

No. Shiksha-II -Chh (1)-2/95-I  
Government of Himachal Pradesh  
Department of Higher Education

From:

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

To:

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

Dated, Shimla-171002 the 21-9-2010.

Subject:- Regarding rescheduling vacation schedule of Govt. Schools running in  
the State.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter No. EDN-H(21)A(3)6/2010-V dated 30<sup>th</sup> August,2010 on the subject cited above and to convey the approval of the Government for implementation of the following vacation schedule w.e.f. 1<sup>st</sup> April,2011:-

vacation schedule		
<b>(a) Summer Closing Schools</b>		
<b>I</b>	<b>Except Kullu and Lahaul Spiti districts</b>	
i)	Monsoon Break:20 <sup>th</sup> July to 10 <sup>th</sup> Aug.	22days
ii)	Festival Break Starting from four days before Diwali up to six days	06days
iii)	Winter Break:1 <sup>st</sup> January to 24 <sup>th</sup> January	24days
	<b>Total</b>	<b>52days</b>
<b>II</b>	<b>For Kullu district</b>	
i)	Monsoon Break:20 <sup>th</sup> July to 10 <sup>th</sup> Aug.	22days
ii)	Festival Break Starting one day before Dussehra up to six days	06days
iii)	Winter Break:1 <sup>st</sup> January to 24 <sup>th</sup> January	24days
	<b>Total</b>	<b>52days</b>
<b>III</b>	<b>For Lahaul Spiti district</b>	
i)	Summer Break 17 <sup>th</sup> July to 27 <sup>th</sup> Aug.	42days
ii)	Dussehra Break: Starting one day before Dussehra upto 10days	10days
	<b>Total</b>	<b>52days</b>

(b)	<b>Winter Closing Schools</b>	
i)	Monsoon Break: 27 <sup>th</sup> July to 10 <sup>th</sup> Aug.	15days
ii)	Festival Break: Four days before Diwali upto six days	06days
iii)	Winter Break: 1 <sup>st</sup> January to 31 <sup>st</sup> January	31days
	<b>Total</b>	<b>52days</b>
(C)	<b>Vacation Schedule for Kinnaur, Pangi and Bharmour (Tribal Areas)</b>	As in Winter Closing Schools.

The Following has also been decided:-

- (1) For all Government schools in the Pradesh uniformed academic session will be implemented from 1<sup>st</sup> April, to 31<sup>st</sup> March from 1<sup>st</sup> April, 2011 and the academic session 2011-2012 for all classes will complete end on 31<sup>st</sup> March, 2012.
- (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,

*[Signature]*  
Under Secretary (Edu.) to the  
Government of Himachal Pradesh.  
Dated; Shimla-171001, 2010

Endst. No. As above;  
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
4. The Additional secretary (GAD) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh in compliance to cabinet decision taken vide item No.23 in cabinet meeting held on 9.9.2010.

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

Directorate of Higher Education  
Himachal Pradesh  
(General Branch)

Endst. No. EDN-H(21)A(3)6/20101-V, Dated: Shimla- 171001, 18 Oct., 2010

Copy to:-

1. The Principal Secretary (Edu.) to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh w.r.t letter No. Shiksha-II-Chh (1)-2/95-I dated: 21<sup>st</sup> September, 2010.
2. The Secretary, Himachal Pradesh Board of School Education, Dharamshala Distt. Kangra.
3. All the Deputy Directors of Higher Education, Himachal Pradesh with the directions circulate the same to all the field functionaries.
4. Guard file.

*[Signature]*  
Director of Higher Education  
Himachal Pradesh

