



**CLIFTON**

# Particularly PREP

**First Term 2018**  
**Tuesday 16 January – Wednesday 28 March**  
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<b>JANUARY</b>		
Pre-season cricket: 8-9 January		
New Staff Induction and Staff Seminar: 10-12 January		
Grade R Orientation in the respective classrooms: 15 January 07h30-08h30		
Grade 1 Orientation in the respective classrooms: 15 January 07h30-09h00		
<b>WEEK 1</b>		
	<b>07h30</b>	<b>FIRST TERM COMMENCES</b>
		<b>Co-Curricular Timetable begins</b>
Tues 16	07h30	Welcome Assembly and Hair Inspection for Grades 2-7 in the Ken Mackenzie Hall
	08h30-09h15	Induction Ceremony: Grade 8 and College new students on Founders' Lawn (Grades 3-12 to attend)
Wed 17		
Thurs 18		
Fri 19	07h30-08h30	Parents Who Pray: All parents/staff welcome in the Aftercare classroom
	07h30-13h00	Grade 7 Leadership Day run by Spirit of Adventure at Clifton
	<b>18h00-21h00</b>	<b>New Parents' Welcome Function in the College Quad and on the Mitchell Square</b>
Sat 20		Cricket vs Umhlali: Teams tbc at various venues 19-20 January
	08h00-16h00	Cricket Virginia 6-a-side: Selected 1st XI students at Northwood High
Sun 21		
<b>WEEK 2</b>		
Mon 22	17h30-19h00	Grades 1-3: Parent Information Evening in the Ken Mackenzie Hall then respective classrooms
Tues 23	18h00-20h00	Grades 4-7: Parent Information Evening in the Ken Mackenzie Hall then respective classrooms
Wed 24	18h00-19h00	Grade R: Parent Information Evening in Grade R
Thurs 25	07h40-08h30	Parents@Clifton AGM Meeting (all parents and guardians are welcome) in the Barry Richards Pavilion
Fri 26	07h30-08h30	Parents Who Pray: All parents/staff welcome in the Aftercare classroom
	13h30-17h00	Cricket Durban Central U11 trials (round 1): Selected students at Glenwood Prep
Sat 27		Cricket vs DPHS: All teams at various venues 24-27 January
	08h30-10h00	Grades 1-3: Mums Welcome Tea on the Mitchell Square
Sun 28		
<b>WEEK 3</b>		
Mon 29	06h30-07h00	Foundation Phase Squad swimming (Selected Grades 2-3) begins in the Prep Pool
	13h00-17h30	Tennis: eThekweni Primary Schools District trials (selected students) at Westridge Park Tennis Stadium
Tues 30		
Wed 31	13h00 -17h30	Cricket vs St Stithians: 1st XI, 2nd XI, U11A-U10A at various venues
	14h00-16h30	Swimming: Fatima Friendly Gala: Senior Prep swimming team at Fatima
	17h30-19h00	Water Polo vs St Stithians: 1st-2nd Teams, U11 at the Clifton Aquatic Centre
<b>FEBRUARY</b>		
Thurs 1	08h00-09h30	Grade 7: Study Skills Elevate in the Sutcliffe Theatre
	17h30-19h30	Swimming: Senior Prep Championship Gala: Selected students at the Clifton Aquatics Centre
Fri 2	07h30-08h30	Parents Who Pray: All parents/staff welcome in the Aftercare classroom

