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| **Number:** | 2022 / 15 | **Date:** | 22 November 2022 |
| **Relevant:** | Jervis Bay Territory |
| **Topic:** | 2023 School Terms and Public Holiday Schedule |

The Jervis Bay Territory Administration Office will close from Friday, 23 December 2022 and reopen on Monday, 9 January 2023.

During this period, any front counter transactions will need to be done through Access Canberra, either by telephone or online (phone 13 22 81, Monday to Friday 8am to 6pm and weekends/public holidays 9am to 5pm or go to <https://www.accesscanberra.act.gov.au/s/>).

The Jervis Bay Territory observes the same school terms and public holidays as the Australia Capital Territory. Below are the school terms and public holidays for 2023.

ACT School Terms 2023

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| **Term 1:** Friday 27 January to Thursday 6 April 2023(New students start school on Monday 30 January 2023, continuing students return to school on Tuesday 31 January 2023) |
| **Term 2:** Monday 24 April to Friday 30 June 2023 |
| **Term 3:** Monday 17 July to Friday 22 September 2023 |
| **Term 4:** Monday 9 October to Friday 15 December 2023 |

ACT Public Holidays 2023

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| **New Year’s Day:** Sunday 1January 2023 | **Easter Monday:** Monday 10 April |
| **New Year’s Additional\*:** Monday 2 January 2023 | **ANZAC Day:** Tuesday 25 April |
| **Australia Day:** Thursday 26 January | **Reconciliation Day:** Monday 29 May |
| **Canberra Day:** Monday 13 March | **Queen’s Birthday\*\*:** Monday 12 June |
| **Good Friday:** Friday 7 April | **Labour Day:** Monday 2 October |
| **Easter Saturday:** Saturday 8 April | **Christmas Day:** Monday 25 December |
| **Easter Sunday:** Sunday 9 April | **Boxing Day:** Tuesday 26 December |

\*As 1 January (New Year’s Day) falls on a Sunday in 2023, the following Monday is observed as an additional public holiday.

\*\*TBC after the passing of HRH Queen Elizabeth II.

Note: The above information was taken from ACT Government Education website (<https://www.cmtedd.act.gov.au/communication/holidays>).