

2020 IMPORTANT EVENT/DATES

DATE	EVENT
Tue 7 Jan	Orthodox Christmas Day
Tue 14 Jan	Orthodox New Year
Sat 25 Jan	Chinese New Year
Fri 14 Feb	Valentine's Day
Wed 26 Feb	Ash Wednesday
Sun 1 Mar	Clean up Australia Day
Sun 8 Mar	International Women's Day
Mon 9 Mar	Holi begins
Tue 10 Mar	Holi ends
Tue 17 Mar	St Patrick's Day
Sat 21 Mar	Harmony Day
Sat 28 Mar	Earth Hour (8:30 - 9:30 pm)
Thu 2 Apr	World Autism Awareness Day
Sun 5 Apr	Palm Sunday
Tue 7 Apr	World Health Day
Wed 8 Apr	First day of Passover
Thu 16 Apr	Last day of Passover
Wed 22 Apr	Earth Day
Thu 23 Apr	Ramadan begins (date may vary)
Thu 30 Apr	Buddha's birthday
Sun 10 May	Mother's Day
Fri 15 May	International Day of Families
Sat 23 May	Ramadan ends (date may vary)
Tue 26 May	National Sorry Day
Wed 27 May - Wed 3 Jun	ALIA National Simultaneous Storytime National Reconciliation Week
Sat 6 Jun	Queensland Day
Fri 19 - Sun 21 Jun	ACA Qld National Conference
Mon 6 - Sun 12 Jul	NAIDOC Week
Thu 30 Jul	Eid al-Adha begins (date may vary)
Mon 3 Aug	Eid al-Adha ends (date may vary)
Tue 4 Aug	National Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Children's Day
Fri 7 Aug	Jeans for Genes Day
Fri 7 Aug	Red Nose Day
Sat 22 - Fri 28 Aug	CBCA Book Week
Wed 2 Sep	Early Childhood Educators' Day
Fri 4 Sep	White Balloon Day
Sun 6 Sep	Father's Day
Tue 8 Sep	International Literacy Day
Sun 25 Oct	Grandparents Day
Tue 3 Nov	Melbourne Cup Day
Wed 11 Nov	Remembrance Day
Sat 14 Nov	Diwali (Date may vary)
Fri 20 Nov	UN Universal Children's Day
Thu 10 Dec	First Day of Hanukkah
Fri 18 Dec	Last Day of Hanukkah

2020 PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

DATE	EVENT
Wed 1 Jan	New Year's Day (National)
Wed 8 Jan	Devonport Cup (TAS)
Sun 26 Jan	Australia Day (National)
Mon 27 Jan	Australia Day Holiday (National)
Mon 10 Feb	Royal Hobart Regatta (TAS)
Wed 26 Feb	Launceston Cup (TAS)
Mon 2 Mar	Labour Day (WA)
Tue 3 Mar	King Island Show (TAS)
Mon 9 Mar	Canberra Day (ACT)
Mon 9 Mar	March Public Holiday (SA)
Mon 9 Mar	Eight Hours Day (TAS)
Mon 9 Mar	Labour Day (VIC)
Fri 10 Apr	Good Friday (National)
Sat 11 Apr	Day following Good Friday (National except TAS & WA)
Sun 12 Apr	Easter Sunday (ACT, NSW, QLD & VIC)
Mon 13 Apr	Easter Monday (National)
Tue 14 Apr	Easter Tuesday (TAS)
Sat 25 Apr	ANZAC Day (National)
Mon 2 May	ANZAC Day Holiday (WA)
Mon 4 May	May Day (NT)
Mon 4 May	Labour Day (QLD)
Fri 8 May	AGFEST (TAS)
Mon 1 Jun	Reconciliation Day (ACT)
Mon 1 Jun	Western Australia Day (WA)
Mon 8 Jun	Queen's Birthday (National except QLD & WA)
Fri 26 Jun	Borroloola Show Day (NT)
Fri 3 Jul	Alice Springs Show Day (NT)
Fri 10 Jul	Tennant Creek Show Day (NT)
Fri 17 Jul	Katherine Show Day (NT)
Fri 24 Jul	Darwin Show Day (NT)
Mon 3 Aug	Picnic Day (NT)
Wed 12 Aug	EKKA Wednesday (Brisbane only)
Mon 28 Sep	Queen's Birthday (WA)
Fri 2 Oct	Burnie Show (TAS)
Mon 5 Oct	Labour Day (ACT, NSW & SA)
Mon 5 Oct	Queen's Birthday (QLD)
Thu 8 Oct	Royal Launceston Show (TAS)
Fri 16 Oct	Flinders Island Show (TAS)
Thu 22 Oct	Royal Hobart Show (TAS)
Mon 2 Nov	Recreation Day (TAS)
Tue 3 Nov	Melbourne Cup Day (VIC)
Fri 27 Nov	Devonport Show (TAS)
Thu 24 Dec	Christmas Eve
Fri 25 Dec	Christmas Day
Sat 26 Dec	Boxing Day (National except SA)
Sat 26 Dec	Proclamation Day (SA)
Thu 31 Dec	New Year's Eve

