



**Cayman Islands Government Schools  
2022-2023 SCHOOL CALENDAR**

Term 1: 25 August 2022 – 16 December 2022		1 <sup>st</sup> Term – 73 Teaching Days	8 Staff Planning/Professional Development Days
August	15	Principals & Deputy Principals <b>ONLY return for duty</b>	
		Orientation for new Staff - Principals to attend	
	17	All Support Services Staff - Team Leads for Allied Health, Ed. Psychs., Specialists, Counsellors, and Behaviour Support Service Manager; Team Leads for Music, PE, Spanish & Manager of Career Services <b>return for duty</b>	
	17	School Orientation for new staff; SENCOs, SPLs, TLCs, LMs, HoDs, Subject Leads (Secondary), Primary Instructional Leaders - Literacy, Numeracy, Science <b>return for duty</b>	
	18	<b>DES Annual Teachers' Welcome Back (a.m.) - JGHS Gym; ALL TEACHERS and SUPPORT STAFF return for duty; Professional Development (School PD)</b>	
	19	<b>First Staff Planning Day (School PD)</b>	
	22	<b>Professional Development Day (System Wide PD)</b>	
	23	<b>Professional Development Day (System Wide PD)</b>	
	24	New Student Orientation (a.m.); <b>Professional Development Day (School PD) (p.m.)</b>	
	25	<b>Schools Reopen For Primary Students;</b> Yr. 7 Orientation - CHHS (Clifton Hunter High School), JGHS (John Gray High School), LSHS (Layman E. Scott Sr. High School)	
		<b>Release of exam results/initial consulting - Yr. 12 (TBC – dependent on CXC's schedule)</b>	
	26	Yrs. 8 & 9 Orientation - CHHS, JGHS, LSHS	
		<b>Release of exam results/initial Consulting - Yr. 11 results (TBC – dependent on CXC's schedule)</b>	
29	Yrs. 10 & 11 Orientation - CHHS, JGHS, LSHS		
30	<b>All high school students return to school</b>		
	CIFEC Class Induction for All Year 12 students		
September	1-30	<b>CAT4 Testing - Years 4, 6 &amp; 9</b>	
	5-9	<b>Pupil Attitudes towards Self and School (PASS) Yrs. 1-11</b>	
	12-16	<b>Diagnostic Testing Secondary Schools (DORA, DOMA/ADAM)</b>	
October	11	STEM Carib Conference (TBC)	
	12	KPMG Brain Bowl (Secondary) (TBC)	
	13-14	<b>Professional Development Day (System Wide PD)</b>	
	17-21	<b>Half-term Holiday (Students &amp; Teachers)</b>	
November	14	<b>Remembrance Day - Public Holiday</b>	
	14-18	Heritage Week	
	29	Spelling Bee Finals (Primary)	
	30	Spelling Bee Finals (Secondary)	
December	9	<b>Professional Development Day (System Wide PD)</b>	
	16	<b>Schools close for Christmas Break (Students leave at 1:00 p.m.; Teachers leave at 3:00 p.m.)</b>	
Term 2: 3 January 2023 – 6 April 2023		2 <sup>nd</sup> Term – 62 Teaching Days	1 Staff Planning/Professional Development Day
January	2	<b>New Year's Day (observed) - Public Holiday</b>	
	3	<b>Schools Re-open</b>	
	23	<b>National Heroes Day - Public Holiday</b>	
February	20-24	<b>Half-term Holiday (Students &amp; Teachers)</b>	
	22	<b>Ash Wednesday - Public Holiday</b>	
March	2-3	NCFA Adjudications (Cayman Brac)	
	6-10	NCFA Adjudications (Grand Cayman)	
	15-17	Inter-Primary Sports	
	22-24	Inter-Secondary Sports	
	27	<b>Professional Development Day (System Wide PD)</b>	
April	6-14	<b>Schools close for Easter Break (Students leave at 1:00 p.m.; Teachers leave at 3:00 p.m.)</b>	
	7	<b>Good Friday - Public Holiday</b>	
	10	<b>Easter Monday - Public Holiday</b>	
Term 3: 17 April 2023 – 28 June 2023		3 <sup>rd</sup> Term – 50 Teaching Days	1 Staff Planning/Professional Development Day
April	17	<b>Schools Re-open</b>	
May	8-12	Key Stage 1 Examinations	
	15	Discovery Day - Public Holiday	
	16-18	Key Stage 2 Examinations	
	19	Key Stage 2 Examinations - Make-up day	
	22	<b>Professional Development Day (School PD)</b>	
June	5-9	<b>Pupil Attitudes towards Self and School (PASS) Yrs. 1-10 (Intervention Students)</b>	
	TBC	<b>Queen's Birthday - Public Holiday</b>	
	28	<b>Schools close for Summer Break (Students leave at 1:00 p.m.; Teachers leave at 3:00 p.m.)</b>	
	29-30	<b>Contingency Storm/Emergency Days</b>	
July	3	<b>Constitution Day - Public Holiday</b>	

Total number of Teaching Days = 185; Total number of Staff Planning/Professional Development Days = 10

### Total Teaching Days

August	5
September	22
October	14
November	21
December	11
<b>Total</b>	<b>73</b>

Schools close at 1:00 p.m. on the 16<sup>th</sup> December, 2022 for students and at 3:00 p.m. for teachers.

**1<sup>st</sup> Term = 73 days**

January	20
February	15
March	23
April	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>62</b>

Schools close at 1:00 p.m. on the 6<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 for students and at 3:00 p.m. for teachers.

**2<sup>nd</sup> Term = 62 days**

April	10
May	19
June	21
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>

Schools close at 1:00 p.m. on the 28<sup>th</sup> June, 2023 for students and 3:00 p.m. for teachers.

**3<sup>rd</sup> Term = 50 days**

**Total No. of Instructional days= 185**

### Staff Planning/Professional Development Days

August	5
October	2
December	1
March	1
May	1
<b>Total =</b>	<b>10</b>

### Contingency Storm/Emergency Days

June 29-30, 2023: 2 days

### KEY

Ed. Psych	-	Educational Psychologist
HoD	-	Head of Department
LM	-	Learning Mentor
OT	-	Occupational Therapist
SENCO	-	Special Education Needs Coordinator
SPL	-	Student Progress Leader
TLC	-	Teaching and Learning Coordinator