

Public Holidays 2019

Holiday	Date	Location	Notes
New Year's Day Observed	1 January	Statewide	Tuesday
Devonport Cup	9 January	Devonport	Wednesday not earlier than fifth and not later than eleventh day of January. From 11am Municipal area of Devonport - generally State Public Service only. To check your award or agreement call the Fairwork Infoline on 131394.
Australia Day	28 January	Statewide	Monday. As 26 January falls on a Saturday, the following Monday is observed.
Royal Hobart Regatta	11 February	Hobart	Second Monday in February. South of & including Oatlands and Swansea excluding Bronte Park, Catagunya, Strathgordon, Tarraleah, Wayatinah & West Coast.
Launceston Cup	27 February	Launceston	Last Wednesday in February - generally Public Service only. All Day - Municipal areas of Break O'Day, Dorset, George Town, Glamorgan-Spring Bay (north of and including Cranbrook), Launceston excluding Launceston City centre and suburbs specified below, Meander Valley excluding suburbs and townships specified below, Northern Midlands, Southern Midlands north of but not including Oatlands, West Tamar excluding townships specified below. From 11am - Launceston City centre and the following suburbs and townships Alanvale, Blackstone Heights, East Launceston, Elphin, Franklin Village, Glen Dhu, Inveresk, Invermay, Killafaddy, Kings Meadows, Mayfield, Mowbray, Mowbray Heights, Newnham, Newstead, North Riverside, Norwood, Prospect, Prospect Vale, Punchbowl, Ravenswood, Riverside, Rocherlea, St Leonards, Sandhill, South Launceston, Summerhill, Trevallyn, Vermont, Waverley, West Launceston, West Riverside, Youngtown.
King Island Show	5 March	King Island	First Tuesday in March
Eight Hours Day	11 March	Statewide	Second Monday in March
Good Friday	19 April	Statewide	

Holiday	Date	Location	Notes
Easter Monday	22 April	Statewide	
Easter Tuesday	23 April	Statewide	Restricted public holiday observed by some awards/agreements and the State Public Service. To check your award or agreement call the Fair Work Infoline on 131394.
ANZAC Day	25 April	Statewide	Thursday
AGFEST	3 May	Circular Head	Friday following the first Thursday in May. Municipal area of Circular Head only.
Queen's Birthday	10 June	Statewide	Second Monday in June
Burnie Show	4 October	Burnie	Friday before the first Saturday in October. Municipal areas of Burnie, Waratah-Wynyard and West Coast.
Royal Launceston Show	10 October	Launceston	Thursday before the second Saturday in October. Municipal areas of Break O'Day, Dorset, George Town, Launceston, Meander Valley, Northern Midlands, West Tamar.
Flinders Island Show	18 October	Flinders Island	Friday before the third Saturday in October - Municipal area of Flinders Island.
Royal Hobart Show	24 October	Hobart	The Thursday before the fourth Saturday in October. All of Tasmania south of and including Oatlands and Swansea also Bronte Park, Strathgordon, Tarraleah and Wayatinah - excludes West Coast.
Recreation Day	4 November	Launceston	First Monday in November - all parts of the state which do not observe Royal Hobart Regatta
Devonport Show	29 November	Devonport	Friday nearest the last day in November but not later than 1 December. Municipal areas of Devonport, Kentish and Latrobe.
Christmas Day	25 December	Statewide	Wednesday
Boxing Day	26 December	Statewide	Thursday

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Term Dates

A list of Tasmanian public holidays and Easter dates is available from Worksafe Tasmania (http://www.worksafe.tas.gov.au/laws/public_holidays).

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2018

2018 – Schools

Term 1 Start: Monday 5 February (teachers commence); Wednesday 7 February (students commence). **Term 1 Finish:** Thursday 12 April (students finish). Friday 13 April (teachers finish).

Easter break: Friday 30 March – 3 April.

