



2021

ACT Board of Senior Secondary Studies  
Calendar & General Schedule







# Term 1 2021

# January

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

School Holidays					1
School Holidays	4	5	6	7	8
School Holidays	11	12	13	14	15
School Holidays	18	19	20	21	22
School Holidays	25	26	27	28	29
School Holidays		<b>Australia Day Public Holiday</b>			<b>Term 1 commences (Staff only)</b>



# Term 1 2021

# February

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

	1	2	3	4	5
Week 1	<b>Term 1 commences</b>				
	8	9	10	11	12
Week 2			<b>Curriculum Coordinators' Meeting</b> 2:00 – 4:00pm CAL	New Moderation Coordinators <b>Introduction to Moderation</b> <b>TBA</b>	
	15	16	17	18	19
Week 3		<b>ACC Meeting</b> 8:30 – 10:30am CAL		<b>CAC Meeting</b> 8:30 – 10:30am CAL <b>Moderation Leaders' Information Session</b> TEAMS Meeting 3:45 – 4:30pm	
	22	23	24	25	26
Week 4				<b>Certification Meeting</b> Melba Copland Secondary School 2:00 – 4:00pm	Uncollected Certificates & Distribution lists due at OBSSS Callam Offices



# Term 1 2021

# March

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

	1	2	3	4	5
Week 5	<b>Designing Assessment to Assess Thinking (AST) TQI</b> 9:00 – 3:30pm HBC	<b>Moderation Day 1</b>	<b>AST Coordinators' Meeting</b> 4:00 – 5:30pm CAL		
Week 6	<b>Canberra Day</b>	<b>Board Principals' Meeting</b> 1:30 – 3:30pm HBC <b>Moderation Coordinators' TEAMS Meeting</b> 3:45 – 4:30pm			
Week 7				<b>Board Meeting</b> 8:30 – 10:30am CAL	
Week 8				Notification of Scaling Groups including Small Groups to OBSSS. Final Day for LD students (AST) to be identified in ACS by COB <b>Board Forum 1</b> Marist College 4:15 – 5:30pm	
Week 9					



# Cont. Term 1 2021 – Term 2 2021

April

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 9 (cont.)				1  <b>Term 1 ends</b>	2  <b>Good Friday Public Holiday</b>
School Holidays	5  <b>Easter Monday Public Holiday</b>	6	7	8	9
School Holidays	12	13	14	15	16
Week 1	19  <b>Term 2 commences</b>	20	21	22	23
Week 2	26  <b>Anzac Day Public Holiday</b>	27	28  <b>Curriculum Coordinators' Meeting</b> 2:00 – 4:00pm CAL	29	30  <b>Dance Practical Moderation</b> 9:00am – 4:00pm <b>TBC</b>



# Term 2 2021

# May

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Week 3	3	4 <b>ACC Meeting</b> 8:30 – 10:30am CAL	5 <b>Student Forum</b> <b>Welcome Event HBC</b>	6 <b>CAC Meeting</b> 8:30 – 10:30 CAL <b>Engaging ACS for Excellence</b> <b>Workshop 1:00 – 4:00pm HBC</b>	7
Week 4	10	11	12	13 <b>Certification Meeting</b> Canberra Girls' Grammar School 2:00 – 4:00pm	14
Week 5	17	18	19	20 <b>Student Forum 1</b> 3:30 – 5:00pm HBC	21
Week 6	24	25 <b>Board Principals' Meeting</b> 1:30 – 3:30pm HBC	26	27	28
Week 7	31 <b>Reconciliation Day</b> <b>Public Holiday</b>				



# Term 2 2021

June

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 7 (cont)		1	2 <b>AST Coordinators &amp; Supervisors' Seminar</b> 2:30 – 4:00pm HBC	3 <b>Board Meeting</b> 8:30 – 10:30am CAL	4
Week 8	7	8	9	10 <b>Board Forum 2</b> 2:00 – 4:00pm ACU	11
Week 9	14 <b>Queen's Birthday Public Holiday</b>	15	16	17 <b>Moderation Presentations due in shared drive</b> →	18
Week 10	21	22	23	24	25 Final Date for all Year 12 'Intends T' data in ACS to be correct for AST Rolls → <b>Term 2 ends</b>
School Holidays	28	29	30		





