



KENYA PRIVATE SCHOOLS ASSOCIATION

In partnership with the government to provide a holistic quality Education for All

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TO ALL KPSA MEMBER SCHOOLS.

RE: SCHOOL CALENDAR DATES.

The Basic Education act 2013 section 95 (3) provides that the cabinet secretary for Education may make regulations with respect to the conduct and management of schools and such regulations may (h) provide for educational calendar;

We take note of the fact that;

1. The Cabinet for Education has suspended the re-opening of basic Education institutions for a further period of 30 days effective 4th May, 2020.
2. The period between closure of schools i.e 15th March, 2020 and when the normal reopening of school occurs has not been defined in law and is being treated as a health crisis break.

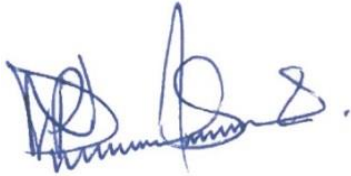
Further and in view of the above KPSA wish to guide its members as follows;

- 1) Currently the local basic Education curriculum is neither in 1st term nor 2nd term but on a health crisis break.
- 2) Continuous engagement of learners in learning activities through online platforms is highly encouraged using age appropriate and prescribed content.
- 3) Any learning activity our member schools engage their learners in during this period should be treated as a separate

program/contract from the normal school term programs/contracts and be made optional.

KPSA shall continuously keep members informed and properly updated on term dates and digital content available to schools.

Be blessed and always stay safe.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Ngoro M. Peter". The signature is stylized and includes a large initial "N" and "P".

Ngoro M. Peter
Chief Executive Officer.