TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCAION AND TRAINING (TVET) COLLEGE: ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR 2020

National Certificate Vocational (NCV)

Semester	Staff commences	Classes commence	Classes end	Exam date	Colleges close	Lecturing days	Lecturing Staff service days
Term 1	13 January	20 January	20 March	17 Feb-16 March supplementary	20 March	45	50
Term 2	31 March	31 March	12 June		12 June	50	50
Term 3	07 July	07 July	18 September	14 days for internal examinations	18 September	53	53
Term 4	28 September	29 September	23 October	LO P2: 26-30 October 02 Nov – 01 Dec	04 December	19	50
					Year Totals	167	203

Report 191: General (Business and Utility) Studies

Semester	Staff commences	Classes commence	Classes end	Exam date	Colleges close	Lecturing days	Lecturing Staff service days
Semester 1 Term 1	13 January	20 January	20 March		20 March	45	50
Semester 1 Term 2	31 March	31 March	21 May	22 May - 12 June	12 June	34	50
Semester 2 Term 3	07 July	13 July	18 September		18 September	49	53
Semester 2 Term 4	28 September	29 September	06 November	09 Nov-30 Nov	04 December	29	50
					Year Totals	157	203

Report 191: Natural Science Studies

Trimester	Staff commences	Classes commence	Classes end	Exam date	Colleges close	Lecturing days	Lecturing Staff service days
1	13 January	20 January	27 March	30 March - 21April	21 April	50	70
2	04 May	11 May	17 July	20 July - 07 Aug	07 August	48	67
3	02 September	07 September	13 November	16 Nov - 04 Dec	04 December	48	66
					Year totals	146	203

NOTES

1. This Calendar is applicable ONLY to the lecturing staff.

2. Lecturing staff service days when no students are on campus MUST be utilised for lesson planning, assessment planning, subjects and faculty meetings, lecturer training, work integrated learning and work-based experience, and administrative work.

3. No deviation from this approved calendar is allowed without prior approval by the Director-General of the Department of Higher Education and Training.

4. Supplementary examinations should not impede teaching contact time.

5. The internal examinations may be conducted either in the second or third term, for a maximum of fourteen days.

PUBLIC AND COLLEGE HOLIDAYS

1 January	New Year's Day
21 March	Human Rights Day
10 April	Good Friday
13 April	Family Day
27 April	Freedom Day
1 May	Workers' Day
15 June	College Holiday
16 June	Youth Day
9 August	National Women's Day
10 August	Public Holiday
24 September	Heritage Day
25 September	College Holiday
16 December	Day of Reconciliation
25 December	Christmas Day
26 December	Day of Goodwill

Signed:

Mr GF Qonde
Director-General

Date: 06/08/2019