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# LICEF SCHOOL



# PROVISIONAL ACADEMIC/ HOLIDAYS CALENDAR

## TERM ONE

Opening Day: Monday 6th January, 2025

Closing Day: Friday 11th April, 2025

Student's Holidays: 12th April, 2025 - 4th May, 2025

## 7ERM TWO

Opening Day: Monday 5th May, 2025

Closing Day: Friday 1st August, 2025

Student's Holidays: 2nd August, 2025 - 31st August, 2025

## TERM THREE

Opening Day (All Grade 11): Monday 25th August, 2025

Opening Day (Nursery - Grade 10): Monday 1st September, 2025

Closing Day: Friday 28th November, 2025

Student's Holidays: 29th November, 2025 - 11th January, 2026

12th JANUARY 2026 - SCHOOL RE-OPENS FOR TERM 1

### START OF ISLAMIC MONTHS 1446/1447

1 January - Rajab

31 January - Shaban

1 March - Ramadan

31 March - Shawwal

29 April - Dhul-Qa'dah

28 May - Dhul-Hijjah

26 June - Muharram

26 July - Safar

25 August - Rabi-ul-Awwal

23 September - Rabi-ul Thani

23 October - Jumada al-Ula

22 November - Jamada'ul-Ukhra

21 December - Rajab

ISLAMIC DATES ARE SUBJECT TO MOONSIGHTING Confirmation

## ZAMBIAN PUBLIC HOLIDAYS - 2025

1 January - New Year's Day

8 March - International Women's Day

12 March - Youth Day

18 April - Good Friday

19 April - Holy Saturday

20 April - Easter Sunday

18 April - Easter Monday

28 April - Kenneth Kaunda Day

1 May - Labour Day

25 May - African Freedom Day

26 May - African Freedom Day Holiday

7 July - Heroes' Day

8 July - Unity Day

4 August - Farmers' Day

6 October - World Teachers Day

18 October - National Day of Prayer

24 October - Independence Day

25 December - Christmas Day

## **SCHOOL EVENTS 2025**

#### TERM 1 - 2025

- Monday, 6th January School Re-Opened for Term 1.
- Thursday, 16th January Secondary Parent-Teacher Meeting.
- Thursday, 23rd January Primary Parent Teacher meeting.
- Monday, 27th January Isra Miraj 27 Rajab.
- Thursday, 30th January Foundation Parent Teacher meeting.
- Friday, 31st January Beginning of Shaban.
- Tuesday, 4th February Primary Quiz Contest for Boys.
- Wednesday, 5th February Primary Quiz Contest for Girls.
- Saturday, 8th February Islamiyaat Jalsa (Girls- During the day; Boys: Evenings).
- Tuesday, 11th February Secondary Girls Quiz Contest.
- Wednesday, 12th February Secondary Boys Quiz Contest.
- Thursday, 13th February Foundation Inter- House Spelling Bee Competition.
- Friday, 14th February Laylatul Bara'ah.
- Monday, 17th February Foundation/ Primary Mid Term Tests Begin.
- Friday, 21st February Foundation/ Primary Mid Term Tests End.
- Thursday, 27th February Foundation Parent-Teacher Interaction.
- Saturday, 1st March Start of Fasting RAMADAN.
- Monday, 3rd March Charity Drive Week Begins.
- Tuesday, 4th March Secondary Girls Annual Speech Contest.
- Wednesday, 5th March Secondary Boys Annual Speech Contest.
- Thursday, 6th March Foundation Annual Speech Contest.
- Friday, 7th March Charity Drive Ends.
- Saturday, 8th March International Women's Day.
- Wednesday, 12th March Youth Day.
- Thursday, 13th March Primary/ Secondary Parent Teacher Interaction.
- Friday, 14th March Charity Drive Presentation.
- Tuesday, 18th March Primary Girls Annual Speech Contest.
- Wednesday, 19th March Primary Boys Annual Speech Contest.
- · Friday, 21st March I'tikaf Begins.
- Thursday, 27th March 27th Ramadan.
- . Monday, 31st March EID-UI-Fitr Beginning of Shawwal.
- Tuesday, 1st April EID Holiday.
- Wednesday, 2nd April Secondary End of Term 1 Exams Begin.
- Thursday, 3rd April Primary End of Term 1 Exams Begin.
- Monday, 7th April Foundation End of Term 1 examinations Begin

- Friday, 11th April- Term 1 Exams End (All Sections)/ Last Day of School for Term 1.
- Friday, 2nd May Open Day for All Sections.