Sat 3		Cricket vs Chelsea: All teams at various venues 2-3 February
Sun 4		
<b>WEEK 4</b>		
Mon 5	06h30-07h00	Foundation Phase Squad swimming (selected Grades 2-3) begins in the Prep Pool
	13h00-17h30	Tennis: eThekweni Primary Schools District trials (selected students) at Westridge Park Tennis Stadium
	16h00-17h00	# P.A.S.S Rugby starts: Open teams on the Whitehead Oval
Tues 6	08h00-13h30	Grade 6: Excursion to the Mangroves
	16h00-17h00	# P.A.S.S Rugby starts: U10 and U11 on the Whitehead Oval
	17h30 - 19h00	Swimming: Central A team squad at the Jubilee Pool at Gordon Road
Wed 7	06h30-07h15	Foundation Phase Squad swimming (selected Grade 1) begins in the Prep Pool
	<b>17h30-20h00</b>	<b>College Open Evening</b>
Thurs 8	14h30-16h00	Swimming: Durban Central B Gala at Maris Stella
Fri 9	07h30-08h30	Parents Who Pray: All parents/staff welcome in the Aftercare classroom
	14h30	Swimming: Reddam House Senior Primary Gala
	13h30-16h30	Cricket: Durban Central Zone trials: U12/U13 selected students at Clifton
Sat 10		Cricket vs Highbury: All teams at various venues 7-10 February
Sun 11		<b>Midmar Mile</b>
<b>WEEK 5</b>		
Mon 12		Cricket vs Parklands (Cape Town): U11A on the Whitehead Oval
	14h15-18h00	Tennis: Senior Prep ladder matches U13 and U12 students at Durban Country Club
	14h30-15h30	Highbury Water Polo Fixture: 1st-2nd Teams at the Clifton Aquatic Centre
Tues 13		Aarnout Brombacher to visit the staff 13-14 February
	14h00-17h00	Kid's Lit Quiz: Hosted by DGC (selected teams)
	14h30-16h30	Swimming: Senior Prep Private Schools Gala at the Clifton Aquatics Centre
Wed 14		<b>Civvies Day: Students to wear red for Valentine's Day (R10.00 to class teacher)</b>
Thurs 15		Cricket SA Prep Schools at WPPS (Cape Town): 1st XI team in Cape Town 15-18 February
	14h15-18h00	Tennis: Senior Prep Ladder matches U10 and U11 students at Durban Country Club
Fri 16	08h00-13h30	Blood Bank in the Barry Richards Pavilion
	13h30 - 17h00	Cricket: Durban Central U11 trials (final) selected students at Glenwood Prep
	13h30-16h30	Tennis: Senior Prep Interhouse matches, selected students (venue tbc)
Sat 17		Cricket vs Glenwood: All teams at various venues 14-17 February
	07h30-09h00	Dads and Lads: Grades R-2 Cricket on the Whitehead Oval
Sun 18	07h30-09h00	Grade R: Mums Welcome Tea in Grade R
<b>WEEK 6</b>		
Mon 19		Possible Pre-season Rugby subject to Durban n District Gala confirmation
Tues 20	06h00-07h00	Swimming: Early morning training at Kings Park Pool (selected students) tbc
	17h00-19h30	Water Polo vs DPHS: All teams at the Clifton Aquatic Centre
Wed 21		Cricket: U9A Festival at Durban North College and Riverside (tbc)
	06h00-07h00	Swimming: Early morning training at Kings Park Pool (selected students) tbc
	08h30 - 10h30	Foundation Phase Interhouse Gala: Grade 1-3 in the Prep Pool followed by Windows on Work
	15h30 - 17h30	Clifton / DGC Strategy meeting at DGC
Thurs 22	18h00-19h00	Grade 4: Poetry Evening in the Sutcliffe Theatre
	06h00-07h00	Swimming: Early morning training at Kings Park Pool (selected students) tbc
	08h00 -11h15	Grade 2: DGC Interactive Day at DGC
	08h00-13h00	Grade 3: Excursion to Birds of Prey Outing
	<b>12h30</b>	<b>Clifton closes for Half-Term: No co-curricular practices this afternoon</b>
Fri 23		<b>Half-Term</b>
Sat 24		<b>Half-Term</b>
Sun 25		<b>Half-Term</b>
<b>WEEK 7</b>		
Mon 26		<b>Half-Term</b>
Tues 27		Cricket vs Waterkloof House Prep: 3rd XI at Riverside
	06h00-07h00	Swimming: Early morning training at Kings Park Pool (selected students) tbc
Wed 28	06h00-07h00	Swimming: Early morning training at Kings Park Pool (selected students) tbc
	10h30-11h30	Production 2000: Grades 3-7 in the Sutcliffe Theatre
<b>MARCH</b>		
Thurs 1	<b>12h30</b>	<b>Early closing for Grades R to 7: Grade 8 2019 Scholarship Examinations</b>
	13h30 - 17h00	Cricket Durban Central U11 Trials (2nd round): Selected students at Glenwood Prep

