# LATEST <br> AMENDED 2021 SCHOOL CALENDAR 



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| January 2021 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Weekends |
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|  | Days for administration |
|  | School days |
|  | Public holidays |
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| Public and School Holidays 2021 |  |
| 01 January | New Year's Day |
| 21 March | Human Rights Day |
| 22 March | Public holiday |
| 02 April | Good Friday |
| 05 April | Family Day |
| 27 April | Freedom Day |
| 01 May | Workers' Day |
| 16 June | Youth Day |
| 09 August | National Women's Day |
| 24 September | Heritage Day |
| 16 December | Day of Reconciliation |
| 25 December | Christmas Day |
| 26 December | Day of Goodwill |
| 27 December | Public holiday |


| Duration | No. of weeks | No. of days | No. of public holidays | Actual no. of school days |
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| (25 January) (01) 15 February - 23 April | $(13)(12) 10$ | $(65)(60) 50$ | 3 | $(62)(57) 47$ |
| 03 May - 09 July | 10 | 50 | 1 | 49 |
| 26 July - 01 October | 10 | 50 | 2 | 48 |
| 11 October - 15 (15) December | 10 | $48(48)$ | 00 | $(48) 48$ |
| Total | $\mathbf{( 4 3 ) ( 4 2 ) 4 0 ~}$ | $(213)(208) 198$ | 6 | $(207)(202) 192$ |

