

TAMIL NADU SCHOOL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Official Academic Calendar & School Holidays List 2026-2027

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MONTH-WISE SCHOOL HOLIDAY SCHEDULE 2026-2027

- June 2026 : School Reopening for Academic Year 2026-27 / Bakrid (17 June)
- July 2026 : Muharram (17 July 2026)
- August 2026 : Independence Day (15 Aug) & Krishna Jayanthi (26 Aug)
- September 2026 : Vinayagar Chaturthi (07 Sep) & Quarterly Vacation (27-30 Sep)
- October 2026 : Gandhi Jayanti (02 Oct), Ayudha Pooja (19 Oct) & Vijayadashami (20 Oct)
- November 2026 : Deepavali / Diwali Festival Vacation (08 & 09 November 2026)
- December 2026 : Half-Yearly Exam Vacation & Christmas (24 Dec 2026 to 04 Jan 2027)
- January 2027 : Pongal, Thiruvalluvar Day & Uzhavar Thirunal (14 to 17 Jan 2027)
- January 2027 : Republic Day (26 January 2027)
- March 2027 : Ramzan / Eid al-Fitr (21 March) & Good Friday (30 March 2027)
- April 2027 : Tamil New Year & Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Jayanti (14 April 2027)
- May 2027 : Annual Summer Vacation (01 May to 31 May 2027)

EXAMINATION MILESTONES & VACATION SUMMARY

- 1st Mid Term Tests : Mid-July 2026
- Quarterly Exams : 17 September to 26 September 2026
- 2nd Mid Term Tests : 11 November to 16 November 2026
- Half Yearly Exams : 10 December to 23 December 2026 (Winter Vacation: 24 Dec - 04 Jan)
- 12th HSE Public Exam : 03 March to 29 March 2027 (Practicals: 10-20 Feb 2027)
- 10th SSLC Public Exam: 17 March to 12 April 2027
- Working Days Target : Minimum 220 Instructional Days (Private classes on holidays banned)

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