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WEEK 1/8	OCTOBER	Week 1 Timetable
Date	**Time**	**Event**
MONDAY 05 October	15:00 17:00	PS Boarders return HS Boarders return
TUESDAY 06 October	 16:00 17:00 18:30	WS Staff and pupils return WS Co-curricular starts PS Grade 6 & 7 study skills workshop with Josie Makkink HS Matric fun day HS Art exhibition HS Leavers' Communion Service HS Matric and parents cocktail evening
WEDNESDAY 07 October	10:00 15:00 – 17:00	HS Speech Day HS Water Polo: Fixture (St Mary's Kloof)
THURSDAY 08 October		
FRIDAY 09 October	 08:00 08:00 14:00 – 16:00 15:00 – 19:00	PS Grade 1 pet talk (P.A.R.R.) PS Tennis: KZN trials (Kershaw Park TBC) – by invite only. HS Tennis: KZN U15 trials (Westridge, Durban) HS Detention and catch-up: Mrs Ngcongo HS Indoor Hockey: Fixture vs Howick & Treverton (Epworth)
SATURDAY 10 October	 08:00 08:00 – 16:00 08:00 08:00 9:00 – 12:00	WS World Mental Health Awareness Day HS Tennis: KZN U15 trials (Westridge, Durban) HS Indoor hockey festivals: 1st, 2nd (The Wykeham Collegiate), U16A, U16B, U16C (St Anne's College), U14A, U14B (Epworth) HS SPAR KZN Fast5 netball tournament (Epworth outside courts) PS Tennis: KZN trials (Kershaw Park TBC) - invite only PS Cricket: Fixture vs New Hanover Junior (Epworth), Seniors 1 (New Hanover) Seniors 2 (Epworth) HS Canoeing: Schools league kayak cross (Maritzburg College)
SUNDAY 11 October	 08:00	WS Boarder Chapel HS Tennis: KZN U15 trials (Westridge, Durban) PS Tennis: KZN trials (Kershaw Park TBC) – invite only

WEEK 2/8	OCTOBER	Week 2 Timetable
Date	**Time**	**Event**
MONDAY 12 October	14:00 – 16:00	PS Squash league: Open 1 vs St Charles 1 (Epworth), Open 2 vs St Charles 2 & Open 3 vs St Charles 3 (St Charles), U11A – internal round robin (Epworth)
	15:00 – 17:00	WS Board sub-committee – Faith and Practice (WJW)
	16:00 – 18:30	HS Ensemble performance at Marian Villa
TUESDAY 13 October	07:30 – 14:50	HS Grade 11 leadership training (Haley Hall)
	15:00 – 17:00	HS NSC exam: German P1
	15:00 – 17:00	HS Squash: A squad vs Hilton College (Hilton College)
	17:00 – 18:00	PS Swimming league: Girls League Gala (St John's D.S.G.)
WEDNESDAY 14 October	14:30	PS Cricket: Fixture vs Lynford (Epworth)
		HS NSC exam: French P1
	15:00 – 17:00	HS Water Polo: Fixture (TBC)
	17:30	PS Parents' Association Meeting (WJW)
THURSDAY 15 October		HS NSC exam: German P2
		HS French: DELF A1 examination
	15:00 – 16:00	PS Swimming League: Mixed League Gala (Laddsworth)
	15:00 – 17:00	HS Netball: Fast5 league matches (TBC)
	18:00 – 20:00	WS Performing Arts Gala Concert 2026 (Haley Hall)
FRIDAY 16 October		PS Grade 3 John Roff spider walk (Epworth)
		HS NSC exam: CAT P1 Practical
	08:00	HS Tennis: KZN U19 trials (Westridge, Durban)
	13:00	HS French: Grade 11 Piggly Wiggly outing with Michaelhouse
	13:30 – 19:00	WS Squash: KZN Stayers' Tournament (PMB)
	14:00 – 16:00	HS Detention and catch-up: Ms Nsindane
	15:00 – 19:00	HS Indoor Hockey: Fixture vs St John's D.S.G (St John's D.S.G.) (MPC1)
	16:00 – 18:00	WS Amber Ballet Studio End-Year Concert – technical rehearsal (Haley Hall)
SATURDAY 17 October		WS World Singing Day
	07:00 – 16:00	HS Indoor hockey festivals: U18A (St Anne's College), U18B, U16B, U16C (Pietermaritzburg Girls' High School), U16A, U14B (Epworth), U14A (St John's D.S.G.)
