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RE: 2024 ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR PRE-PRIMARY, PRIMARY, SECONDARY SCHOOLS AND TEACHERS TRAINING COLLEGES.

Below is the 2024 academic calendar for schools and teachers training colleges.

A. PRE-PRIMARY, PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS 2024 SCHOOL CALENDAR

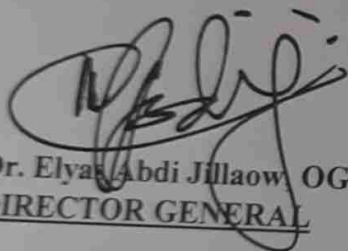
TERM DATES: 2024			
	OPENING	CLOSING	DURATION
Term I	8 <sup>th</sup> January 2024	5 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	13 Weeks
Half term	29 <sup>th</sup> February 2024	3 <sup>rd</sup> March 2024	3 Days
April Holiday	8 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	26 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	3 Weeks
Term II	29 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	2 <sup>nd</sup> August 2024	14 Weeks
Half term	20 <sup>th</sup> June 2024	23 <sup>rd</sup> June 2024	3 Days
August Holiday	5 <sup>th</sup> August 2024	23 <sup>rd</sup> August 2024	3 Weeks
Term 3	26 <sup>th</sup> August 2024	25 <sup>th</sup> Oct. 2024	9 Weeks
KPSEA and KILEA Assessment	28 <sup>th</sup> Oct. 2024	31 <sup>st</sup> Oct. 2024	4 Days
KCSE Exams	4 <sup>th</sup> November 2024	22 <sup>nd</sup> November 2024	3 Weeks
December Holiday	28 <sup>th</sup> Oct. 2024	3 <sup>rd</sup> January 2025	10 Weeks

## B. TEACHERS TRAINING COLLEGES CALENDAR 2024

- I. Diploma in Teacher Education (Secondary)
- II. Diploma in Primary Teacher Education
- III. Diploma in Early Childhood Teacher Education

	OPENING	CLOSING	DURATION
Term I	8 <sup>th</sup> January 2024	5 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	13 Weeks
April Holiday	8 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	26 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	3 Weeks
Term II	29 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	2 <sup>nd</sup> August 2024	14 Weeks
August Holiday	5 <sup>th</sup> August 2024	30 <sup>th</sup> August 2024	4 Weeks
Term 3	26 <sup>th</sup> August 2024	8 <sup>th</sup> November 2024	11 Weeks
December Holiday	11 <sup>th</sup> November 2024	3 <sup>rd</sup> January 2025	8 Weeks

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