2020 SCHOOL TERM DATES

AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

TERM 1	Mon 3 Feb 2020 – Thu 9 Apr 2020 (New Students)
TERM 1	Tue 4 Feb 2020 – Thu 9 Apr 2020 (Continuing Students)
TERM 2	Mon 27 Apr 2020 – Fri 3 Jul 2020
TERM 3	Mon 20 Jul 2020 – Fri 25 Sep 2020
TERM 4	Mon 12 Oct 2020 – Fri 18 Dec 2020

NEW SOUTH WALES

TERM 1	Tue 28 Jan 2020 – Thu 9 Apr 2020 (Eastern Division)
TERM 1	Tue 4 Feb 2020 – Thu 9 Apr 2020 (Western Division)
TERM 2	Mon 27 April 2020 – Fri 3 Jul 2020
TERM 3	Mon 20 Jul 2020 – Fri 25 Sep 2020
TERM 4	Mon 12 Oct 2020 – Fri 18 Dec 2020

NORTHERN TERRITORY

TERM 1	Tue 28 Jan 2020 – Thu 9 Apr 2020 (Urban schools)
TERM 1	Wed 29 Jan 2020 – Thu 9 Apr 2020 (Remote schools)
TERM 2	Mon 20 Apr 2020 – Fri 26 Jun 2020
TERM 3	Tue 21 Jul 2020 – Fri 25 Sep 2020
TERM 4	Mon 12 Oct 2020 – Thu 17 Dec 2020 (Urban schools)
TERM 4	Mon 12 Oct 2020 – Fri 18 Dec 2020 (Remote schools)

QUEENSLAND

TERM 1	Tue 28 Jan 2020 – Fri 3 Apr 2020
TERM 2	Mon 20 Apr 2020 – Fri 26 Jun 2020
TERM 3	Mon 13 Jul 2020 – Fri 18 Sep 2020
TERM 4	Tue 6 Oct 2020 – Fri 11 Dec 2020

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

TERM 1	Tue 28 Jan 2020 – Thu 9 Apr 2020
TERM 2	Mon 27 Apr 2020 – Fri 3 Jul 2020
TERM 3	Mon 20 Jul 2020 – Fri 25 Sep 2020
TERM 4	Mon 12 Oct 2020 – Fri 11 Dec 2020

TASMANIA

TERM 1	Wed 5 Feb 2020 – Thu 9 Apr 2020
TERM 2	Mon 27 Apr 2020 – Fri 3 Jul 2020
TERM 3	Mon 20 Jul 2020 – Fri 25 Sep 2020
TERM 4	Mon 12 Oct 2020 – Thu 17 Dec 2020

VICTORIA

TERM 1	Tue 27 Jan 2020 – Fri 27 Mar 2020
TERM 2	Tue 4 Apr 2020 – Fri 26 Jun 2020
TERM 3	Mon 13 Jul 2020 – Fri 18 Sep 2020
TERM 4	Mon 5 Oct 2020 – Fri 18 Dec 2020

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

TERM 1	Mon 3 Feb 2020 – Thu 9 Apr 2020
TERM 2	Tue 28 Apr 2020 – Fri 3 Jul 2020
TERM 3	Mon 20 Jul 2020 – Fri 25 Sep 2020
TERM 4	Mon 12 Oct 2020 – Thu 17 Dec 2020

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Early Start Programs	0488 666 455	enquiries@earlystartprograms.com.au	www.earlystartprograms.com.au
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2020 YEARLY PLANNER