Term 2 Start: Monday 30 April. **Term 2 Finish:** Friday 6 July

Term 3 Start: Monday 23 July. **Term 3 Finish:** Friday 28 September

Term 4 Start: Monday 15 October. **Term 4 Finish:** Thursday 20 December (students finish); Friday 21 December (teachers finish)

2018 – Colleges

Term 1 Start: Monday 29 January (teachers commence); Wednesday 7 February (students commence). **Term 1 Finish:** Friday 13 April.

Easter break: Friday 30 March – 3 April.

Term 2 Start: Monday 30 April. **Term 2 Finish:** Friday 6 July

Term 3 Start: Monday 23 July. **Term 3 Finish:** Friday 28 September

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2019 – Schools

Term 1 Start: Monday 4 February (teachers commence); Wednesday 6 February (students commence). **Term 1 Finish:** Friday 12 April

Easter break: 19 April – 23 April

Term 2 Start: Monday 29 April. **Term 2 Finish:** Friday 5 July

Term 3 Start: Monday 22 July. **Term 3 Finish:** Friday 27 September

Term 4 Start: Monday 14 October. **Term 4 Finish:** Thursday 19 December (students finish); Friday 20 December (teachers finish)

2019 – Colleges

Term 1 Start: Tuesday 29 January (teachers commence); Wednesday 6 February (students commence). **Term 1 Finish:** Friday 12 April.

Easter break: 19 April – 23 April

Term 2 Start: Monday 29 April. **Term 2 Finish:** Friday 5 July

Term 3 Start: Monday 22 July. **Term 3 Finish:** Friday 27 September

Term 4 Start: Monday 14 October. **Term 4 Finish:** Refer to individual college for student finish date. Friday 13 December (teachers finish)

2020

2020 – Schools

Term 1 Start: Monday 3 February (teachers commence); Wednesday 5 February (students commence). **Term 1 Finish:** Thursday 9 April

Easter break: 10 April – 14 April

Term 2 Start: Monday 27 April. **Term 2 Finish:** Friday 3 July

Term 3 Start: Monday 20 July. **Term 3 Finish:** Friday 25 September

Term 4 Start: Monday 12 October. **Term 4 Finish:** Thursday 17 December (students finish); Friday 18 December (teachers finish)

2020 – Colleges

Term 1 Start: Tuesday 28 January (teachers commence); Wednesday 5 February (students

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day 9 April.

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Term 1 Start: Monday 27 April. **Term 1 Finish:** Friday 3 July
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Term 3 Start: Monday 20 July. **Term 3 Finish:** Friday 25 September

Term 4 Start: Monday 12 October. **Term 4 Finish:** Refer to individual college for student finish date. Friday 11 December (teachers finish)

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Date	Event	Location
February		
19	LGAT Stakeholder & Sponsor Event	LGAT
20	GMC	TBC
2	LGAT Planning Workshop	North West
16	LGAT Planning Workshop	North West
23	LGAT Planning Workshop	South

Noting Planning workshop dates are subject to change and will be confirmed as soon as possible but these workshop dates will all fall on a weekend

March		
8	International Womens Day	LGAT Event TBC
23 & 24	Elected Member Weekend	TBC
28	Mayors Professional Development	Devonport
29	General Meeting	Devonport

April		
3 & 4	GM's Workshop	TBC

May		
8	LGAT Regional Breakfast Forum	North West
9	LGAT Regional Breakfast	North
9	GMC Meeting	North
16	LGAT Regional Breakfast Forum	South

June		
5	2IC Workshop	TBC

July		
3	AGM/General Meeting/GMC	TBC
4 & 5	LGAT Conference	TBC

August		
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September		
13	General Meeting/GMC	West Tamar Function Centre
25 & 26	GM's Workshop	TBC

October		
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November		
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December		
5	Mayors PD	Hobart
6	General Meeting	Brighton Civic Centre TBC
9	GMC/PLGC	Date TBC in conjunction with DPAC