#### TERM 2 - 2025

- Monday, 5th May School Re-Opens for Term 2 2025.
- Saturday, 24th May Primary/ Secondary Girls Annual Sports Day.
- Sunday, 25th May African Freedom Day.
- Monday, 26th May African Freedom Day Holiday.
- Wednesday, 28th May Beginning of Dhul-Hijjah.
- Thursday, 29th May Foundation Annual Sports Day.
- Saturday, 31st Primary/ Secondary Boys Annual Sports Day.
- Thursday, 5th June Day of Arafah.
- Friday, 6th June Eid-Ul-Adha.
- Tuesday, 10th June Foundation/ Annual Science Fair.
- Monday, 16th June Foundation/ Primary Mid-Term Tests
  Begin.
- Friday, 20th June Foundation/ Primary Mid-Term Tests End.
- Wednesday, 25th June Secondary Annual Science Fair.
- Thursday, 26th June Islamic New Year/ Beginning of Muharram.
- Wednesday, 2nd July Primary/ Secondary Parent Teacher Interaction.
- Thursday, 3rd July Foundation Parent Teacher Interaction.
- Monday, 7th July Heroes' Day.
- Tuesday, 8th July Unity Day.
- Thursday, 10th July Primary Annual Science Fair.
- Monday, 21st July Secondary End of Term 2 Exams Begin.
- Thursday, 24th July Primary End of Term 2 Exam Begin.
- Saturday, 26th July Beginning of Safar.
- Monday, 28th July Foundation End of Term 2 Exam Begin.
- Friday, 1st August End of Term 2/ Last Day of School.

### TERM 3 - 2025

- Monday, 25th August Grade 11s Report for Term 3 / Beginning of Rabi-ul-Awwal.
- Friday, 29th August Open Day For All Sections.
- Monday, 1st September Beginning of Term 3.
- Monday, 8th September IGCSE Mock Exams Begin.
- Wednesday, 17th September IGCSE Mock Exams End.
- Thursday, 18th September Secondary Careers Day.
- Tuesday, 23rd September Beginning of Rabi-ul Thani.

- Thursday, 25th September IGCSE Cambridge Exams Begin.
- Tuesday, 30th September Primary Annual Top of the Form Boys.
- Wednesday, 1st October Primary Annual Top of the Form
  Girls
- Thursday, 2nd October Foundation Inter-House Science Quiz.
- Monday, 6th October World Teachers Day.
- Tuesday, 7th October Foundation Mid-Term Tests Begin.
- Monday, 13th October Foundation Mid-Term Tests End.
- Tuesday, 14th October Primary Mid-Term Tests Begin.
- Thursday, 16th October Foundation Parent Teacher Interaction.
- Saturday, 18th October National Day of Prayer.
- Tuesday, 21st October Primary Mid-Term Tests End.
- Wednesday, 22nd October Primary/ Secondary Independence Assembly.
- Thursday, 23rd October Foundation Independence Assembly / Grade 7 ECZ Guidelines / Beginning of Jumada al-Ulaa.
- Friday, 24th October Independence Day.
- Monday, 27th October Primary Grade 7 ECZ Exams Begin.
- Wednesday, 29th October Primary/ Secondary Parent Teacher Interaction.
- Thursday, 30th October Primary Grade 7 ECZ Exams End.
- Monday, 3rd November Secondary Grade 9 Check Point Exams Begin.
- Thursday, 6th November Infants Graduation.
- Tuesday, 11th November Secondary Grade 9 Check Point Exams End.
- Wednesday, 12th November Grade 7 Farewell Assembly.
- Thursday, 13th November Foundation Grade 2 Farewell Assembly / IGCSE Cambridge Exams End.
- Monday, 17th November Secondary End of Term 3 Exams Begin.
- Tuesday, 18th November Grade 9 ECZ Exams Begin.
- Thursday, 20th November Primary End of Term 3 Exams Begin.
- Saturday, 22nd November Beginning of Jamada-al-Ukhra.
- Monday, 24th November Foundation End of Term 3 Exams Begin .
- Thursday, 27th November ECZ Grade 9 Exams End.
- Friday, 28th November End of Term 3/ Last Day of School.
- Friday, 5th December Open Day For All Sections.
- MONDAY, 12TH JANUARY 2026 BEGINNING OF TERM 1