

2026

VCAA calendar

Secondary schools, VCE and VPC providers

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January

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 New Year's Day	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26 Australia Day	27 SEA NAP LAN TERM 1 STARTS for gov't schools (student-free day)	28	29	30	31

February

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6 NAP LAN	7
8	9 NAP LAN	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23 ENR SEA	24 NAP LAN	25	26	27 NAP LAN	28

March

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 NAP LAN SoE	3	4 NAP LAN	5 NAP LAN	6 SEA SoE	7
8	9 Labour Day	10 NAP LAN	11	12	13 SoE	14
15	16	17 SoE	18	19	20 VASS	21
22	23 NAP LAN	24 SoE	25 SoE	26	27 SoE	28
29	30 SoE	31 SoE				

April

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2 TERM 1 ENDS	3 Good Friday	4
5	6 Easter Monday	7	8	9	10	11 SoE
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 TERM 2 STARTS	21	22	23 SoE	24	25 ANZAC Day
26	27	28	29	30		

Important administrative dates

See key dates on the VCAA website

Final date to request or lodge important documentation	Enrollment data due	Special Examination Arrangements	Fee-paying international student	School-based Assessment Audits Note: dates for VCAA audit programs for school-based assessment are currently under review and are not yet available. These will be communicated to schools once finalised and incorporated into the Important Administrative Dates on the VCAA website.
Information available on Victorian Assessment Software System (VASS)	NAPLAN administration date	2025 assessment materials destroyed	School and public holidays	

Assessment

General Achievement Test	Auslan	Extended Investigation Critical Thinking Test	Collaborative Curriculum & Assessment Framework for Languages
NAPLAN Years 7 & 9 (online)	VCE written examinations period	Performance examinations, Languages examinations; oral component and Extended Investigation oral presentations	

Final senior secondary results

VCE results available by app & online	VCE & VCE VM results posted	Post Results & ATAR Service (PRAS)
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Student events

VCE Season of Excellence event

May

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31					1 VASS CRITICAL DATE	2
3	4	5	6	7 SoE	8	9
10	11 VASS SEA SoE	12 SoE	13	14	15 FPIS	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

June

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4	5 SoE	6
7	8 King's Birthday	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 SoE	16 GAT	17	18	19 FPIS	20
21	22	23 SEA	24	25	26 SoE	27
28	29	30				

July

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13 TERM 3 STARTS	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 VASS SEA	21	22 VASS CRITICAL DATE	23	24 VASS CRITICAL DATE FPIS	25
26	27 VASS CRITICAL DATE	28	29 EICTT	30	31	

August

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
30	31 VASS CRITICAL DATE					1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14 VASS	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29

September

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7 VASS CRITICAL DATE SEA	8	9	10	11 VASS CRITICAL DATE	12
13	14	15	16	17	18 VASS CRITICAL DATE FPIS	19
20	21	22	23	24	25 Grand Final Friday Subject to AFL schedule	26
27	28	29	30			

October

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5 VASS SEA	6	7	8 VASS CRITICAL DATE	9 FPIS	10
11	12	13	14 VASS	15 AUS LAN CCAFL	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28 VASS CRITICAL DATE	29	30 FPIS	31

November

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 Melbourne Cup Day	4	5	6	7
8	9 VASS CRITICAL DATE	10	11	12	13	14
15	16 VASS CRITICAL DATE ENR	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25 SEA	26	27	28
29	30					

December

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10 VASS SoE	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18 TERM 4 ENDS	19
20	21	22	23	24	25 Christmas Day	26
27	28 Boxing Day	29	30	31		