



LAGOS STATE GOVERNMENT

MINISTRY OF BASIC & SECONDARY EDUCATION OFFICE OF EDUCATION QUALITY ASSURANCE 2025/2026 HARMONISED ACADEMIC CALENDAR



	DESCRIPTION	DATE	DURATION
FIRST TERM	STAFF PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT (SPD) MONDAY, 8 TH - FRIDAY 12 TH SEPTEMBER, 2025		2 days
	RESUMPTION	Monday, 15th September, 2025.	
	FIRST HALF	Monday, 15th September, – Friday, 31st October, 2025.	34 days
	OPEN DAY	Thursday, 30th October, 2025 - Primary	1 day
		Friday, 31st October, 2025 - Secondary	
	MID-TERM BREAK	Monday, 3rd November – Friday, 7th November, 2025.	5 days
	SECOND HALF	Monday, 10th November – Friday, 19th December, 2025.	30 days
	CELEBRATIONS	Eid-el-Maulud – Friday, 6th September, 2025.	1 day – public holiday
		International Literacy Day – Monday, 8th September, 2025	1 day – observance
		Independence Day – Wednesday, 1st October, 2025.	1 day – public holiday
		World Teachers’ Day – Sunday, 5th October, 2025. (To be observed on Monday, 6th October)	1 day – observance
VACATION	Monday, 22nd December, 2025 – Friday, 9th January, 2026	15 days	
TOTAL DAYS IN SCHOOL (FIRST TERM)		64 Days	
SECOND TERM	RESUMPTION	Monday, 12th January, 2026.	
	FIRST HALF	Monday, 12th January – Friday, 20th February, 2026.	30 days
	OPEN DAY	Thursday, 19th February, 2026 - Primary	1 day
		Friday, 20th February, 2026 - Secondary	
	MID-TERM BREAK	Monday, 23rd February, – Friday, 27th February, 2026.	5 days
	SECOND HALF	Monday, 2nd March – Friday, 17th April, 2026.	31days
	CELEBRATIONS	Good Friday – Friday, 3rd April, 2026.	1 day – public holiday
		Easter Monday – Monday, 6th April, 2026.	1 day – public holiday
		Eid-el-Fitr – Friday, 20th March – Monday, 23rd March, 2026	2 days – public holiday
	VACATION	Monday, 20th April – Friday, 1st May, 2026.	10 days
TOTAL DAYS IN SCHOOL (SECOND TERM)		61 Days	
THIRD TERM	RESUMPTION	Monday, 4th May, 2026.	
	FIRST HALF	Monday, 4th May - Thursday 11th June , 2026	27 days
	OPEN DAY	Wednesday, 10th June, 2026 - Primary	1 day
		Thursday, 11th June, 2026 - Secondary	
	MID-TERM BREAK	Monday, 15th June – Friday, 19th June, 2026.	5 days
	SECOND HALF	Monday 15th June - Friday 24th July, 2026.	30 days
	CELEBRATIONS	Workers’ Day – Friday, 1st May, 2026.	1 day – public holiday
		Children’s Day – Wednesday, 27 th May, 2026.	1 day – public holiday
		Eid-el-Kabir – Wednesday, 27 th May & Thursday, 28 th May, 2026.	1 day – public holiday
		Democracy Day – Friday, 12th June, 2026	2 days – public holiday
END OF SESSION	Friday, 25 th July, 2026.		
VACATION	Monday, 27th July, 2026.		
TOTAL DAYS IN SCHOOL (THIRD TERM)		57 Days	

TOTAL NUMBER OF DAYS IN SCHOOL 2025/2026 ACADEMIC SESSION - 182 Days

Important Notice:

Schools are allowed to pick any two days between Monday, 8th to Friday, 12th September, 2025 for their SPD
- Observance of **Open Day is mandatory** and the timing is at the discretion of schools.

- Observance of **Public Holiday is mandatory** and subject to **Federal Government announcement.**

Schools operating **International Curricular** and wishing to be considered for different dates apart from the **2025/2026 Approved Harmonised Academic Calendar**, must note the **guide on flexibility** and complete the **Calendar Flexibility Application** on or before **Friday 15th August, 2025.** The form can be accessed via:

<https://forms.gle/NNQCXQhGx7EPgMvy7>