



SDSHS TERM 1 2026 DRAFT CALENDAR

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Jan 19-23: Admin Open 8am-3pm
Jan 26: **Australia Day**
Jan 27: **Day 1 2026 All Year 7-12 students**
Jan 30: **Interhouse Swimming Carnival (off-site)* Please see changes to event - participants only.**
Jan 30: **Red Food Day**
Feb 04: First Nations Welcome BBQ
Feb 09: **Leader's Investiture**
Feb 11: Bay Swimming Trials
Feb 12: QUT SciEng Challenge Day TBC
Feb 18: Dance/Music students Cats Theatre Excursion
Feb 18: P&C Meeting
Feb 19: ADP Launch TBC
Feb 19: Year 7 Welcome, Info and BBQ
Feb 23: SCHOOL PHOTO DAY
All students to attend in formal uniform
Feb 26: Senior Music Recital (Year 10-12)
Feb 27: QSPA Junior Leaders Day QUT
Mar 01: Clean Up Australia Day
Mar 02: School Catch-Up Photo Day
Mar 02-04: Music Camp
(Music students must attend main school photo day)
Mar 06: Super 7s Netball TBC
Mar 08: International Women's Day
Mar 11-23: NAPLAN Testing Window (Year 7/9)
Mar 24: MEP Kindy Recital
Mar 24: Mishima Kita High School Study Tour
Mar 24-26: SEQLD Futsal Schools Competition (Year 7-10)
Mar 25: MEP Aged Care Recital
Mar 25: Harmony Day
Mar 25: First Nations Healthy Eating Demonstration
Mar 25: P&C AGM and March General Meeting
Mar 27: Harmony Day lunch time activities
Mar 30: Super Celebration
Apr 01: Qld Ballet Workshop
Apr 02: Interim Reports released
Apr 03: Good Friday / School Holidays begin
Apr 20: 1st Day Term 2

Year 7 2027 Applications to enrol, and applications for Excelsior, ADP, DEP, MEP open April 1st via online forms on school website.

NOTES:

YEAR 07

Feb 02: Qld Rail Presentation
Feb 16: Wellbeing and Bullying Presentation
Mar 11-23: NAPLAN Testing Window
Apr 02: Year 7 Excelsior Summit

YEAR 08

Feb 02: Qld Rail Presentation
Feb 03: Cyber Safety Presentation
Feb 18: 8X Excelsior Civics Excursion

YEAR 09

Feb 02: Qld Rail Presentation
Mar 03: Year 9/10 Business Students Excursion TBC
Mar 11-23: NAPLAN Testing Window

YEAR 10

Feb 04: PPEP presentation
Feb 24: Civics Excursion
Feb 26: Senior Music recital
Mar 03: Year 9/10 Business Students Excursion TBC
Mar 31: Excelsior Science Excursion TBC

YEAR 11

Jan 28: Sexual Health Presentation
Feb 13: Ancient History Excursion
Feb 17: HPJ Excursion
Feb 18: UniSC Study Workshop
Feb 18: Hospitality High Tea
Feb 20: 11/12 Visual Arts GOMA
Feb 26: Senior Music recital
Feb 27: Legal Studies Excursion
Mar 12: Courage to Care Incursion
Mar 17-20: EXAM and STUDY Block
Mar 19: 11/12 Drama Excursion La Boite
Mar 24: Drama IA2 Concept Day

YEAR 12

Feb 04: UniSc Study Workshop
Feb 09: Leader's Investiture
Feb 12: Biology Excursion
Feb 17: HPJ Excursion
Feb 18: Hospitality Royal on the Park
Feb 20: 11/12 Visual Arts GOMA
Feb 24-27: EXAM and STUDY Block
Feb 26: Senior Music recital
Mar 19: 11/12 Drama Excursion La Boite
Mar 25-27: Mini EXAM and STUDY Block