# Term 3 2021

July

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

School Holidays				1	2
School Holidays	5	6	7	8	9
Week 1	12 <b>Term 3 commences</b>	13	14	15	16
Week 2	19	20	21 <b>Curriculum Coordinators' Meeting</b> 2:00 – 4:00pm CAL	22	23
Week 3	26	27 <b>ACC Meeting</b> 8:30 – 10:30am CAL	28 <b>Student Forum 2</b> 3:30 – 5:00pm <b>HBC</b>	29 <b>CAC Meeting</b> 8:30 – 10:30am CAL <b>Moderation Leaders Information Session</b> TEAMS Meeting	30



# Term 3 2021

# August

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 4	2	3	4	5 <b>Certification Meeting</b> Hawker College 2:00 – 4:00pm	6
Week 5	9	10 <b>Surveying Scaling</b> 1:00 – 4:00pm HBC	11	12 <b>Moderation Day 2</b>	13 <b>AST Packing Day</b>
Week 6	16	17 <b>Board Principals' Meeting</b> 1:30 – 3:30pm HBC	18 <b>Engaging ACS for Excellence</b> 9:00am – 12:00pm HBC	19	20
Week 7	23	24	25	26 <b>Board Meeting</b> 8:30 – 10:30am CAL <b>Moderation Coordinators' TEAMS Meeting</b> 3:45 – 4:30pm	27
Week 8	30	31 <b>AST First Sitting Sessions 1 &amp; 2</b>			



# Term 3 2021

# September

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Week 8  
(cont)

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**AST First Sitting  
Session 3**

**AST Checking**

**AST Checking**

Week 9

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**Board Forum 3**  
Radford College 4:15 – 5:30pm

Week 10

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**Term 3 ends**

School  
Holidays

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School  
Holidays

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# Term 4 2021

# October

**Monday                      Tuesday                      Wednesday                      Thursday                      Friday**

School Holidays					1
Week 1	4 <b>Labour Day Public Holiday</b>	5 <b>Term 4 commences</b>	6	7	8
Week 2	11	12 <b>AST Second Sitting Sessions 1 &amp; 2</b> Venues: Merici College & Narrabundah College	13 <b>Curriculum Coordinators' Meeting 2:00 – 4:00pm CAL</b> <b>AST Second Sitting Session 3</b> Venues: Merici College & Narrabundah College	14 <b>Certification Meeting</b> St Mary Mackillop College 2:00 – 4:00pm	15
Week 3	18	19 <b>ACC Meeting</b> 8:30 – 10:30am CAL	20	21 <b>CAC Meeting</b> 8:30 – 10:30am CAL	22
Week 4	25	26	27	28	29



# Term 4 2021

# November

Monday

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Friday

Week 5	1	2	3	4	5
Week 6	8	9 <b>Board Principals' Meeting</b> 1:30 – 3:30pm HBC	10	11	12 <b>Closing Date for Recognition of Excellence Nominations</b>
Week 7	15	16	17	18 <b>Board Meeting</b> 8:30 – 10:30am CAL	19 Recommended last day for student assessment
Week 8	22	23	24 <b>Student Forum 3</b> 3:30 – 5:00pm HBC	25	26 Last day for students to be notified of unit and course scores
Week 9	29	30			



# Term 4 2021

# December

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Week 9 (cont.)			1  Perfect Data Day	2	3  Last day for lodgement of Board Appeals
Week 10	6  Moderation Presentations due	7	8	9	10
Week 11	13	14  Recognition of Excellence Ceremony 11:00am	15	16  Closing date for adoptions and extensions of currently accredited units and courses for teaching in 2021	17  Term 4 ends
School Holidays	20	21	22	23	24
School Holidays	27  Public Holiday in lieu of Christmas Day	28  Public Holiday in lieu of Boxing Day	29	30	31

## Notes

Any changes to the Schedule will be posted on the ACTBSSS web site at <http://www.bsss.act.edu.au>

Colleges will be notified of such changes by e-mail

Other codes used are

<b>Code</b>	<b>Explanation</b>
CAL (BSSS Office)	Callam Offices Building B, Level 1 (Use lift 2) Easty Street, WODEN ACT 2606
HBC	Hedley Beare Centre 51 Fremantle Drive, STIRLING ACT 2611
TBC	To be confirmed

The following Board committees will meet on a needs basis and meeting dates are subject to change:

- Assessment and Certification Sub-Committee (ACC)
- Curriculum Advisory Sub-Committee (CAC)

(Dates: meetings will be held two weeks prior to Board Principals meeting papers preparation)