	08:00	WS Cricket: PS seniors vs high school team (Epworth)
	08:00	HS Tennis: KZN U19 trials (Westridge, Durban)
	09:00 – 11:30	HS French – APF meeting at Epworth (WJW)
	09:00 – 12:00	HS Canoeing: School league relay & prize-giving (Rusty Canoe Club)
SUNDAY 18 October	08:00 – 15:00	WS Squash: KZN Stayers' (Durban)
	08:00	HS Tennis: KZN U19 trials (Westridge, Durban)
		WS Boarder Chapel

WEEK 3/8	OCTOBER	Week 1 Timetable
Date	**Time**	**Event**
MONDAY 19 October	7:30 – 9:00 8:30 – 14:00 14:00 – 16:00	HS NSC exam: FS Maths P1 HS NSC exam: FS Maths P2 HS French: DELF A2 examination HS Grade 11 Leadership Induction (Chapel) PS Art project with "Carrie on Creating" (PS library) PS Squash league: Open 2 vs St Charles 3 & Open 3 vs St Charles 2 (Epworth), U11B vs St Nicholas 1 (Epworth)
TUESDAY 20 October	13:00 – 14:00 17:00 – 18:00	HS NSC exam: Afrikaans P1 HS NSC exam: IsiZulu P1 HS French: DELF B1 examination PS Cricket: Grades 1 and 2 mini cricket festival (Epworth) PS Swimming league: Girls' League Gala (Cordwalles)
WEDNESDAY 21 October	14:30 15:00 – 17:00 15:00 – 17:00 17:30 – 19:30 18:00	HS NSC exam: History P1 PS Cricket: Fixture vs Eston. Juniors (Epworth), seniors (Eston) HS Water Polo: Fixture (TBC) HS Squash: A squad vs Westville Boys' High School (Epworth) PS Dads and Me braai bash (Prep School) HS Boarder dinner (WJW)
THURSDAY 22 October	15:00 – 16:00 15:00 – 17:00 16:30 18:00	HS NSC exam: FS English PS Grade 4 outing to Mandela Capture site PS Swimming League: Mixed League Gala (Howick PS) HS Netball: Fast5 league matches (TBC) WS Board sub-committee – PPDC (WJW) HS Music pupils' concert (Chapel)
FRIDAY 23 October	14:00 – 16:00 14:00 15:00 – 19:00 18:00	HS NSC exam: Business Studies HS Detention and catch-up: Ms Schwikkard PS Indoor Hockey: Fixture vs St John's D.S.G. (St John's D.S.G) HS Indoor Hockey: Fixture vs St Anne's College (Epworth) WS Amber Ballet Studio end-of-year concert: performance 1 (Haley Hall)
SATURDAY 24 October	07:00 – 16:00 08:00 – 11:00 12:00 and 14:00 18:00 – 21:00	HS Indoor hockey festivals: U18A, U16B, U16C (Epworth), U18B, U16A (The Wykeham Collegiate), U14A, U14B (St Anne's College) PS Tennis: Squad and parent tournament (Epworth) WS Amber Ballet Studio end-of-year concert: performance 2 and 3 (Haley Hall) HS Saturday night detention: Mrs Ashton
SUNDAY 25 October		WS Boarder Chapel

WEEK 4/8	OCTOBER/NOV	Week 2 Timetable
Date	**Time**	**Event**
MONDAY 26 October	14:00 – 16:00 17:30 18:30 – 20:30	HS NSC exam: Mathematics P1 PS Squash league: Open 1 vs Merchiston 1 (Epworth), Open 2 vs St Nicholas 1 & Open 3 vs St Nicholas 2 (Epworth), U11A vs Clifton Nottingham Road 1 & Clifton Nottingham Road 2 (Epworth) PS Art Exhibition opening (Library) HS Worship Encounter (Maritzburg College)