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Apr 20: Day 1 Term 2
Apr 20: School Assembly for ANZAC Day
Apr 25: ANZAC Day
Apr 27: Public Holiday for ANZAC Day
Apr 28: Warra Group Activity
May 04: Public Holiday for Labour Day
May 05: Bay Cross Country Trials
May 06: Parent Teacher Interviews
May 06-08: Dance Camp
May 11: Principal Honour Roll TBC
May 12: Open Rehearsals SWE
May 13: Senior Male and Female AFLQ Schools Cup
May 14: Youth Jazz Festival
May 14: Open Rehearsal Strings
May 14: Middle School Problem Solving Challenge TBC
May 20: Stage Band Tour
May 20: P&C Meeting
May 21: OPEN DAY TBC
May 25: Careers Expo
May 25: Healthy Lifestyles Presentation in Connect classes
May 26: Sorry Day lunch time activity
May 27-Jun 06: Reconciliation Week
May 27: Fanfare Heats
May 27: State of Origin Game 1
May 27-28: Dance Infinity Competition TBC
Jun 03: Youth Male and Female AFLQ Schools Cup
Jun 04: Instrumental Music Mid-Year Concert
Jun 08: Men's Health Week (lunchtime activities)
Jun 08: Year 10 Senior Subject HoD Q&A
Jun 08: Senior Subject Selection Info Night
Jun 11: Sandgate SS Track & Field Day (@ SDSHS)
Jun 15: Super Celebration Assembly
Jun 15-19: Performance Week
Jun 17: P&C Meeting TBC
Jun 17: State of Origin Game 2
Jun 18: Art Exhibition/Music Recital
Jun 19: DanceX online
Jun 19: Super 7s Netball TBC
Jun 19: Year 8-12 2027 Applications OPEN for Excelsior, ADP, MEP, DEP.
Jun 19: Red Food Day
Jun 25: Track & Field Carnival - Half Day
Jun 25: Reports released
Jun 26: Track & Field Carnival - Full Day
Jun 26: Red Food Day
Jun 27: School Holidays
Jul 13: Day 1 Term 3

June 05: Year 7 2027 applications close for Excelsior, ADP, MEP and DEP.

Year 7 2027 Excelsior Testing - June 14
Year 7 2027 MEP Testing: June 16
Year 7 2027 DEP Testing: June 17
Year 7 2027 ADP Testing: June 18

YEAR 07

Jun 03: 7X Excelsior Science Excursion TBC
Jun 22-24: Year 7 Camp

YEAR 08

Jun 23: 8X Excelsior Humanities Excursion

YEAR 09

Apr 21: Sexual Health Presentation
May 20: 9X Excelsior Science Excursion TBC

YEAR 10

Apr 20: Year 10 Immunisations
Apr 22: Pathway Exploration Presentation
May 07: Geography Excursion
May 15: Art - South Bank
May 25: Careers Expo
May 28: Senior Drama Excursion La Boite
Jun 08: Senior Subject Q&A with HoDs and evening subject selection info sessions
Jun 23: Love Bites Program

YEAR 11

May 05: 11/12 Business Young Tourism Leader
May 28: Senior Drama Excursion La Boite

YEAR 12

Apr 21: Legal Studies Excursion
May 05: 11/12 Business Young Tourism Leader
May 28: Senior Drama Excursion La Boite



SDSHS TERM 3 2026 DRAFT CALENDAR

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Jul 13: Day 1 Term 3
Jul 15: P&C Meeting
Jul 16: Culture Night TBC
Jul 16-18: Creative Generation
Jul 20-31: Year 10 Set Plan Interviews
Jul 20: NAIDOC Assembly
Jul 21-23: NAIDOC activities at lunchtimes
Jul 23: IM Primary Tour
Jul 24: **Year 8-12 2027 Applications CLOSE for Excelsior, ADP, MEP, DEP.**
Jul 27-Aug 06: Niigata Shogyo International Tour
Jul 28: Bollywood Dance Workshop
Jul 29: Parent Teacher Interviews
Jul 29: First Nations Career Expo
Jul 30-31: Bay Track and Field Trials Nudgee College
Aug 05: Stage Band Primary Tour
Aug 08: Warra Group Activity
Aug 07: Shake n Stir Eng/Drama (unsure of year levels)
Aug 12: EKKA Day
Aug 13: DanceD In The Spotlight
Aug 13: Red Food Day
Aug 13: 100 Days left Year 12
Aug 17: Drama and English Incursion (unsure of year levels)
Aug 19: P&C Meeting
Aug 21: YLead Incursion for student leaders
Aug 24-Sep 03: Student Leadership Interviews Window
Aug 25: Open Rehearsal SWE
Aug 26: Wear It Purple day
Aug 27: Group Photo Day
Aug 27: Open Rehearsal Strings
Aug 31: Super Celebration
Aug 31-Sep 04: Women's Health Week
Sep 01: Band Blitz
Sep 04: Student Free Day (no school attendance for students)
Sep 04: Year 11 Semi Formal
Sep 04: Rehearsal - Dance Night
Sep 07: Non Uniform Day
Sep 08: Rehearsal - Dance Night
Sep 08: Warra Group Activity
Sep 11: Dance Night
Sep 14: Announcement of 2027 School Leaders
Sep 16: P&C Meeting
Sep 17: IM Primary Tour
Sep 18: Last Day Term 3
Sep 19: School Holidays
Oct 06: Day 1 Term 4

July 24: Year 8-12 2027 applications close for Excelsior, ADP, MEP and DEP.

