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Directorate of Higher Education
Himachal Pradesh

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To

1. All the Deputy Directors of Higher Education,
Himachal Pradesh
2. All the Principals/ Headmasters,
Govt. Sr. Sec./ High Schools in,
Himachal Pradesh

Subject:- Regarding Vacation Schedule of Government Schools Running in the State Under Department of Higher Education.

In pursuance to letter No. Shiksha-II-Chh(1)-2/95-II dated 24-06-2019, received from the Principal Secretary (Education) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh and in continuation to this Directorate letter of even No. dated 24th June, 2019, 18th June, 2022 & 20th June, 2022, the following vacations schedule has been approved from the Academic Session 2022-23:-

Vacation Schedule 2022-23			
A.	Summer Closing Schools		
I	Except Kullu and Lahaul Spiti Districts		
(i)	Break after result	1 st April to 04 th April	04 Days
(ii)	Monsoon Break	22 nd June to 29 th July	38 Days
(iii)	Festival Break	Two days before Diwali and two days after Diwali	04 Days
(iv)	Winter Break	2 days before and 3 days after Lohari festival.	06 Days
		Total	52 Days
II	For Kullu District		
(i)	Monsoon Break	23 rd July to 14 th August	23 Days
(ii)	Dussehra Break	From Next day of Dussehra upto 10 days	10 Days
(iii)	Festival Break	One day before Diwali and One day after Diwali	02 Days
(iv)	Winter Break	26 th December to 11 th January	17 Days
		Total	52 Days
III	For Lahaul & Spiti District		
(i)	Summer Break	17 th July to 27 th August	42 Days
(ii)	Dussehra Break	One day after Dussehra upto 10 days	10 Days
		Total	52 Days

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B Winter Closing Schools			
I Vacation Schedule for Kinnaur, Pangi and Bharmour (Tribal Areas)			
(i)	Winter Break	1 st January to 15 th February	46 Days
(ii)	Monsoon Break	22 nd July to 27 th July (But Holidays of Second Saturday will be allowed)	06 Days
		Total	52 Days
II Other Winter Closing Schools			
(i)	Monsoon Break	22 nd July to 27 th July	06 Days
(ii)	Festival Break	Starting from two days before Diwali and two days after Diwali	04 Days
(iii)	Winter Break	01 st January to 11 th February	42 Days
		Total	52 Days

You are, therefore, requested to take further necessary action in the matter accordingly to implement the abovementioned approved vacation schedule in letter and spirit and compliance report to this Directorate may be sent immediately.

शिमला निदेशात्मक उच्चतर शिक्षा

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Director of Higher Education,
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1

Endst. No. Even Dated: Shimla-1 the March, 2023

Copy for information and necessary action is forwarded to:-

1. The Secretary (Education) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-2.
2. The Director of Elementary Education, Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1.
3. The Technical Officer, IT Cell, with the directions to upload the same on the Departmental website.
4. Guard file.

Director of Higher Education,
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1