Day	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun
mon						1
tue						2
wed	1			1		3
thu	2			2		4
fri	3			3	1	5
sat	4	1		4	2	6
sun	5	2	1	5	3	7
mon	6	3	2	6	4	8
tue	7	4	3	7	5	9
wed	8	5	4	8	6	10
thu	9	6	5	9	7	11
fri	10	7	6	10	8	12
sat	11	8	7	11	9	13
sun	12	9	8	12	10	14
mon	13	10	9	13	11	15
tue	14	11	10	14	12	16
wed	15	12	11	15	13	17
thu	16	13	12	16	14	18
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sun	19	16	15	19	17	21
mon	20	17	16	20	18	22
tue	21	18	17	21	19	23
wed	22	19	18	22	20	24
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fri	24	21	20	24	22	26
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sun	26	23	22	26	24	28
mon	27	24	23	27	25	29
tue	28	25	24	28	26	30
wed	29	26	25	29	27	
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fri	31	28	27		29	
sat		29	28		30	
sun			29		31	
mon			30			
tue			31			

2020 YEARLY PLANNER

Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Day
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		1			1	tue
1		2			2	wed
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3		4	2		4	fri
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5	2	6	4	1	6	sun
6	3	7	5	2	7	mon
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26	23	27	25	22	27	sun
27	24	28	26	23	28	mon
28	25	29	27	24	29	tue
29	26	30	28	25	30	wed
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	29		31	28		sat
	30			29		sun
	31			30		mon
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JANUARY 2020 MONTHLY PLANNER

Checklist	mon	tue	wed
Regular Monitoring Check: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Attendance data mandatory reporting <input type="checkbox"/> Educational program and practice <input type="checkbox"/> WH & S checklists <input type="checkbox"/> Risk assessments <input type="checkbox"/> Evacuation drills <input type="checkbox"/> Quality Improvement Plan (QIP) <input type="checkbox"/> Parent communication <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Practices <input type="checkbox"/> Health and Safety procedures <input type="checkbox"/> Checklists for washing toys and equipment <input type="checkbox"/> Playground checklist <input type="checkbox"/> Nappy change checklist <input type="checkbox"/> Cleaning checklist <input type="checkbox"/> Immunisation - Educators, Staff & children <input type="checkbox"/> Educator & Staff practices and interactions <input type="checkbox"/> Progression of Educators' study <input type="checkbox"/> Educator & Staff meetings <input type="checkbox"/> Ensure Educators sign on and off for study and programming <input type="checkbox"/> Ensure 50% qualified Educators working with children at all times <input type="checkbox"/> Professional Development <input type="checkbox"/> Records and information appropriately stored <input type="checkbox"/> Educator & Staff awareness of Code of Ethics <input type="checkbox"/> Educator & Staff awareness of Code of Practice <input type="checkbox"/> Supervision at all times <input type="checkbox"/> First Aid, asthma and anaphylaxis training <input type="checkbox"/> Working with children checks <input type="checkbox"/> Menu on display <input type="checkbox"/> Medical records are current <input type="checkbox"/> Parents of children with medical conditions given a copy of policy <input type="checkbox"/> Educators & Staff awareness of their child protection responsibilities including mandatory reporting <input type="checkbox"/> Recording and display of Responsible person info <input type="checkbox"/> Community involvement <input type="checkbox"/> Current, portable record of children's emergency contacts <input type="checkbox"/> Training in use of emergency equipment <input type="checkbox"/> Is your ECEC service CWA-compliant <input type="checkbox"/> RAP (Reconciliation Action Plan) <input type="checkbox"/> ISP (Inclusion Support Plan) 	30 December 2019	31 December 2019	1 January 2020 New Years Day (National)
	6 January 2020	7 January 2020 Orthodox Christmas Day	8 January 2020 Devonport Cup (TAS)
	13 January 2020	14 January 2020 Orthodox New Year	15 January 2020
	20 January 2020	21 January 2020	22 January 2020
	27 January 2020 Australia Day Holiday (National)	28 January 2020	29 January 2020

thu	fri	sat	sun
2 January 2020	3 January 2020	4 January 2020	5 January 2020
9 January 2020	10 January 2020	11 January 2020	12 January 2020
16 January 2020	17 January 2020	18 January 2020	19 January 2020
23 January 2020	24 January 2020	25 January 2020 Chinese New Year	26 January 2020 Australia Day (National)
30 January 2020	31 January 2020	1 February 2020	2 February 2020

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**It is not what you do for your children, but what you have taught them to do for themselves,
that will make them successful human beings.**

Ann Landers

NOTES

1 January 20

Wednesday

New Year's Day

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Reflection *What did learning look like in my room this week?*

2 January 20

Thursday

3 January 20

Friday

4 January 20

Saturday

5 January 20

Sunday

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Reminder

Hello 2020!

Happy New Year from the ACA Qld Management Committee and office team!

QUALITY AREA REVIEW

Quality Area Number

Standard/Element #	Existing issues	Identify how to resolve issue/s	Prioritise this area as L / M / H	Achieve by	Progress notes

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