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**GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB
SCHOOL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT**

Dated Lahore the 01st March, 2018

NOTIFICATION

No. SO (A-I) 1-31/2008: In pursuance of the provisions contained in Article 37 & 41 of the Punjab Education Code and Notification No. SOW-I(S&GAD)1-3/2008(P-II) dated 12.02.2018, issued by the Section Officer (Welfare-I), S&GAD the following Holidays' schedule would be observed in all the Schools/Educational Institutions (Govt. / Privately Managed) in Punjab Province during the Calendar year 2018:-

Sr. No.	Name of Occasion	Days	Dates
1	Kashmir Day	Monday	05 th February, 2018
2.	Pakistan Day	Friday	23 rd March, 2018
3.	Labour Day	Tuesday	1 st May, 2018
4.	Summer Vacations		1 st June to 14 th August, 2018
5.	Eid-ul-Fitr (1 st Shawal 1439 A.H) *	Saturday, Sunday & Monday	16 th , 17 th & 18 th June, 2018
6.	Short Summer Break for Hilly Areas		16 th July, to 29 th July, 2018
7.	Independence Day	Tuesday	14 th August, 2018
8.	Eid-ul-Azha (10-Zil Haj)*1439 A.H.	Wednesday, Thursday & Friday	22 nd , 23 rd & 24 August, 2018
9.	Ashura (9 th & 10 th Moharrum)* 1440 A.H	Friday & Saturday	21 st & 22 nd September, 2018
10.	Eid Milad-un-Nabi (12 Rabi-ul-Awal 1440 A.H)	Wednesday	21 st November, 2018
11.	Quaid-e-Azam Day/Christmas	Tuesday	25 th December, 2018
12.	Day After Christmas	Wednesday	26 th December, 2018 (For Christians only)
13.	Winter Vacations		24 th to 31 st December, 2018
14.	Winter Break (For Hilly Areas)		20 th December, 2018 to 4 th March, 2019

(* Subject to the appearance of Moon*)

Note:-

1. The Holiday for Independence Day will fall during summer vacations, however, this Holiday will be observed in all the Educational Institutions in a befitting manner.

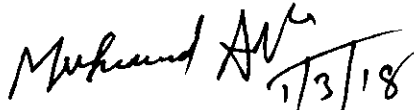
2. Educational Institutions will observe local holidays as notified by the relevant district/local authorities from time to time.
3. All Educational Institutions (Government as well as Privately Managed) will strictly observe this schedule without any deviation there from.
4. Winter break for hilly areas may be adjusted by the DPI (SE), Punjab keeping in view the prevailing weather conditions, in consultation with Chairman, BISE, Rawalpindi.
5. Eid Milad-un-Nabi (PBUH), 1436 A.H and Kashmir Day have already been observed as Public Holidays.

SECRETARY SCHOOL EDUCATION

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