Bridgeport High School

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47[™] ANNIVERSARY CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES 2025 - 2026

(Subject to Change) August 14, 2025 (Revised)

FOR PARENTS & STUDENTS

School resume for the new Academic Year September 1, 2025 – WHOLE DAY GRADES 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 – WHOLE DAY. School starts at 7:30 a.m. 6th FORM – WHOLE DAY – School starts at 7:30 a.m. Exit no earlier than 1 p.m.

Term 1 (Christmas Term): 2025 – 2026

August 18, 2025 (Mon) - NOMINATION DAY – Main Office Closed

August 19 – 26, 2025 - Returning Students Purchase of Uniforms and Return Paid

Enhancement and PTA Vouchers to Main Office. Students receive

their REGISTRATION CARDS.

9 a.m. to 3 p.m. EACH DAY.

August 19, 2025 and any other day following - <u>Grade 8</u> August 20 & 21, 2025 <u>Grade 9</u> (plus Collect Rental Books) August 22 & 25, 2025 <u>Grade 10</u> (plus Collect Rental Books. Re-

ugust 22 & 25, 2025 <u>Grade 10</u> (plus Collect Rental Books. Reregistration and Passport size photograph)

August 26, 2025 Grade 11 (submit paid Vouchers and collect

Registration Cards)

August 22, 2025 (Fri)

- Deadline Date of **Return of 6th Form completed Application** Form and supporting documents to Main Office.

August 28 -29, 2025 - Grade 7 Students' Orientation – Face to Face

Thursday Aug 28, 2025 (7:30 a.m. to 2:25 p.m.); Friday Aug 29, 2025 (7:30 a.m. to 12 noon)

GRADE: Expectations, Time Table; Grade Curriculum; Online Resources; Sensitization Video; Tour of School (Lead – VPs/GS)

CLASS ORIENTATIONS- Class RULES; Getting to know your Form Teachers and classmates; Class expectations; Awarded Merits and Expected behaviours; Disciplinary measures; Registering and attending classes (Lead – Form Teachers)

August 29, 2025 (Fri) - **Grade 8 Students' Orientation** – F2F. 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

September 1, 2025 (Mon) - Grades 9 and 10 Students' Orientation – F2F. 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

September 1 & 5, 2025 - 6th Form (Grades 12S, 12T, 13S & 13T) REGISTRATION at Main

Office (Ms. K. Lewis) with Proof of Payment of Enhancement and PTA Fees, and completed documents. Students will receive their

REGISTRATION CARDS. Then purchase of uniforms on said date of

Registration. 9 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. EACH DAY.

September 2, 2025 (Tues) - Main Office Closed

September 3, 2025 (Wed) - ELECTION DAY - Main Office Closed

September 4, 2025 (Thur) - Main Office Closed

September 4, 2025 (Thur) - Grades 7 to 13 Parents' and Students' Meeting with Principal, VPs

& Staff @ 5_p.m. Online ZOOM + YouTube

<u>Focus</u>: Diagnostic Tests. Schooling for Semester 1. Academic Focus and Interventions. The SMS and MySchoolJamaica app for Reporting; School notices – Grade WhatsApp

groups. Accelerated Programme – students' scores 65% up to be eligible

September 5, 2025 (Fri) - Grade 11 Students' Orientation – F2F. 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

September 8, 2025 (Mon) - 6th Form Students' and Parents' Orientation – F2F. 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

September 8, 2025 (Mon) - Regular Time Table Classes begin for Grades 7 to 11 and Accelerated students.

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September 9, 2025 (Tues) - Regular Time Table Classes begin for 6th Form Students.
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September 18, 2025 (Thur) - PTA General Meeting - Virtual. + Election for Grade 7 Rep

ZOOM Meeting ID: 637 107 0997. Passcode: 066084. September 26, 2025 (Fri) - Prize Giving & Anniversary Service (47th) @ 8:00 a.m. <u>1978 – 2025</u>

September 26, 2025 (Fri) - OFFICIAL OPENING OF NEW BUILDING (Proposed)

Sept 22 – 26, 2025 - Monthly Examinations

October 5, 2025 (Mon) - CXC, NCTVET and City & Guilds Examinations Registration begins

October 5, 2024 (Sat) - World Teachers' Day/ International Teachers' Day

October 13 – 15, 2025 - Heritage Week Celebrations – Humanities Dept

October 13, 2025 (Mon)
October 14, 2025 (Tues)
October 15, 2025 (Wed)
- Launch of Heritage Week
- Heritage Sites Field Trips
- Cultural Day at School

October 14, 2025 (Tues) - English A - SBA Orals (Preliminary)

October 16, 2025 (Thur) - Teachers' Professional Development Day: 8 a.m. -12 (Departments)

October 16, 2025 (Thur) - Students' Leadership Workshop @ 1 – 4 p.m.

October 17, 2025 (Fri) - Mid Term Break

October 20, 2025 (Mon)
October 21, 2025 (Tues)
- National Heroes Day (**Public Holiday**)
- School Resumes after Mid Term Break

October 26 – Nov 1, 2025 - Past Students' Association Week & Activities at School

October 26, 2025 (Sun)
October 28, 2025 (Tues)
October 31, 2025 (Fri)
- Past Students Church Service
- Past Students Association AGM
- TRUST FUND "Day of Giving"

October 27 – 31, 2025 - Monthly Examinations

November is Parents' Month and Youth Month.

November 2, 2025 (Sun) - Parents' Month Church Service November 3, 2025 (Mon) - Launch of Parents' Month

November 20, 2025 (Thur) - Grades 11 - 13 CAREER QUEST (Guidance Department)

Grades 7 to 10 will have Regular Classes

November 20, 2025 (Thur) - PTA General Meeting & Awards Ceremony @ 5:30 p.m. F2F

November 17 - 21, 2025 - Monthly Examinations

December 1, 2025 (Mon) - World AIDS Day

December 3, 2025 (Wed) - ENGLISH LANGUAGE SBA Submission Deadline

December 8 – 12, 2025 - Monthly Examinations

December 10, 2024 (Tues) - Past Students General Meeting @ 5:30 p.m. - ENGLISH LANGUAGE ORALS (Finals)

December 10, 2025 (Wed) - **EISTEDDFOD COMPETITIONS 2025** – (Performing Arts Dept)

December 12, 2025 (Fri) - Annual Bar-Be-Que – Fund Raising Committee

December 13, 2025 (Sat) - PTA Executive/ Co-op Retreat

December 15 – 19, 2025 - Academic Interventions Dec 17, 2025 - Jan 4, 2026 - Christmas Holidays

January is Earthquake Awareness Month

January 1, 2026 (Thur) - New Year's Day (**Public Holiday**)

January 5, 2026 (Mon) - Resumption of Classes / Resumption of School

January 6, 2026 (Tues) - Past Students General Meeting
January 7, 2026 (Wed) - PTA Executive Meeting @ 5:30 p.m.

January 8, 2026 (Thur) - PTA General Meeting @ 5:30 p.m. Online ZOOM

January 19 – 30, 2026 – Semester 1 Examinations Grades 7 – 13 (Students MUST have IDs)

January 26 – 30, 2026 - Grade 11 and 6th Form Voluntary Service Report Submission

Deadline (Reduced hours – 30 hours). *Involvement in Clubs and Societies - 5 credit hours per club involvement and attendance.*

January 30, 2026 (Fri) - ALL SBA Submission Deadline (Grades 11, 12, 13 & Accelerated)