br>(Saturday) | Janmasthami                          | No program transfer as it is the weekend.                           | All programs   |
| September 5 <sup>th</sup> (Friday)    | Milad un Nabi                        | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation  | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| September 22<br>(Monday)              | Ghatasthapana                        | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation  | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| September 29th<br>(Thursday)          | Fulpati                              | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation  | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| September 30th<br>(Friday)            | Maha Ashtami                         | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation  | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| October 1st<br>(Wednesday)            | Maha Navami                          | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation  | All programs   |
| October 2nd<br>(Thursday)             | Dussehra Holiday /<br>Gandhi Jayanti | All Projects won't be running                                       | All programs   |
| October 3rd<br>(Friday)               | Ekadashi                             | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation  | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |

| October 4th<br>(Saturday)             | Dwadashi                | No program transfer as it is the weekend.                          | All programs   |
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| October 6th<br>(Monday)               | Kojagrat Purnima        | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| October 20th<br>(Monday)              | Laxmi Puja              | All Projects won't be running                                      | All Programs   |
| October 21st<br>(Tuesday)             | Tihar                   | All programs won't be running                                      | All Programs   |
| October 22nd<br>(Wednesday)           | Govardhan Puja          | All programs won't be running                                      | All programs   |
| October 23rd<br>(Thursday)            | Bhai Tikaa              | All programs won't be running                                      | All programs   |
| October 28 <sup>th</sup><br>(Tuesday) | Chhath Puja             | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| November 5th (Wednesday)              | Guru Nanak<br>Jayanti * | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| December 25th<br>(Thursday)           | Christmas Day           | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |
| December 30th<br>(Tuesday)            | Tamu Losar              | Projects can be transferred to Construction/ Canine Rehabilitation | <ul><li>Education Projects</li><li>Women</li><li>Empowerment Project</li></ul> |

# **Darjeeling Monastery Holidays**

| Date   | Holiday/Event   | Activities during holidays                                       | Programs Not Running |
|--|-----------------|--|----------------------|
| 2nd week of December to 2 <sup>nd</sup> week of February | Winter Holidays | Project can be transferred to Construction/Canine Rehabilitation | All the Monasteries  |

## **Darjeeling School Holidays**

| Date                    | Holiday/Event | Activities during holidays     | Programs Not Running |
|-------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|
|                         |               |                                |                      |
| Last week of June       | School        | Projects can be transferred to | Education Project    |
| to first week of        | Holidays      | Construction/ Canine           |                      |
| July                    | -             | Rehabilitation/ Kindergarten.  |                      |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> week of | Winter        | Projects can be transferred to |                      |
| December to mid         | Holidays      | Construction/ Canine           |                      |
| February                | -             | Rehabilitation/                |                      |

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