	14h00	<b>Grade 8 2019 Academic Scholarship Exams in the Ken Mackenzie Language Centre</b>
Fri 2		The Ridge Cricket Tour: 2nd XI-5th XI at various venues in Johannesburg 2-3 March
		The Ridge Cricket Tour: U11B-C, U10B-C at various venues in Durban 2-4 March
	07h30-08h30	Parents Who Pray: All parents/staff welcome in the Aftercare classroom
Sat 3		Cricket: KZN U11 trials at various Durban North Schools 2-4 March
	<b>08h00-11h00</b>	<b>Clifton Preparatory School Open Morning: Compulsory attendance for selected Grades 1-3 classes and all Grades 4-7</b>
Sun 4		
<b>WEEK 8</b>		
Mon 5	tbc	Swimming: Durban and District 'C' League Gala at Kings Park Pool
	08h00-14h00	Grade 6: Study Skills Elevate
Tues 6	08h00-14h00	Egyptian Day: Grade 5 Sutcliffe Theatre
	08h00-14h00	Grade 7: Excursion to uShaka Education Centre
		Swimming: Durban and Districts 'A' League Gala hosted by Clifton at Kings Park Pool tbc
Wed 7		Water Polo: Grey PE Tournament (Port Elizabeth) at Grey High 7-11 March
Thurs 8	17h30-19h30	Grade R: THRASS/PJ Party in Grade R
Fri 9	07h30-08h30	Parents Who Pray: All parents/staff welcome in the Aftercare classroom
Sat 10		Cricket vs Merchiston: All teams at various venues 9-10 March
	07h30-08h30	Dads and Lads: Grades R-2 Cricket on the Whitehead Oval
Sun 11		
<b>WEEK 9</b>		
Mon 12		Winter Co-Curricular begins
		Rugby: U11 and U10 practice begins on the Durban North and Whitehead Ovals
	13h00-17h00	Grades R-3: Foundation Phase Parent Consultations in respective classrooms 12-14 March
Tues 13	14h30-16h30	Rugby: Final open trials. All Open players on the Whitehead Oval
Wed 14	08h00-13h00	Grade 4: Excursion to Tala Game Reserve
Thurs 15	07h40-08h30	Parents@Clifton Meeting (all parents and guardians are welcome) in the Barry Richards Pavilion
Fri 16	07h30-08h30	Parents Who Pray: All parents/staff welcome in the Aftercare classroom
	09h00-10h30	Swimming: Foundation Phase Gala. Grades 1-3 at DGC
Sat 17	08h00-12h00	Internal Rugby trials on the Whitehead Oval 17-18 March
	08h00-10h00	Grade R 2019 Assessments in Grade R
Sun 18		
<b>WEEK 10</b>		
Mon 19	17h30-19h00	Grade 8 2019 Scholarship interview evening in the staffroom and various interview venues 19-20 March
Tues 20	14h00 - 17h30	Rugby vs Glenwood (Chukkas): All teams at Clifton and Glenwood
Wed 21		<b>Public Holiday: Human Rights Day</b>
Thurs 22	08h00-10h30	Grade R: Excursion to Botanic Gardens
	09h30-10h00	Foundation Phase Grades 1-3: Easter Assembly in the Sutcliffe Theatre
		<b>Book Week: 23 March and 26-27 March</b>
Fri 23	07h30-08h30	Parents Who Pray: All parents/staff welcome in the Aftercare classroom
	08h30-11h30	Grade 1: Excursion to uShaka Marine Wet n Wild
Sat 24	08h00-15h00	Rugby Umhlali 7-a-side Festival: Selected U13 teams at Umhlali Primary School
	14h00-17h30	Rugby vs Glenwood (Chukkas): All teams at Clifton and Glenwood
Sun 25		
<b>WEEK 11</b>		
Mon 26		
Tues 27		Rugby Clifton U11 Festival: U11A selected students on the Whitehead Oval 27-29 March tbc
	07h30-08h30	Book Week Reading Breakfast on the Whitehead Oval
Wed 28		St John's Rugby: 1st XV squad (Selected students) in Johannesburg 28 March-2 April
	<b>08h00</b>	<b>Festival of the Resurrection Service: Grades 4-12 in the Ken Mackenzie Hall</b>
	<b>10h30</b>	<b>FOUNDATION PHASE CLOSSES FOR THE HOLIDAYS</b>
	<b>10h45</b>	<b>SENIOR PREP CLOSSES FOR THE HOLIDAYS</b>
	<b>11h00</b>	<b>CLIFTON COLLEGE CLOSSES FOR THE HOLIDAYS</b>
<b>EVENTS DURING THE HOLIDAYS</b>		
Holiday Rugby/Conditioning 11-13 April		
Rugby: Chelsea U11 Festival (selected students) 13 April		





