St.JOSEPH UNIVERSITY

(A State Private University established under Tamil Nadu Private Universities Act, 2019)

KMMC MEDICAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITALS

MBBS Phase I Academic Calendar 2026–2027

(*Working Days, Holidays and Compensatory Working Days*)

Particulars	No. of Days
Total calendar period	372 days
Sundays	53 days
Declared holidays/vacations in the calendar	57 days
Holidays falling on Sundays	4 days
Sundays + declared holidays/vacations (unique)	106 days
Other non-working days shown as blank/no Phase-I activity	33 days
Total non-working days	**139 days**
Total working days	**233 days**

The following instructions shall be strictly adhered to:

1. **Holidays and Vacations:**

   All holidays, vacations and other non-working periods mentioned in the academic calendar shall be subject to review/verification during academic and regulatory inspections. The Departments shall ensure that the prescribed academic requirements and minimum working days are fulfilled without deficiency.

2. **Compensation of Holidays/Vacations:**

   Any additional holiday, vacation or closure granted beyond the approved academic calendar shall be appropriately **compensated by conducting academic activities on** an equivalent working day, so that the required number of academic working days and teaching hours are maintained. Such compensatory working days shall be properly documented in the departmental and institutional records.

3. **Academic Activities Counted as Working Days:**

   Working days shall include not only regular theory classes, PCT exams, model exams, practicals, demonstrations and clinical postings, but also approved academic and institutional activities such as:

- Continuing Medical Education (CME) programmes
- Clinical Society Meeting
- Symposia
- Conferences
- Seminars and workshops
- Fine Arts Inauguration
- Sports Day
- College Day
- Other approved academic, co-curricular and institutional programmes

Such activities shall be properly recorded and documented as part of the academic calendar wherever applicable.

4. Maintenance of Records:

All Departments shall maintain proper records of attendance, academic activities, teaching hours, clinical postings, examinations, holidays and compensatory working days. These records shall be kept ready for verification during University, NMC and other regulatory inspections.

5. Responsibility of Heads of Departments:

All Heads of Departments shall ensure that the prescribed curriculum is completed within the stipulated period and that no shortage of academic working days or teaching hours occurs on account of holidays, vacations or other institutional activities.

6. Strict Compliance:

All concerned faculty members and Heads of Departments are hereby instructed to adhere strictly to the approved academic calendar and the above instructions. Any deviation shall require prior approval from the competent authority and shall be appropriately compensated and documented.

The above instructions shall be treated as **mandatory** and shall be followed strictly by all concerned.