KENYA SCHOOL CALENDAR 2027

Pre-primary, Primary and Junior School (PP1 to Grade 9). Term dates from the Ministry of Education calendar 2027 (Pre-primary, Primary and Junior School).

Term	Opens	Half term / breaks	Closes	Weeks	Teaching weeks
Term 1	Monday 4 January	Half term: Fri 19 Feb - Sun 28 Feb	Friday 9 April	14	13
Term 2	Monday 3 May	Half term: Wed 9 Jun - Sun 20 Jun	Friday 30 July	13	12
Term 3	Monday 30 August	-	Friday 5 November	10	9

Public holidays 2027

Fri 1 Jan	New Year's Day
Wed 10 Mar	Eid al-Fitr (approximate)
Fri 26 Mar	Good Friday
Mon 29 Mar	Easter Monday
Sat 1 May	Labour Day
Mon 17 May	Eid al-Adha (approximate)
Tue 1 Jun	Madaraka Day
Mon 11 Oct	Mazingira Day holiday
Wed 20 Oct	Mashujaa Day
Sun 12 Dec	Jamhuri Day (Monday 13 Dec is the holiday)
Sat 25 Dec	Christmas Day
Sun 26 Dec	Boxing Day (Monday 27 Dec is the holiday)

Eid dates depend on the sighting of the moon; check the official gazette notice nearer the time.

National assessments and school holidays

10 Apr - 2 May	Holiday after Term 1
31 Jul - 29 Aug	Holiday after Term 2
1 Nov - 5 Nov	KPSEA, KILEA, KJSEA and KPLEA assessments
6 Nov - 31 Dec	Holiday after Term 3 (end of year)

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