

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

MA.JMC

Department of Journalism and Mass Communication

School of Humanities

SESSION 2026-27

ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES	DATE & DURATION
Aarambh 2026 - Welcome Day Function for First-year Students (Batch-2026)	16 th August 2026
Awareness session on NEP 2020 and curriculum structure	18 th -22 nd August 2026
Induction-cum-Orientation and Commencement of Classes of First-year Students	18 th August 2026
Mentor-Mentee Meeting (Sem- III & V)	3 rd Week of August 2026
Roo-b-roo 2026 (Fresher's Function for First-year Students)	1 st Week of September 2026
Vishwakarma Pooja Celebration	17 th September 2026
Mentor-Mentee Meeting (Sem-I)	1 st Week of November 2026
Guest Talk	
Mid-term Examination (Semester I)	
Board of Studies Meeting	
Gandhi / Shashtri Jayanti-cum-Navotsav 2026 Celebration Week	15 th & 16 th October 2026
Recognition ceremony for students' achievements and showcasing talent	2 nd Week of October 2026
Value Added Course on - 'Media Psychology and Audience Behaviour'	2 nd Week of October 2026
Mid-term Examination (1 st Semester)	1 st Week of November 2026
Roshni 2026 (Annual Celebration of Light)	6 th November 2026
National Press Day Observance	16 th November 2026
World Television Day Observance	21 st November 2026
End-Term Examination (1 st Year)	3 rd Week of December 2026 (As per Notification from Exam Dept.)
Student Feedback Collection (1 st Semester)	November-December 2026
Fourth Convocation	
Runbhoomi 2026 (Annual Sports Meet)	December 2026 / January 2027
Carvaan 2026 (Annual Excursion Tour)	
Winter Vacation	25 th December, 2026 – 01 st January, 2027
JAIN Premier League (JPL) / Women JPL 2027 (Inter-school Annual T-20 Cricket Tournament)	January 2027
Aagaaz 2027 (Annual Cultural Fest)	
Beginning of Even Semester Classes	
Outreach Event and Awareness Campaign on Media Literacy / Sanitation in association with NSS in adopted village under Unnat Bharat Abhiyan	
End-term Examination (First Year)	2 nd Week of January 2027 (As per Notification from Exam Dept.)
National Voter's Day Observance	25 th January 2027
78 th Republic Day Celebration	26 th January 2027
Beginning of Even Semester Classes (First Year)	3 rd Week of January 2027
Workshop and Exhibition on Photography / Photography Competition on in association with IPR Cell	2 nd Week of February, 2027

Anand Pandey

Director, IQAC
ARKA JAIN University
Jharkhand

a.k. shrivastava Registrar
ARKA JAIN University
Jharkhand

Saraswati Pooja Celebration	11 th February 2027
World Radio Day Observance	13 th February, 2027
Media Industrial Visit	3 rd Week of February 2027
Board of Studies Meeting	
National Seminar / Conference on Emerging Trends in Media related discourse.	First Week of March 2027
Mentor-Mentee Meeting (Sem-II)	2 nd Week of March 2027
Holi Invasion Vol. 13 (Annual Pre-Holi Bash)	20 th March, 2027
Mid-term Examination (Semester II)	1 st Week of April 2027
Student Feedback Collection (2 nd Semester)	May 2027
World Press Freedom Day Observance	3 rd May 2027
Rukhsat 2027 (Farewell to Final Year Students)	1 st / 2 nd Week of May 2027
End-term Examination (Semester II)	2 nd Week of June 2027 (As per Notification from Exam Dept.)
Summer Vacation	May 2027-June 2027
Beginning of Classes of Odd Semester 2027-28 (Except First Year)	July 2027

No. of Teaching Days:

First Year

Odd Sem.	Aug 26	Sep 26	Oct 26	Nov 26	Dec 26	Jan 27	TOTAL
No. of Teaching Days	9	23	20	18	19	6	95
Even Sem.	Jan 27	Feb 27	Mar 27	Apr 27	May 27	-	TOTAL
No. of Teaching Days	-	22	22	23	23	-	90

Note: Above-mentioned activities and timelines are tentative and subject to change. The Department reserves the right to modify, reschedule, or cancel any of the listed events or dates without prior notice, as deemed necessary in the interest of academic and administrative priorities.



Dr. Rahul Amin

Associate Professor & Asst. Dean

Department of Journalism and Mass Communication

School of Humanities

Assistant Dean

School of Humanities

Arka Jain University



Director, IQAC
ARKA JAIN University
Jharkhand



Registrar
ARKA JAIN University
Jharkhand