ASCOT HIGH SCHOOL



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS (August 2024– December 2024)

Date	Event		
	AUGUST		
August 27	New Teachers' Meeting @8am		
August 28	Senior Staff Meeting @ 8am		
August 29	General Staff Meeting (All Staff) @ 8:00 a.m. Form Teachers' Meeting @11:30 am		
August 30	Academic Staff Meeting @ 8:00 a.m.		
August 30	Heads of Department Meeting @8am Department Meeting (planning) @ 11:30 a.m.		
SEPTEMBER			
September 2	Grades 7 Orientation @ 7:30 a.m.		
September 3	Grade 10 Orientation @ 7:30 a.m.		
September 4	Grade 11 Orientation @ 7:30 a.m.		
September 5	Grade 8 Orientation @ 7:30 a.m.		
September 6	Grade 9 Orientation @ 7:30 a.m.		
September 9	School Begins (Grade 7-11 Students) @ 7:30 a.m.		
September 10	Orientation for 6 th Form students @ 7:30 a.m.		
October 16	Classes begin for all 6 th form students		
September 17	Department meeting		
September 19	Senior Staff Meeting		
September 26	City & Guilds Diagnostic Test		
September 24	Academic Staff Training- Content Area Reading		
September 30	Mentorship / onboarding		
	OCTOBER		
October 1	Grade Supervisor & Form Teacher Meeting		
October 1	Registration Begins for CSEC & CAPE Exams		
October 3	Grade 11 Parents' Meeting		
October 4	Parent Meeting (Students who are repeating)		
October 8	Male Staff Meeting		

October 8	Academic Probation Meeting (online@6pm)
October 10	Census and Attendance Verification- (All Registers Required)
October 10	World Mental Health Day
October 11	Choices "Ready for High School Success" Grades 7&8
October 14	Differentiated instruction workshop for new teacher
October 15	Global Handwashing Day
October 15	Staff Meeting
October 16	Heritage Week celebration
October 16	Payment for CSEC & CAPE exams
October	Breast Cancer Awareness Month
October 17	Professional Development Day
October 17-21	Mid Term Break (for students)
October 22	School Resumes
October 22	Staff Meeting
October 23	APSE Parents Sensitization 7 ¹ 8:00am, 7 ² 10:00am, 7 ³ 12:00pm
October 24	APSE Parents Sensitization 8 ¹⁻³ 8:00am-9:00am, 9 ¹⁻³ 10:00am
October 25	Cadet Hike to Blue Mountain
October 28	New Teacher Mentorship Session #2
October 28	Grade 9 Subject selection/ Skills Right Career Workshop
October 28- Nov 1	Sessional Test 1- (Done during regular class time)
October 29	Department Meeting
October 30	Parent Staff Association Meeting

NOVEMBER		
November 1	Senior Teacher Workshop	
November 8	Bar- B- Que	
November 4-10	World Interact Week	
November 12	Senior Teacher Meeting	
November 11-15	Sessional 2 Practical Exams- ongoing	
November 14	World Diabetes Day	
November 14	GRADUATION	
November 20	Karate Tournament @3:00pm	
November 22	Deadline for End of Year Exam Scripts	

November 22	After Party (Fundraising)	
November 25	Mentorship Training	
November 26	White Tuesday Concert (Performing Arts dept.)	
November 26	Staff Meeting	
November 27	Parent Pre- Consultation Day Gr. 7, 10, 12T	
November 28	Parent Pre- Consultation Day Gr. 8, 9, 11, 12A, 13A	
November 29	Parents Day	
DECEMBER		
December 1	World AIDS Day	
December 3	Study Skills Session (Online @6pm)	
December 2	Kingston Tour Field Trip	
December 3	General Staff Meeting @1pm	
December 3	International Day of Persons with Disabilities.	
December 3-19	End of Term Exams	
December 12	Staff Dinner and Awards	
December 17	Carol Service- Extended Devotion	
December 18	Grade 10 Christmas Dinner "White and Bright"	
December 19	End of Term [last day of school]	
December 19	Staff Retreat	
JANUARY		
January 6	Staff Meeting	
January 7	School Resumes for all students	