

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 2008

GROUP 1: COASTAL PROVINCES: 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	((14)16 Jan-20 March	10	49	0	47(49)
2	14 April-27 June	11	55	2+2	51
3	14 July-26 Sept	11	55	1	54
4	6 Oct-5(9) Dec	9(10)	45(47)	0	45(47)
Total		41(42)	204(206)	5	197(201)
GROUP 2: INLAND PROVINCES: FREE STATE, GAUTENG, LIMPOPO,MPUMALANGA AND NORTH WEST					
Term	Duration	No of weeks	No of days	No of public holidays	Actual no of school days
1	(7)9 Jan-20 March	11	54	0	52(54)
2	14 April-20 June	10	50	2+2	46
3	14 July-26 Sept	11	55	1	54
4	6 Oct-5 (9)Dec	9(10)	45	0	45(47)
Total		41(42)	204	5	197(201)

Note: Dates and days in brackets are for educators

Public and School Holidays

1 January 2008

21 March 2008

24 March 2008

27 April 2008

28 April 2008

1 May 2008

2 May 2008

16 June 2008

9 August 2008

24 September 2008

16 December 2008

25 December 2008

26 December 2008

New Year's Day

Good Friday

Family Day

Freedom Day

Public Holiday

Workers' Day

School Holiday

Youth Day

Women's Day

Heritage Day

Day of Reconciliation

Christmas Day

Day of Goodwill