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The school calendar for 2017 is as follows:

2017 School Calendar:

Term	All Provinces	
	Opens	Closes
First	09 January ¹ 11 January ²	31 March
Second	18 April	30 June
Third	24 July	29 September
Fourth	09 October	06 December ² 08 December ¹

¹ for Educators

² for Learners

2017 Public Holidays:

Date	Title
01 January 2017	New Year's Day
20 March 2017	School holiday
21 March 2017	Human Rights Day
14 April 2017	Good Friday
17 April 2017	Family Day
27 April 2017	Freedom Day
28 April 2017	School holiday
01 May 2017	Workers' Day
16 June 2017	Youth Day
09 August 2017	National Women's Day
24 September 2017	Heritage Day
16 December 2017	Day of Reconciliation
25 December 2017	Christmas Day
26 December 2017	Day of Goodwill

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