

SCHOOLS BASKETBALL CALENDAR 2026/27

May 2026	
Friday 29th	Closing date for PPSC Early Bird Registration at 12:00pm (noon).
<i>(Note: Registration includes online forms and receipt of full early bird payment which must be received by the PPSC by 10th Sept.)</i>	
August 2026	
Thursday 27th	Closing date for School Cup at 12:00pm (noon)
September 2026	
Tuesday 1st	Closing Date for late School Cup Entry at 12:00pm (noon) - <i>Late fees apply</i>
Wednesday 2nd	Schools Cup Draw (U16 & U19)
Friday 4th	Closing date for PPSC Late Online Registration (noon) - <i>Late fees apply</i>
<i>(Note: Late Registration includes online forms and receipt of full payment which must be received by the PPSC by 2nd October.)</i>	
Saturday 5th	PPSC Meeting
Wednesday 16th	Schools Cup Round 1
Wednesday 30th	Schools Cup Round 2
October 2026	
Friday 16th	Schools Cup Round 3
Saturday 17th	BIPPS 'Tom Collins' U15 Inter-Regional Tournament (Regional Venues)
Sunday 18th	BIPPS 'Tom Collins' U15 Inter-Regional Tournament (Regional Venues)
<i>Mid-Term Break: 26th - 30th October</i>	
November 2025	
Wednesday 4th	Schools Cup QF Round
Tuesday 17th	Schools Cup U16B & U19B Semi Finals [Neutral Venues]
Wednesday 18th	Schools Cup U16A and U19A Semi Finals [Neutral Venues]
Thursday 19th	Schools Cup U16C and U19C Semi Finals [Neutral Venues]
December 2026	
Friday 11th	Regional Competition Deadline for Under-16 and Under-19 A & B Leagues
Saturday 12th	PPSC Meeting
Tuesday 15th	Regional Competition Deadline for Under-16 and Under-19 Leagues C Leagues
Wednesday 16th	PPSC Meeting (PM)
<i>Christmas Holidays: 22nd Dec – 6th Jan</i>	
January 2027	
Wednesday 6th	Return to School
Thursday 7th	U16/U19 C Boys & Girls Round 1 Games (Single games)
Friday 8th	U16/U19 A/B Boys & Girls Round 1 Games (Single games)
Wednesday 13th	U19A & U19C Girls Playoffs (Host Venues)
Thursday 14th	U19A & U19C Boys Playoffs (Host Venues)
Friday 15th	U19B Boys & Girls Playoffs (Host Venues)
Monday 18th	U16C and U19C Cup Finals [NBA Main Court]
Tuesday 19th	U16B and U19B Cup Finals [NBA Main Court]
Wednesday 20th	U16A and U19A Cup Finals [NBA Main Court]
Friday 22nd	Provincial D Finals Boys & Girls
Monday 25th	U16A Girls Playoffs (Host Venues)
Tuesday 26th	U16A Boys Playoffs (Host Venues)
Wednesday 27th	U16B Boys & Girls Playoffs (Host Venues)
Thursday 28th	U16C Boys & Girls Playoffs (Host Venues)

February 2027	
Saturday 6th	PPSC Meeting
Monday 8th	U19/U16 Semi-final (Hosted by PPSC)
Tuesday 9th	U19/U16 Semi-final (Hosted by PPSC)
Wednesday 10th	U19/U16 Semi-final (Hosted by PPSC)
Thursday 11th	U19/U16 Semi-final (Hosted by PPSC)
Friday 12th	U19/U16 Semi-final (Hosted by PPSC)
	<i>February Mid-Term Hols: (ROI) Mon 15th Feb – Friday 19th Feb</i>
March 2027	
Monday 1st	U14 & U15 Schools Cup Registration opens.
Tuesday 2nd	U16A and U19A League Finals [NBA Main Court]
Wednesday 3rd	U16C and U19C League Finals [NBA Main Court]
Thursday 4th	U16B and U19B League Finals [NBA Main Court]
Friday 5th	U14 & U15 Schools Cup Registration closes.
	<i>Easter Hols: 19th March - 5th April</i>
April 2027	
Wednesday 14th	Regional Competition Deadline Minor & Junior Competition (PPSC Meeting PM)
Thursday 15th	U14A Girls & U15 Boys Schools Cup Playoffs (Host Venues)
Friday 16th	U14A Boys & U15 Girls Schools Cup Playoffs (Host Venues)
Friday 16th	Regrading window opens
Monday 19th	Minor/Junior A/B Boys & Girls Round 1 Games (Single games)
Tuesday 20th	Minor/Junior C Boys & Girls Round 1 Games (Single games)
Thursday 22nd	Junior B Boys & Girls (Host Venue)
Thursday 22nd	Regrading window closes
Friday 23rd	PPSC Regrading Meeting
Friday 23rd	Junior C Boys & Girls Playoffs (Host Venue)
Monday 26th	Junior A Boys & Girls Playoffs (Host Venue)
Tuesday 27th	Minor B Boys & Girls Playoffs (Host Venue)
Wednesday 28th	Minor C Boys & Girls Playoffs (Host Venue)
May 2027	
Tuesday 4th	Minor/Junior Semi-final (Hosted by PPSC)
Wednesday 5th	Minor/Junior Semi-final (Hosted by PPSC)
Thursday 6th	Minor/Junior Semi-final (Hosted by PPSC)
Friday 7th	Minor/Junior Semi-final (Hosted by PPSC)
Saturday 8th	Minor A Boys and Girls Tournament in UL Limerick
Sunday 9th	Minor A Boys and Girls Tournament in UL Limerick
Tuesday 11th	Minor & Junior C League Finals
Wednesday 12th	Minor & Junior B League Finals
Thursday 13th	Junior A League Finals
Friday 14th	U14A Boys & Girls QF & SF (Neutral Venues)
Monday 17th	U15A Boys & Girls QF & SF (Neutral Venues)
Thursday 20th	U14A & U15A Girls & Boys Finals [NBA Main Court]
Saturday 22nd	PPSC Meeting & AGM