2026

INSPIRED SCHOOLS CALENDAR

JANUARY

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FEBRUARY

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JUNE

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AUGUST

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OCTOBER

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NOVEMBER

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DECEMBER

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SCHOOL TERMS

STAFF CONFERENCE: 12/13 January 2026
TERM 1: 14 January - 27 March
TERM 2: 13 April - 26 June
TERM 3: 21 July - 23 September
TERM 4: 12 October - 2 December

College examinations on these Saturdays

Exam Windows: 20 May - 13 June
30 Oct - 24 Nov

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

28 March - 12 April
27 April - 1 May - Mid term
15 June - School Holiday
27 June - 20 July
24 September - 11 October
3 December - 12 January 2027*

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

3 April: Public Holiday
6 April: Family Day
27 April: Freedom Day
1 May: Workers' Day
16 June: Youth Day
9 August: National Women's Day
10 August: National Women's Day (observed)
24 September: Heritage Day

IEB EXAM DATES

IEB National Conference: 31 January 2026
IEB NSC Exams: 14 October 2026 - 27 November 2026
IEB NSC Marking: 3 - 11 December 2026

CIE EXAM DATES

CIE IGCSE & A Levels - End April to 15 June 2026*
IGCSE Afrikaans, AS and A levels - end September 2026 to 17 November 2026*

School Commences in 2027 on 13 January 2027*
Staff Conference in 2027 on 11/12 January 2027*

* Provisional

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