



ACADEMIC CALENDAR

AUGUST 2011-AUGUST 2012

FIRST SEMESTER Aug. to Dec. 2011

Aug. 1	Office reopens
Aug. 4	Orientation-new and transferring students
Aug. 8-9	Registration-all students 12.00-7.00pm. Registration outside of the scheduled time will incur a late registration fee.
Aug. 10	Faculty Meeting
Aug. 15	Classes resume at 5.30pm
Aug.25	General Assembly
Aug.26	Last day to add or drop a course
Sept. 21	Independence Day-All students are encouraged to take part in the Parade. Points will be awarded for students taking part; the attire is WJC T-Shirt and long pants. Students can purchase WJC visors at the office.
Oct. 6	Mid-Semester grades due. Students must hand in all outstanding work before this date.
Oct.6	Sports Evening at Bird's Isle. Volleyball competition: Students vs Faculty, mixed teams, dominoes, chess
Oct. 7	All Friday classes proceed as normal
Oct. 10	Pan American holiday
Oct.17	Distribution of Mid-semester Reports. These are collected from the office
	ATLIB Regional Volley ball competition-exact date t.b.a; Venue- Corozal Junior College, Corozal. Please sign up to go to Corozal to support the teams. Swimming and fun after the competition in Corozal.
Nov. 10	Wellness Evening-students will be able to have various health checks done eg. Blood pressure, glucose, STI, HIV/AIDS, Pap smears, breast examination etc. There will also be a talk on one or two aspects of Wellness. Attendance will be taken so all students are expected to be present.
Nov.12	ATLIB Volleyball National competition-SJCJC Gym.
	Reminder: all outstanding fees must be paid by Nov.25 to enable students to sit the end of semester final examination.
Nov. 25	Last day for students to pay outstanding balances on fees, book rentals etc in order to be eligible to sit the end of semester examinations.
Nov.28- Dec. 2	First semester examinations. All examinations will begin at 5.30pm. There will be one examination each day. Examinations will be given outside of the scheduled time in the case of illness or death in the family. Proof of this must be presented to the office. All examinations given outside of the allotted time will be marked out of 80%.
Dec. 5	First semester grades due; All rental books must be returned to the office.
Dec. 12	Distribution of first semester Reports from the office. Students must return all outstanding book rentals before Reports can be obtained.

Dec.13-14	Registration for second semester 12.00-7.00pm; Late registration will incur a late registration fee.
Dec.16	Office closes for the Christmas vacation. Have a safe and blessed Christmas!

SECOND SEMESTER Jan.-May 2012

Jan. 4	Office reopens; orientation for new students
Jan. 5	Faculty Meeting
Jan. 9	Classes resume at 5.30pm
Jan.19	General Assembly-First semester Honour Roll cards will be given out to all students obtaining a minimum GPA of 3.00
Jan. 20	Last day to drop/add a course
Jan. 23	Methodist Conference holiday
Jan. 30	Submission of proposal for Community Service. This should be done by all second year students. Proposal should be submitted to the Counselor, Nurse Bennett.
	ATLIB Regional Basketball competition. Exact date t.b.a. venue-SJCJC Gym. Host school-WJC. Please come out and support the ATLIB defending champions.
Feb. 18	ATLIB National Basketball Competition –Galen University. Join us on this trip to Cayo to retain the championship trophy.
Feb.28	Mid-semester grades due.
Mar.6	Distribution of Mid-semester Reports from Office
Mar. 9	Public Holiday
Mar. 13-15	Nominations for Student Government Elections
Mar. 20	General Assembly: Presentation of Candidates for Student Government Elections
Mar. 21	Student Government Elections: Voting begins at 6.30pm and ends at 8.00pm. Classes will proceed with minor interruptions.
Mar.30-31	Environmental Science Trip to the Rio Bravo Conservation and Management Area for Year 2 and Year 3 Environmental Science students
Apr. 4	Easter Vacation begins
Apr. 11	Classes resume
	All outstanding school fees must be paid by April 27 before students can sit the final examinations.
Apr. 27	Last day to pay outstanding school fees in order to be eligible to sit the Second Semester examinations.
Apr.30-May 4	Second Semester Examinations. Students will be allowed to do the examinations outside of the allotted time in cases of illness and death of family member. Proof of this must be presented to the office. All examinations sat outside of the examination schedule will be marked out of 80%.

May 7	Grades for third year students due
May 9	Grades for first and second year students due
May 10	Graduation list posted
May 16	Second semester Reports available at the office
May 17	Graduation Practice at Wesley Church at 5.30pm
May 18	Graduation Ceremony at Wesley Church at 6.45pm
May 21	Summer School begins
July 5	Summer School ends; Office closes for the summer vacation
July 30	Office reopens
Aug. 2	Orientation-first and transfer students
Aug.6-7	Registration-12.00-7.00pm all students
Aug.16	Faculty Meeting
Aug.20	Classes resume