TUESDAY 27 October	7:30 – 15:00 08:00 8:00 – 9:00 17:00 – 18:00 17:00 – 19:00	HS NSC exam: Dramatic Arts PS Art exhibition (library) Epworth Foundation Trust Meeting (online) PS Grade 1 Grandparents' Morning (chapel/Prep School) PS Swimming league: Girls League Gala (Epworth) HS Squash: A squad vs Epworthians
WEDNESDAY 28 October	7:00 – 15:00 14:30 15:00 – 17:00	WS Bring Your Bible to School Day HS NSC exam: Life Sciences P1 PS Art exhibition (library) PS Cricket: fixture vs Howick juniors (Epworth) seniors (Howick) HS Water Polo: Fixture (TBC)
THURSDAY 29 October	07:30 – 15:00 08:00 – 9:00 13:00 – 15:00 15:00 – 16:00 15:00 – 17:00	HS NSC exam: Consumer Studies PS Grade 6 and 7 examinations begin PS Art exhibition PS Grade 2 Grandparents' Morning (chapel/Prep School) WS Set up Santa Shoebox drop off (Haley Hall) PS Swimming league: Mixed League Gala (Epworth) HS Netball: Fast5 league matches (TBC)
FRIDAY 30 October	07:30 – 14:30 08:00 – 9:00 09:00 – 17:00 14:00 – 16:00 15:00 – 19:00	HS NSC exam: Afrikaans P2 HS NSC exam: IsiZulu P2 PS Grade 6 and 7 examinations PS Art exhibition PS Grade RRR & RR Grandparents' Morning (chapel/Prep School) WS Santa Shoebox drop off (Haley Hall) HS Detention and catch-up: Mrs Webster HS Indoor hockey: Fixture vs Pietermaritzburg Girls' High School & Riverwood (TBC)
SATURDAY 31 October	07:00 – 16:00 09:00 – 13:00	HS Indoor hockey festival: U18A, U18B (St Anne's College), U16A, U16B, U16C (Pietermaritzburg Girls' High School) U14A, U14B (Epworth) WS Santa Shoebox drop off (Haley Hall)
SUNDAY 01 November		WS Boarder Chapel

WEEK 5/8	NOVEMBER	Week 1 Timetable
Date	**Time**	**Event**
MONDAY 02 November	 14:00 – 16:00 16:30	HS Start of exams: Grades 9–11 HS NSC exam: Mathematical Literacy P1 HS NSC exam: Physical Sciences P1 PS Grade 6 and 7 examinations PS Squash league: U11A vs Merchiston 1 (Collegians Squash Club), U11B vs St Nicholas 1 (Epworth) WS Board sub-committee – FinCom Meeting (WJW)
TUESDAY 03 November	 13:00 – 14:00	PS Grades 1-7 co-curricular photos (Haley Hall) HS exams: Grades 9–11 PS Grade 6 and 7 examinations PS Cricket: Grades 1 and 2 mini cricket festival (Epworth)
WEDNESDAY 04 November		WS Public holiday (municipal elections): no school
THURSDAY 05 November	 15:00 – 17:00 17:30 17:30	HS Start of exam: Grade 8 HS exams: Grades 8–11 HS Netball: Fast 5 league matches (TBC) PS Grade 6 and 7 examinations PS Grade 4 Book Tasting (Prep Library) PS Parent talk by educational psychologist Claire Maher – "The Phone Based Childhood: Screens, gaming and early social platforms" (venue TBC)
FRIDAY 06 November	 14:30 15:00 – 18:00 18:00	PS Grade 6 and 7 examinations end HS NSC exam: Life Sciences P2 HS exams: Grades 8–11 PS Girls Indoor hockey: Fixture vs TWC (TWC) TBC HS Indoor hockey: Fixture vs The Wykeham Collegiate (The Wykeham Collegiate) WS PMCB banquet (MPC 1 and 2)
