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Government of Himachal Pradesh
Department of Higher Education

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From:

The Principal Secretary (Education) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh.

To

The Director of Higher Education
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171001.

Subject:-
Sir,

Dated, Shimla-171002 the 12/12/2013.
Regarding rescheduling vacation schedule of Govt. Schools running in the State.

Please refer your letter No.EDN-HE(21)A(3)06/2013-V dated 1st October, 2013 the matter regarding re-aligning the vacation schedule of winter closing schools was under consideration of the govt for past sometime. Now I am directed to convey the approval of the Government for implementation of the following vacation schedule in supersession of all previous Notifications/Letters issued to the department from the academic session 2014-15.

New vacation schedule for Schools		
(a) Summer Closing Schools		
I	Except Kullu and Lahaul Spiti districts	
i)	Monsoon Break (except Lahaul & Spiti District): 25 th June to 30 th July.	36 days ✓
ii)	Festival Break: Starting from two days before Diwali to six days	06days ✓
iii)	Winter Break: 7 th January to 16 th January	10 days ✓
	Total	52days
II	For Kullu district	
i)	Monsoon Break: 20 th July to 10 th Aug.	22days ✓
ii)	Festival Break Starting one day before Dussehra up to six days	06days ✓
iii)	Winter Break: 1 st January to 24 th January	24days ✓
	Total	52days
III	For Lahaul Spiti district	
i)	Summer Break: 17 th July to 27 th Aug.	42days ✓
ii)	Dussehra Break: Starting one day before Dussehra upto 10days	10days ✓
	Total	52days
(b) Winter closing Schools.		
I	Vacation schedule for Kinnour, Pangi and Bharmour (Tribal Areas)	
i)	Winter Break: 1 st January to 26 th February	57 days
ii)	Monsoon Break: 1 st Monday of August to Friday. But holidays of Second Saturdays will not allowed	05 days
	Total	62 days

II	Other winter Closing Schools	
i)	Monsoon Break: 21 st July to 26 th July	06 days
ii)	Festival Break: Starting from two days before Diwali to six days	06 days
iii)	Winter Break: 1 st January to 31 st February	40 days
		Total - 52 days

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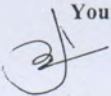
The Following has also been decided:-

(1) For winter closing schools academic session will be starting from 1st March, to 28th February instead of 1st April, to 31 March.

(2) Vacation schedule will be applicable for the academic session instead of calendar year.

You are, therefore, requested to take further immediate necessary steps for implementation of Govt. decisions in letter and spirit. Implementation report may also be sent to this Department.

Yours faithfully,

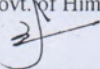

 Joint Secretary(Edu.) to the
 Government of Himachal Pradesh.

Endst. No. As above;

Dated; Shimla-171001, 12/12/2013

Copy to:-

1. The Director of Elementary Education Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171001 for taking similar action.
2. The Secretary, H.P. Board of School Education Dharamshala(Kangra) for taking necessary action for implementation of Govt. decision.
3. The Under secretary(Elementary Education) to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh for information


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