Year 8-10 2027 Excelsior Testing - Aug 11
Year 8-10 2027 Excelsior Testing - Aug 18 (catch-up)
Year 8-12 2027 MEP Testing: Aug 18
Year 8-12 2027 DEP Testing: Aug 19
Year 8-10 2027 ADP Testing: Aug 20

YEAR 07

Jul 27: Immunisations

YEAR 08

Sep 16: 8X Excelsior Science Excursion TBC
Sep 17: Year 8/9 Excelsior Summit

YEAR 09

Sep 17: Year 8/9 Excelsior Summit

YEAR 10

Jul 15: Y10/11/12 Bangarra Excursion
Jul 20-31: Set Plan Interviews. Ensure your parent/carer has made a booking for you
Jul 28: Civics Excursion

YEAR 11

Jul 14: RACQ Docudrama
Jul 15: Y10/11/12 Bangarra Excursion
Jul 20: Geography Excursion TBC
Jul 24: Y11/12 Tourism - Australia Zoo
Jul 31: Business Excursion Dreamworld
Aug 17: Hospitality Excursion - The Sands
Sep 04: Semi Formal

YEAR 12

Jul 15: Y10/11/12 Bangarra Excursion
Jul 24: Y11/12 Tourism and General Business/Diploma of Business - Australia Zoo
Jul 24: Hospitality - Eat Street
Jul 28-31: Year 12 EXAM and STUDY Block'
Aug 03: QTAC Presentation
Aug 11: RACQ Driver Distraction Presentation
Aug 13: 100 Days left Year 12
Aug 17-28: Year 12 Pathways Interviews
Sep 07: Industry Training Presentation
Sep 14-18: Mock Exams and study week
Sep 17: First Aid



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Oct 05: Public Holiday - King's Birthday
Oct 06: Day 1 Term 4
Oct 08: Music Recital
Oct 09: ADP Challenge Day
Oct 12: Non Uniform Day
Oct 12: House Cup Finale
Oct 15: Art Immersion 1
Oct 15: ADP and Sports Awards Dinner
Oct 16: Formula High School Race Day
Oct 16: Art Immersion 2
Oct 19-23: Mental Health Week
Oct 21: Red Food Day
Oct 21: P&C Meeting
Oct 23: Music Showcase
Oct 30: World Teachers' Day
Oct 30: Day for Daniel
Nov 09: Remembrance Day Assembly
Nov 11: Remembrance Day
Nov 12: DEP Exams
Nov 13: Super 7s Netball
Nov 18: Awards Night
Nov 19: Valedictory
Nov 20: Year 12 Final Walkthrough / Last Day
Nov 20: Year 12 Formal
Nov 23: Super Celebration
Nov 22-27: Performance Week
Nov 25: P&C Meeting
Nov 27: Final Day Year 10/11
Dec 02: Peer Mentor Training Day
Dec 03: Expanding Horizons Day
Dec 03: Warra Group Jnr Christmas Party
Dec 08: Year 8 PRIDE Champions Day - Movie World
Dec 09: Year 9 PRIDE Champions Day - Wet n Wild
Dec 11: Last day of Term 4 (Year 7-9)
Dec 12: School Holidays begin

Jan 27: Day 1 Term 1 2027

NOTES:

YEAR 07

Oct 26: 7x Excelsior Humanities Excursion

YEAR 08

Oct 26: Geography Excursion
Oct 28: Geography Excursion
Oct 29: Geography Excursion
Nov 08: PRIDE Champions Day - Movie World

YEAR 09

Nov 09: PRIDE Champions Day Out -
Wet n Wild

YEAR 10

Oct 06: RACQ Driver IQ Learner
Oct 19: Immunisations
Oct 20: Geography Excursion
Nov 26: PRIDE Champions - Dreamworld
Nov 27: Final Day Year 10/11

YEAR 11

Oct 13-16: Year 11 Exam and Study Block
Oct 29: 11SCP Excursion
Nov 23-27: Year 11 EXAM and STUDY Block
Nov 26: Biology Excursion TBC
Nov 27: Final Day Year 10/11

YEAR 12

Oct 12-16: QTAC Cafe and employment support (student support hub)
Oct 21: Pool Party
Oct 22: Warra Group Farewell to Year 12
Oct 26-Nov 17: External Exams
Nov 19: Valedictory
Nov 20: Final Walkthrough / Last Day
Nov 20: Formal