

Term Calendar 2026

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KEY: ■ Public holidays ■ School holidays

Term 1	59 school days
Admin, support staff return	5 January
Academic staff return	12 January
School opens (Grades 2 to 12)	14 January
School opens (Grades R and 1)	15 January
School opens (Preschool)	19 January
Mid-term break	20 – 23 February
School closes	10 April
Term 2	63 school days
Academic staff return	4 May
School opens	5 May
Mid-term break	15 – 19 June
School closes	7 August
Term 3	63 school days
Academic staff return	7 September
School opens	8 September
Mid-term break	23 – 26 October
School closes	4 December
Academic staff leave	9 December
Admin, support staff leave	18 December

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

Date	Holiday
1 January	New Year's Day
21 March	Human Rights Day
3 April	Good Friday
5 April	Easter
6 April	Family Day
27 April	Freedom Day
1 May	Worker's Day
15 June	Special school holiday
16 June	Youth Day
9 August	National Women's Day
10 August	National Women's Day observed
24 September	Heritage Day
25 September	Special school holiday
16 December	Day of Reconciliation
25 December	Christmas
26 December	Day of Goodwill

