MINISTRY OF BASIC EDUCATION

NATIONAL EDUCATION POLICY ACT, 1996 (ACT NO. 27 1996)

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Minister of Basic Education

2014 SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

I, Angelina Matsie Motshekga, Minister of Basic Education, hereby publish in terms of section 3(4)(K) of the National Education Policy Act, 1996 (Act No. 27 of 1996) the 2014 school calendar for ordinary public schools as detailed in the accompanying schedule.

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR THE 2014 ACADEMIC YEAR:

Public and School Holidays 2014	
1 January	New Year's Day
21 March	Human Rights Day
18 April	Good Friday
21 April	Family Day
27 April	Freedom Day
28 April	Public Holiday
29 April	School Holiday
30 April	School Holiday
1 May	Workers' Day
2 May	School Holiday
16 June	Youth Day
9 August	Women's Day
24 September	Heritage Day
16 December	Day of Reconciliation
25 December	Christmas Day
26 December	Day of Goodwill

January 2014

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February 2014

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March 2014

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April 2014

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May 2014

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June 2014

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July 2014

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August 2014

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September 2014

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October 2014

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November 2014

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December 2014

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21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

PROVINCES: FREE STATE, GAUTENG, LIMPOPO, MPUMALANGA, NORTH WEST, EASTERN CAPE, KWAZULU-NATAL, NORTHERN CAPE AND WESTERN CAPE

Term	Duration	No. of weeks	No. of days	No. of public holidays	Actual no. of school days
1	(13) 15 Jan - 28 March	11	(55) 53	1	(54) 52
2	7 April – 27June	11	60	5 + 3	52
3	21 July – 03 Oct	11	55	1	54
4	13 Oct – (12) 10 Dec	9	(45) 43	0	(45) 43
TOTAL		**42**	**(215) 211**	**7 + 3**	**(205) 201**

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