



Ashburton College – Key Dates for Start of 2026

📖 **Welcome to the 2026 school year at Ashburton College!** Below are the important dates to help you get ready for Term 1. Please check which dates apply to you.

♦ January 2026 Key Dates

🕒 **21st–23rd January (Wed–Fri) — Leadership Course**

Selected Yr 13 students will take part in the annual leadership course. Details to follow.

🕒 **26th January (Monday) — 🚌 Buses Begin Operating**

All school bus services resume for 2026.

🕒 **27th–29th January (Tues–Thurs) — International Student Orientation**

A warm welcome to our new international students! Orientation runs across these three days. A full schedule will be provided in November 2025.

🕒 **30th January (Friday) — 🎓 Year 9 and Year 13 Students Start**

First official school day for students in Year 9 and Year 13. Welcome sessions and timetables will be shared.

🕒 **2nd February (Monday) — 🎓 All students at school**

First official school day for students in Year 9 and Year 13. Welcome sessions and timetables will be shared closer to the time.

① **Need Help?**

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