



## New Providence Classical School 2023 – 2024 School Year Calendar

**Mission Statement** – The mission of New Providence Classical School is to empower students with the necessary tools for them to honor God in their lives and choices, be critical thinkers, and become citizens who are positive agents of change.

| July      |   |
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| 1         | Fall (Term One) Tuition Due   |
| 10        | Independence Day  |
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| August    |   |
| 07        | Emancipation Day Holiday  |
| 18        | Teachers Meet & Greet   |
| 21-25     | Teachers Back to School – Classical Education Workshop  |
| 25        | Teacher/Student Meet & Greet (No Uniform)<br>8am-1pm – Come and spend 10 minutes with us!<br>Bring your child to meet their teacher and become familiar with school’s environment.                    |
| 28        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Fall Term Begins / School Year 2023-2024</li> <li>➤ Orientation Day - Meet &amp; Greet - 8am – 2pm (Full Uniform)</li> </ul>                                 |
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| September |   |
| 01-30     | Adult Literacy Month  |
| 03-09     | * Suicide Awareness Week  |
| 04        | College Bound   |
| 08        | International Literacy Day – Theme: ' <b>Literacy</b> in a digital world'   |
| 19        | National Art and Craft Enrichment Program   |
| 29        | Progress Report Card Distribution / Parent Teacher Conference   |
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| October   |   |
| 01-31     | Breast Cancer Awareness Month 2023- Every Friday uniform worn with pink shirt, socks, tie, ribbons, etc.  |
| 04-08     |   |
| 03        | National Art and Craft Afterschool Enrichment Programme begins (3rd)  |
| 05        | World Teachers Day<br>Early Dismissal 12noon - Teachers’ Luncheon   |
| 09        | National Hero’s Day Holiday (No School)   |
| 10        | Class Resumes / School Beautification Week  |
| 16        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Prefect Installation</li> <li>➤ Picture Day – Individual and Class Photos</li> <li>➤ NPCS School Spirit Week</li> <li>➤ World Food Day</li> </ul>            |
| 18-19     | *Debate Coaches Virtual Workshop  |
| 24        | United Nations Day  |
| 26        | Report Card Distribution / PTA Meeting / Parent Teacher Conference  |
| 27-30     | Fall Term Break (No School)   |
| 31        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Class Resumes</li> <li>➤ Reformation Day – Literature Day</li> </ul>   |
| TBA       | Ministry of Education -BASCD Conference   |
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| November  |   |
| 01-30     | ON-LINE Registration BEGINS for BJC and BGCSE 2024 Examination  |
| 01        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Winter Term (Term Two) Tuition Due</li> <li>➤ <b>Registration for GLAT, BJC/BGCSE</b></li> <li>➤ Grade 12 – Applications sent out to Universities</li> </ul> |
| 05        | Clock change back. Minus (-) 1 hour to daylight saving time   |
| 01-27     | Annual Can Food Drive   |
| TBA       | National Debate Competition   |
| 10        | End of Fall Term  |
| 10        | World Science Day - Science Fair  |

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| 13              | Remembrance Day  |
| 13              | Distribution of Fall Examination Review Sheet & Schedule   |
| 13              | Winter Term Begins   |
| 13-17           | Review Week for Fall Term Examination  |
| 20              | Universal Children's Day   |
| 20-24           | Fall Term Examinations – Non-Core Subjects Only  |
| 23              | Harvest Thanksgiving Chapel and Festival   |
| 30              | Progress Report Card Distribution / Parent Teacher Conference  |
| <b>December</b> |  |
| 01              | NPCS Red Day – World AIDS Day Recognized- Uniform worn with red shirt, socks, tie, ribbon, etc.  |
| 4-8             | Fall Term Examinations (Core Subjects Only: Math, English & Science)   |
| TBA             | Bahamas Junior Certificate (BJC) List of Candidates for Submission   |
| 08              | NPCS Annual Festival of Carols   |
| 15              | <b>Last Date for Receipt of GLAT, BJC and BGCSE 2024 Examinations Registration Forms</b>   |
| 15              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Christmas Party / Last Day of School (Students)</li> <li>➤ Fall Term Report Card Distribution / Parent Teacher Conference</li> </ul>          |
| 18 - 20         | Teachers' Workdays   |
| 20              | Last Day of School (Teachers)  |
| <b>January</b>  |  |
| 01              | New Year's Day – Holiday (No School)   |
| 02              | Teachers' Workday  |
| 03              | Class Resumes (Students & Teachers)  |
| 10              | Majority Rule Holiday (No School)  |
| 15              | <b>Last Date for Changes to be made to On-Line Registration at the school level for the BJC &amp; BGCSE Exams</b>  |
| 15 - 19         | NPCS Re-Enrollment for 2024-2025 School Year   |
| 22              | NPCS Open House - Registration / Enrollment Open to the Public   |
| 22-26           | School Esthetics Week  |
| 26              | Progress Report Card Distribution / Parent Teacher Conference  |
| 30              | Annual Class Spelling Bee (All Grades)   |
| 31              | <b>Last date for Unattached/Private Candidates to Register for the BJC and BGCSE Examinations</b>  |
| TBA             | Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure – Montague to PI  |
| TBA             | BAAA High School Relays  |
| TBA             | BAAA National Cross Country  |
| <b>February</b> |  |
| 05-09           | Classical Week THEME: THE GREAT CONVERSATION<br>Essay contest: What is the "THE GREAT CONVERSATION"<br>Literature Day, PJ's Day, Tea Party, Blast from the Past, Grill & Chill Fun Day |
| 09              | End of Winter Term   |
| 12              | Spring Term Begins   |
| 14              | St. Valentine's Day (Red and White Dress-Up Day)   |
| 21              | Progress Report Card Distribution / Parent Teacher Conference  |
| 22              | Sports Day   |
| 23              | <b>Last Date for Receipt of Examination Fees for 2024 BJC and BGCSE Examinations</b>   |
| 23 & 26         | Spring Term Break (No School)  |
| 27              | Class Resumes  |
| TBA             | USA Teachers Classical Training  |
| TBA             | Seniors Trip – Destination TBA   |
| TBA             | JA Discover College & Careers Fair   |
| <b>March</b>    |  |
| 01              | Spring Term (Term Three) Tuition Due   |
| 04-08           | Mock Examinations – GLAT, BJC/BGCSE Mock Examinations ALL SUBJECTS   |
| 09              | SAT Examination  |
| 10              | Clock change forward. Add (+) 1 hour to daylight saving time   |
| 11              | Commonwealth Day Celebrations  |
| 28              | Last Day for receipt of ALL BJC/BGCSE Coursework   |

