



Government of Jammu and Kashmir
Directorate of Colleges
Higher Education Department

The Principals,
Govt. Degree Colleges/GCETs
UT of Jammu and Kashmir.

Sub: **Schedule of Independence Day Celebration program from 1st Aug to 15th Aug, 2024.**

Ref: Meeting held by the Principal Secretary to Govt. Higher Education Department, J&K in connection with the celebration of Independence Day in the Colleges of UT of J&K vide no. PS/PRS/HED/01/2024 dated 22-07-2024.

Sir/Madam,

Apropos the subject and reference cited above, in accordance with the directives issued during the recent meeting held by the Principal Secretary to the Government, Higher Education Department, J&K, the following schedule has been finalized and is outlined in connection with the celebration of 77th National Independence Day. The celebrations will be held across all colleges within the UT of Jammu and Kashmir.

1. **BUILDING ILLUMINATION:** Illumination of Administrative/Academic Blocks of College from 1st to 15th August.
2. **HOISTING OF NATIONAL FLAG:** National Flag to be hoisted in the College Campus in accordance with the flag code on 15th Aug 2024 in presence of all College Staff.
3. **INTRA COLLEGE COMPETITIONS AND EVENTS:** From August 1st to August 8th, the following competitions and events are to be conducted at college level in all Colleges of the UT.
 - **National Anthem Singing Competition.**
 - **Painting Competition** : Depicting important events of the freedom struggle.
 - **Quiz Competition** : Covering Freedom Struggle and National Heroes.
 - **Essay Writing Competition** : Centered on unsung heroes of the freedom struggle and 77 years of Indian Independence – Topics are suggestive only.

These events are to be duly notified for maximum student participation and documented with a one-page report including two photographs from each event. The report is to be submitted to the Directorate of Colleges in word (.docx) format by or before 09th Aug, 2024.

4. **INTER-COLLEGE EVENTS:** From August 8th to August 13th, inter-college events and competitions will be held at the district level. The designated District Lead College from each district will host these events/competitions among the winners from each college of the district. The list of first position holders from each category

of these inter College events viz 1. National Anthem Singing Competition. 2. Painting Competition 3. Quiz Competition 4. Essay Writing Competition (4 winners overall) is to be forwarded by the District Lead College to the respective District Administration by evening of 13th Aug for recognition and felicitation during 15th August event at respective district headquarter.

The District Lead Colleges shall forward a one page report including 2 photographs from each event to the Directorate of Colleges in word (.docx) format by or before 14th Aug, 2024.

5. **SWACHHATA ABHIYAN:** Each college is required to organize a Swachhata Abhiyan from August 1st to August 14th. This should include campus cleanliness drives, cleanliness drives of nearby water bodies and Swachhata Plogathons, with display of banners of celebration of 77th Independence Day. – One page report including 2 Photographs from the activity to be submitted to the Directorate of Colleges. by or before 16th Aug, 2024
6. **EK PED, MAA KE NAAM:** Under the banner of Ek Ped, Maa Ke Naam, all colleges will arrange planting of saplings, with proper documentation of the activity including 2 photographs to be submitted to the Directorate of Colleges by or before 16th Aug, 2024.

Kindly ensure that all activities are conducted with due adherence to the schedule and spirit of the occasion.

The Celebrations will culminate with Flag Hoisting in all Colleges of UT of Jammu and Kashmir in compliance with the Flag Code and in presence of all College Staff.

Each College shall forward the detailed calendar of events form 1st to 15th Aug in terms of Dates, Time, activities and details therein to the Directorate of Colleges, J&K by of before 30th July, 2024, duly signed by the Principal and in word format as well.

Yours Sincerely


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Director Colleges, J&K
Higher Education Department

No.: DC-HE/K /2024/1415.

Dated: 29-07-2024

Copy to:

1. All District Development Commissioners for information with the request to felicitate the winners of district level college competitions.
2. Nodal Principal Jammu/Kashmir Division Colleges for information.
3. Principals, District Lead Colleges for information and necessary action.
4. PS to Principal Secretary to Government, Higher Education Department, for information of the Principal Secretary HED, Civil Secretariat, Srinagar/Jammu.
5. PS to the Divisional Commissioner Jammu/Kashmir for information of the Divisional Commissioner, Jammu/Kashmir.
6. Office file/Master file.