2016 Term Dates

Thank you for your patience while the PSA worked to ensure an appropriate schedule of games for all member schools in 2016, given Wesley’s and two other schools three week mid-year break.

Important information to note:

1. In order to have three full days of instruction in Week 1 of Term 1, Wesley will commence Term 1 in 2016 on Monday 25 January, the day before the Australia Day public holiday. This allows for a ‘settling in’ day for students and for the many administrative duties to be finalised including the Prefect Induction Assembly, taking of student photographs, distribution of laptops and adjusting of timetables if needed. This will also allow boarders’ parents to stay in Perth, if they wish, and watch the annual Skyworks show with their sons.

2. There’ll be a three week mid-year holiday break again in July 2016. There is no point doing a review before we have actually experienced this change and the 2016 calendar needs to be set in place before this can be done. The review to be undertaken later this year will thus impact on 2017 and beyond.

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**TERM 1: 11 weeks**

**TERM TIME**
- Monday 25 January – Friday 8 April
- Boarders return on Sunday 24 January

**Australia Day Holiday**
- Tuesday 26 January

**Mid-term Break**
- Friday 4 March – Monday 7 March inclusive (Labour Day)

**Easter**
- Friday 25 March – Monday 28 March inclusive (during term time)

**TERM 2: 10 weeks**

**ANZAC Day Public Holiday**
- Monday 25 April

**Staff Day**
- Tuesday 26 April

**TERM TIME**
- Wednesday 27 April – Friday 1 July

**NAPLAN TESTING**
- tba

**Year 11/12 exams**
- tba

**Mid-term Break**
- Friday 3 June – Monday 6 June inclusive (WA Day)

**TERM 3: 9 weeks**

**Staff Day**
- Monday 25 July

**TERM TIME**
- Tuesday 26 July – Friday 23 September

**Mid-term Break**
- Friday 19 August – Monday 22 August (i.e. Monday is not a public holiday, though it is a school holiday)

**TERM 4: 8 weeks**

**Staff Day**
- Monday 10 October

**TERM TIME**
- Tuesday 11 October - Monday 5 December

**Valedictory Day**
- tba

**WACE**
- tba

**Year 11 Exams**
- tba

**END OF YEAR EVENTS**
- Year 8 Valedictory Ceremony: tba
- Junior School Celebratory Assembly: tba
- Speech Night: Monday 5 December

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