



EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL OF ZAMBIA
2023 - 2025 SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS SESSIONAL DATES

| S/N | EXAMINATION LEVEL | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 |
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| 1. | Grade 7 Composite Examination | Start: Friday, 27 th October, 2023 End: Thursday, 2 nd November, 2023 | Start: Friday, 25 th October, 2024 End: Thursday, 31 st October, 2024 | Start: Monday, 27 th October, 2025 End: Friday, 31 st October, 2025 |
| 2. | Junior Secondary External Examination (Grade 9 External) | Start: Wednesday, 26 th July, 2023 End : Friday, 4 th August, 2023 | Start: Wednesday, 24 th July, 2024 End : Friday, 2 nd August, 2024 | Start: Wednesday, 23 rd July, 2025 End : Friday, 1 st August, 2025 |
| 3. | Junior Secondary School Leaving Examination (Grade 9 Internal) | Start: Tuesday, 21 st November, 2023 End: Thursday, 30 th November, 2023 | Start: Tuesday, 19 th November, 2024 End: Thursday, 28 th November, 2024 | Start: Tuesday, 18 th November, 2025 End: Thursday, 27 th November, 2025 |
| 4. | General Certificate of Education (GCE) | Start: Wednesday, 26 th July, 2023 End: Friday, 11 th August, 2023 | Start: Wednesday, 24 th July, 2024 End: Friday, 9 th August, 2024 | Start: Wednesday, 23 rd July, 2025 End: Friday, 8 th August, 2025 |
| 5. | School Certificate Examination (Grade 12) | Start: Friday, 3 rd November, 2023 End : Tuesday, 21 st November, 2023 | Start: Friday, 1 st November, 2024 End : Tuesday, 19 th November, 2024 | Start: Friday, 31 st October, 2025 End : Tuesday, 18 th November, 2025 |
| 6. | Teacher Education Examinations | Start: Friday, 10 th November, 2023 End: Thursday, 30 th November, 2023 | Start: Friday, 8 th November, 2024 End : Thursday, 28 th November, 2024 | Start: Friday, 7 th November, 2025 End : Thursday, 27 th November, 2025 |