SATURDAY 07 November	07:00 – 16:00 08:00 – 11:00 08:00 – 11:00	HS Indoor hockey festivals: U18A, U18B (St Anne's College), U16A, U16B, U16C (The Wykeham Collegiate) U14A, U14B (St Anne's College) PS Grades RRR-R New Pupils' Day PS Tennis: Grade 2 beginner and parent tournament (Epworth)
SUNDAY 08 November		WS Boarder Chapel

WEEK 6/8	NOVEMBER	Week 2 Timetable
Date	**Time**	**Event**
MONDAY 09 November	14:00 – 16:00	HS exams: Grades 8–11 PS Grade 6 and 7 End-of-year programme (Epworth) PS Squash league: Epworth 1 vs Clifton NR 1 & Clifton NR 2 (Clifton), Epworth 2 & Epworth 3 vs Merchiston 2 (Collegians Squash Club), U11A – Bell Tournament (Epworth)
TUESDAY 10 November	17:00 – 18:00	HS NSC exam: Mathematics P2 HS exams: Grades 8–11 PS Grade 6 and 7 end-of-year programme (Epworth) PS Swimming league: Girls League Gala (TWC)
WEDNESDAY 11 November	9:00 – 11:00 14:30 15:00 – 17:00	HS NSC exam: History P2 HS exams: Grades 8–11 PS Grade R Nativity Grandparents' Morning (Haley Hall) PS Grade 6 and 7 end-of-year programme (Epworth) PS Cricket: Fixture vs Laddsworth (TBC) HS Water polo: Fixture (TBC)
THURSDAY 12 November	15:00 – 16:00 15:00 – 17:00 16:00 18:00 – 19:00	HS NSC exam: English P1 HS exams: Grades 8–11 PS Swimming league: Mixed League Gala (Cowan House) HS Netball: Fast5 league matches (TBC) WS Board Meeting (WJW) PS Grade R Nativity (Haley Hall)
FRIDAY 13 November	14:00 – 16:00 17:00 – 20:00	HS NSC exam: French P2 HS exams: Grade 8–11 PS SPCA and P.A.R.R. Civvies Day PS Girls indoor hockey: Fixture vs New Hanover (Epworth/New Hanover) PS Grades 5–7 social (Haley Hall and surrounds)
SATURDAY 14 November	8:00 – 11:00 08:30 – 11:30	PS Grade 1 Orientation and Grades 2–7 New Pupils' Day and school for current Grades 3–6 pupils PS Squash: Team players and parent fixture (Epworth)
SUNDAY 15 November	09:00 – 12:00	HS Canoeing: Ozzie Gladwin (Upper Umgeni) WS Boarder Chapel

WEEK 7/8	NOVEMBER	Week 1 Timetable
Date	**Time**	**Event**
MONDAY 16 November	 13:00 – 14:00 14:00 – 16:00 17:30 – 18:30	HS exams: Grades 8–11 HS NSC exam: Mathematical Literacy P2 HS NSC exam: Physical Sciences P2 PS Grade 2 swimming demo lesson PS Squash league: Epworth 1 vs St John's D.S.G 1 (St John's), Epworth 2 vs The Wykeham Collegiate 1 (Epworth), Epworth 3 vs St John's D.S.G. 2 (St John's) PS Grade 3 Night in the Library and Grade 3 parent talk on 'The transition to Grade 4'
TUESDAY 17 November	 13:00 – 14:00	HS NSC exam: Music P1 HS NSC exam: Music P2 HS exams: Grades 8–11 PS Cricket: Grades 1 and 2 mini cricket festival (Epworth)
WEDNESDAY 18 November	 13:00 – 14:00 14:30	HS NSC exam: Accounting P1 HS NSC exam: Accounting P2 HS exams: Grades 8–11 PS Grade 1 swimming demo lesson PS Cricket: Fixture vs Faithlynn College, junior team (TBC)
