



GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB
SCHOOL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Dated the 21st August, 2026

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NOTIFICATION

NO.SO(ACAD-I)1-31/2025. Pursuant to approval of the Competent Authority, it is hereby notified that all Public & Private Schools across Punjab shall remain open from **Monday to Friday w.e.f. 24.08.2026.**

2. It is further notified that school timings (opening & closing hours) in public schools shall be observed w.e.f **24.08.2026 to 15.10.2026** as follows:

DAYS	TIMINGS	SCHOOLS
Monday to Thursday	8:00 am to 1:30 pm	Single Shift
Friday	8:00 am to 12:45 pm	
Monday to Thursday	8:00 am to 12:30 pm (Morning shift)	Double shift / Afternoon Schools
Friday	8:00 am to 12:00 noon (Morning Shift)	
Monday to Thursday	1:00 pm to 5:30 pm (Evening shift)	
Friday	2:00 pm to 5:30 pm (Evening shift)	

3. All Chief Executive Officers (DEA) in Punjab shall ensure compliance with the directions in letter & spirit.

Note: Chief Executive Officers (DEA) concerned may adjust the 15-minute gap in the opening and closing time of girls schools in the district as per convenience.

MUDDASSIR RIAZ MALIK
SECRETARY
SCHOOL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

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A copy is forwarded for information and necessary action to the:-

- 1) Senior Minister (SM)
Chief Minister's Office Punjab
- 2) MINISTER | SED

School Education Department

- 3) Secretary
School Education Department
- 4) Special Secretary (Operations)
School Education Department
- 5) Additional Secretary (Admin)
School Education Department
- 6) ALL DPI (SE/EE) IN PUNJAB
- 7) ALL CEOs (DEA) IN PUNJAB
- 8) Deputy Secretary (Academics) (General)
School Education Department



**SECTION OFFICER
(ACADEMICS-I) (ACADEMICS)**