

**LIGUANEA PREPARATORY SCHOOL**  
**CALENDAR FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2023 - 2024**

**SEPTEMBER 2023**

**CHRISTMAS TERM 2023**

September 1	Classroom Preparation (All Teachers)
September 4	Orientation of Special Unit
September 5	Orientation of new and returning students
September 6	School resumes for all students
September 11 - 22	Grade One Individual Learning Profile (GOILP) - M.O.E
September 29	Staff Meeting

**OCTOBER 2023**

**HERITAGE MONTH**

October 4	International Teachers' Day
October 6	Home-School Association (PTA) Re-launch Social - 5:00 p.m.
October 9 - 16	National Heritage Week
October 12	Heritage Fest 2023/World Water Day
October 13	Mid-Term Break - No School
October 16	National Heroes' Day - No School
October 17	Mid-Term Break - No School
October 18	Classes Resume for all students
October 24	Health and Family Life Education Day (CARICOM)

**NOVEMBER 2023**

**PARENTS' MONTH**

November 3	Staff Meeting
November 22	Parents' Recognition Ceremony - 9:00 a.m.

**DECEMBER 2023**

<b>December 1</b>	<b>Take-Out Lunch</b>
December 4 - 8	End of Term Exams.
December 14	Christmas Concert
December 15	End of Christmas Term/Class Party/Human Rights Day
December 18 - 21	PEP Classes - Gr. 6 - 9:00 a.m.- 1:00 p.m.
December 18 - January 5	School Fee Payment

**JANUARY 2024**

**EASTER TERM 2024**

January 8	Registration/Staff Meeting
January 9	Classes resume for all students
January 19	Christmas Term Reports
January 26	Parent/Teacher Consultation Day - No school for students (Take student's Christmas Term 2023 report for discussion)

**FEBRUARY 2024**

**BLACK HISTORY/REGGAE MONTH**

February 12	Mid-Term Break - No School
February 13	Mid-Term Break - No School
February 14	Ash Wednesday - No School
February 15	Classes resume for all students
<b>February 22</b>	<b>Primary Exit Profile (PEP) Ability Test - Grade 6</b>
February 23	Jamaica Day
February 24	Lap-A-Thon (In aid of the Sports Dept.)

**MARCH 2024**

March 5	Peace Day
March 3 - 9	National Mathematics Week
March 13 - April 14	Early Childhood Age 4 Assessment
March 20 & 21	Primary Exit Profile (PEP) Performance Tasks (Gr. 6)
March 18 - 22	End of Term Exams.
March 26	Sports Day
March 27	End of Easter Term
April 2 - 5	School Fee Payment

**APRIL 2024****SUMMER TERM 2024**

April 8	Staff Meeting/Registration Day
April 9	School Resumes
April 19	Easter Term Reports
April 24 & 25	Primary Exit Profile (PEP) CBT (Gr. 6)

**MAY 2024****CHILD'S MONTH**

May 5 - 11	Education Week
May 7	Read Across Jamaica Day
May 8	Teachers' Day - <b>School closes at 12 Noon</b>
May 10	Girls' Day/Boys' Day
May 17	Career Day
May 22	Mid-Term Break - No School
May 23	Labour Day - No School
May 24	Mid-Term Break - No School
May 27	Classes Resume for all students
May 29 & 30	Grade 3 Diagnostic Tests
May 31	Child's Day

**JUNE 2024**

May 30 - June 1	J.I.S.A. Inter Prep. Schools Track & Field Championship
June 5 & 6	Grade 5 Performance Tasks
June 19 & 20	Grade 4 Performance Tasks
June 19 - 23	End of Year Exams.
June 12 - 24	Jamaica Student Readiness - (Age 4 Assessment)
June 26	Prize-giving - Special Unit, Kinder. Dept., Grs. 1- 6 - 9:00 a.m.
June 27	<b>Graduation</b> - Transitional & Gr. 6 - 9:00 a.m. <b>Prize-giving</b> - Kinder. Dept. , Grs. 1 - 6 (Class Prizes - 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> & Most Improved)
June 28	End of Summer Term
July 12	Summer Term Report Day

**JULY 2024**

July 1 - 18	Summer School (Mondays - Thursdays)
July 15 - August 30	School Fee Payment

**CHRISTMAS TERM 2024**

September 2	Staff Meeting
September 3	Orientation of new students
September 4	Classes resume for all students