THURSDAY 19 November	 12:00 – 13:00 14:00 – 16:00 15:00 – 17:00 17:00 – 19:00	HS NSC exam: English P2 HS exams: Grades 8–11 PS Grade 7 drama improvathon competition (St Charles) PS Grade R swimming demo lesson PS Squash: Inter-house HS Netball: Fast5 league matches (TBC) PS Grade R evening party
FRIDAY 20 November	11:00 13:00 – 16:30 14:00 – 16:00	PS Grade 7 Leavers' Chapel and tea (Haley Hall) HS exams end: Grades 8–11 WS Pinkdrive swimathon HS Detention and catch-up: Mrs Zwane PS Co-Curricular ends (Grades R–7)
SATURDAY 21 November	08:30 – 13:30 18:00 – 21:00	WS Christmas Family Fun Day HS EOYP begins HS Saturday night detention: Ms Filmer
SUNDAY 22 November	18:30	HS Adventure Sport: Mauritius tour departs WS Boarder carols by candlelight

WEEK 8/8	NOVEMBER	Week 2 Timetable
Date	**Time**	**Event**
MONDAY 23 November	08:15 – 08:45 17:30	HS NSC exam: Geography P1 HS NSC exam: Geography P2 HS EOYP HS Adventure Sport: Mauritius tour WS Chapel PS Grade 7 dinner (WJW)
TUESDAY 24 November	10:30 17:30 18:00	HS EOYP HS Adventure Sport: Mauritius tour PS Grades RRR–R Educate and Fascinate Christmas show (Fantasy Room) PS Carols for Allison Homes PS Boarder Christmas dinner (Gilchrist) HS Christmas dinner (dining room)
WEDNESDAY 25 November	08:00 17:30	PS Grades RRR–R Anything BUT a School Bag Day PS Bentley Books book sale (PS Library) HS NSC exam: Visual Arts HS EOYP HS Adventure Sport: Mauritius tour WS Staff appreciation service and long-service awards (chapel) PS Carol Service
THURSDAY 26 November	11:00 15:00 17:00	HS Adventure Sport: Mauritius tour HS Inter-house performing arts performance (Chapel) PS Bentley Books book sale (PS Library) PS Grade 7 Final Assembly PS Grade 7 tunnel run through and bell ringing after assembly WS Epworth School Trust Meeting (WJW) HS Final Assembly HS Carol Service
FRIDAY 27 November	11:00	WS Term 4 ends HS NSC exam: CAT P2 HS Travel day PS Grades RRR–7 closes WS Diving: SA Schools Competition (Johannesburg) HS Adventure Sport: Mauritius tour
SATURDAY 28 November		WS Diving: SA Schools Competition (Johannesburg) HS Adventure Sport: Mauritius tour
SUNDAY 29 November		WS Diving: SA Schools Competition (Johannesburg) HS Adventure Sport: Mauritius tour

	NOVEMBER/ DECEMBER	
Date	**Time**	**Event**
MONDAY 30 November	TBC	WS Diving: SA Schools Competition (Johannesburg) HS Adventure Sport: Mauritius tour WS Staff end-of-year function
TUESDAY 01 December		HS Adventure Sport: Mauritius tour WS Staff closing date
WEDNESDAY 02 December		HS Adventure Sport: Mauritius tour
THURSDAY 03 December		HS Adventure Sport: Mauritius tour returns
FRIDAY 04 December		
SATURDAY 05 December		
SUNDAY 06 December		