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| 28                | Report Card Distribution / PTA Meeting / Parent Teacher Conference 5:30PM - 7PM   |
| TBA               | NPPSSA Track and Field Championship   |
| TBA               | National High School Track and Field Championships  |
| TBA               | GSSSA Track and Field Championship  |
| <b>April</b>      |   |
| TBA               | BGCSE Practical's Begin   |
| TBA               | Thesis Presentation (Junior & Senior)   |
| 05                | Distribution of Final Examination Review Sheet & Schedule – Core & Non – Core Subjects  |
| 01-08             | Easter Break (No School)  |
| 08                | <b>Beginning of BGCSE Art preparation period – ALL PAPERS (6250; 6251; 6252)</b>  |
| 08 April – 08 May | <b>BGCSE Practical Examinations</b>   |
| 09                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Classes Resumes (Students &amp; Teachers)</li> <li>➤ End of Year Examinations (Core Subjects Only: Math, English &amp; Science)</li> </ul>   |
| 10                | <b>Beginning of BJC Art &amp; Design preparation period – ALL Papers (0048; 0049)</b>   |
| 10 April – 28 May | <b>BJC Practical Examinations</b>   |
| 15                | End of Year Examinations – Non-Core Subjects  |
| 18                | <b>BGCSE Food &amp; Nutrition Planning</b>  |
| 19                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ <b>BJC Family &amp; Consumer Science Planning</b></li> <li>➤ <b>Deadline for Submission of Forecast Grades</b></li> <li>➤ <b>Late Date for Submission of Re-Use of Coursework Forms</b></li> <li>➤ <b>Late Date for Receipt of ALL BGCSE COURSEWORK</b></li> </ul> |
| 22                | <b>Last Date for Receipt of ALL BJC COURSEWORK</b>  |
| 22                | World Earth Day   |
| 30                | Progress Report Card Distribution / Parent Teacher Conference   |
| <b>May</b>        |   |
| 01                | <b>Coursework Moderation BEGINS</b>   |
| 9 May – 6 June    | <b>*BGCSE Theory Examinations</b>   |
| 06-10             | Teachers' Appreciation Week   |
| 13-17             | <b>National Grade Level Assessment Tests (GLAT) for Grades 3 and 6</b>  |
| 20                | Whit Monday   |
| TBA               | Graduation Ceremony / Commencement Exercises  |
| 29 May- 06 May    | <b>BGCSE Theory Examinations</b>  |
| 31                | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Year-End Extravaganza</li> <li>➤ Last Day of School (Students)</li> <li>➤ Report Card Distribution / Parent Teacher Conference</li> </ul>  |
| <b>June</b>       |   |
| 07                | Holiday -Randol Fawkes Day  |
| 14                | <b>Final Date for Submission of Requests for Special Consideration</b>  |
| TBA               | Olympics of the Mind Summer Camp Begins   |
| <b>July</b>       |   |
| 01                | Fall 2024 Term Tuition Due  |
| 10                | Independence Day  |
| TBA               | Olympics of the Mind Summer Camp Ends   |
| <b>August</b>     |   |
| 19                | 2024 - 2025 School Year Begins  |

- ❖ Monday to Friday - The days for school attendance each week during the term.
- ❖ 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. - Hours of attendance for students unless otherwise directed by NPCS Administration.
- ❖ 8:10 a.m. Late - Students will be considered late when they arrive after Morning Registration has ended.
- ❖ 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. - Working hours for teachers inclusive of the lunch hour and as may otherwise be required for the purpose of staff meetings, curriculum development meetings, teacher workdays, professional hours, etc.
- ❖ 7:15 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. - Working hours for school administrators inclusive of one hour for lunch break.

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