Ministerial Diary[1]

Minister for Education and the Arts

The Hon John-Paul Langbroek MP

1 September to 30 September 2026

Date of Meeting	Name of Organisation/s or Person/s	Purpose of Meeting
1 September 2026	Principal, Staff and Students - Hillcrest College Other Invited Guests Ministerial Staff	Event: Hillcrest College
1 September 2026	Carly Irving-Dolan, Executive General Manager, Australian Childcare Alliance Queensland Alina Hamilton, Director, Young Discoverers Staff members, Young Discoverers Board members, Young Discoverers Other Invited Guests Departmental Staff Ministerial Staff	Site visit: Young Discoverers Care and Early Learning Centre, Highland Reserve- for Early Childhood Educators' Day
2 September 2026	Natalie Marr MP, Member for Thuringowa Principal, Staff and Students – Kirwan State School Other Invited Guests Ministerial Staff	School Visit and Official Opening: Kirwan State School - Multi-Purpose hall extension
2 September 2026	Facilitated community roundtable and youth voice roundtable discussion with: • Ms Natalie Marr, Member for Thuringowa • Mr Wayde Chiesa, Member for Hinchinbrook • Ms Janelle Poole, Member for Mundingburra	Event: North Queensland Region Anti-Bullying Roundtable – hosted at Kirwan State School

[1] Does not include personal, electorate or party political meetings or events, media events and interviews and information contrary to public interest (e.g. meetings regarding sensitive law enforcement, public safety or whistleblower matters).

	• Professor Donna Pendergast AM, Griffith University • state school principals • representatives from Catholic Education • representatives and principals from Independent Schools Queensland • representatives from community groups • students • Ministerial Staff • Departmental Staff	
3 September 2026	Minister Jason Clare MP, Minister for Education Donna Kirkland MP, Member for Rockhampton Nigel Hutton MP, Member for Keppel Glen Kelly MP, Member for Mirani Professor Nick Klomp, Vice-Chancellor and President CQUniversity Melissa Misztal, Chief of Staff, CQUniversity Other Invited Guests Departmental Staff Ministerial Staff	Site visit: Queensland Academies for Health Sciences Campus, Rockhampton.
3 September 2026	Glen Kelly MP, Member for Mirani Dr Phillip Moulds OAM, Headmaster of The Rockhampton Grammar School Mrs Rachael McDonald, Communications and Development Officer of The Rockhampton Grammar School Students Ministerial Staff	School Visit: The Rockhampton Grammar School visit
3 September 2026	Hon Jason Clare MP, Minister for Education Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
4 September 2026	Cr Vicki Howard, Brisbane City Council John 'JC' Collins AM, Night-Life Economy Commissioner Bernie Hogan, Chief Executive of the Queensland Hotels Association (QHA) Kristy Ellis, CEO, QMusic Neil Rickleman, Director of Finance and Corporate Services, QMusic Sarah Farnsworth, Director of Operations & Projects, QMusic Michelle Connery, Director of Partnerships, QMusic Other Invited Guests	Event: Bigsound – closing event

	Ministerial Staff	
4 September 2026	Her Excellency the Honourable Dr Jeannette Young AC PSM, Governor of Queensland The Hon Leeanne Enoch, Shadow Minister for the Arts The Right Honourable, the Lord Mayor of Brisbane, Councillor, Adrian Schrinner Karen Howard, Chair, South Bank Corporation Ebony Bott, Artistic Director, Brisbane Festival Charlie Cush, Chief Executive Officer, Brisbane Festival Other Invited Guests Ministerial Staff	Event: Brisbane Festival Opening Night Event and *Choir of Man*
5 September 2026	Her Excellency the Honourable Dr Jeannette Young AC, PSM, Governor of Queensland and Professor Graeme Nimmo RFD The Honourable Justice Thomas Bradley and Dr Matthew Yoong Hon Jarrod Bleijie MP, Deputy Premier, Minister for State Development, Infrastructure and Planning and Minister for Industrial Relations The Right Honourable, the Lord Mayor of Brisbane, Councillor, Adrian Schrinner Cr Fiona Cunningham, Deputy Lord Mayor, Brisbane City Council. Charlie Cush, Chief Executive Officer, Brisbane Festival Ebony Bott, Artistic Director, Brisbane Festival Other Invited Guests Ministerial Staff	Event: Riverfire by Australian Retirement Trust as part of Brisbane Festival d
6 September	Audience of ticket buyers Other Invited Guests	Event: Gilbert & Sullivan: A Soirée of Song and Satire
7 September 2026	Director-General, Department of Education and the Arts Departmental Staff Ministerial Staff	Ministerial Issues Briefing
7 September 2026	Director-General, Department of Education and the Arts Ministerial Staff	Pre-Cabinet Meeting

7 September 2026	Hon David Crisafulli MP, Premier and Minister for Veterans Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet
8 September 2026	Facilitated community roundtable and youth voice roundtable discussion with: • Geoff McDonald, Toowoomba Mayor and President of Safer Toowoomba Regional Partnerships Inc • Professor Donna Pendergast AM, Griffith University • Sharon Schimming, Director-General, Department of Education and the Arts • state school principals • representatives from Catholic Education • representatives and principals from Independent Schools Queensland • representatives from community groups • students • Ministerial Staff • Departmental Staff	Event: Darling Downs South West Anti-Bullying Roundtable – hosted at Wilsonton State High School
9 September 2026	Mark Campling, Chair, Queensland Curriculum and Assessment Authority (QCAA) QCAA Board members and Staff Ministerial Staff	QCAA Board meeting
9 September 2026	Sharon Schimming, Director-General, Department of Education and the Arts Departmental Staff Ministerial Staff	Pre-Brief: Cultural Ministers Meeting
9 September 2026	Charlie Cush, CEO, Brisbane Festival Sharon Schimming, Director-General, Department of Education Other Invited Guests and paying ticket holders Ministerial Staff Department Staff, including 211 state school students and teachers from the following schools: • Corinda State High School • Helensvale State High School • MacGregor State High School • Mountain Creek State High School • Nanango State High School • Redbank Plains State High School	Event: Strong is the New Pretty

	• Urangan State High School	
9 September 2026	Queensland Vice-Chancellors' Committee meeting: Professor Helne Bartlett, Chair, University of the Sunshine Coast Professor Margaret Sheil AO, Queensland University of Technology Professor Liz Burd, Griffith University Professor Nick Klomp, Central Queensland University Professor Tim Brailsford, Bond University Professor Deborah Terry AC, University of Queensland Professor Zlatko Skribis, Australian Catholic University Professor Glen Coleman, University Southern Queensland Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
9 September 2026	Katherine Connor, Executive Director, PAC Australia Criena Gehrke, Chair of PAC Australia PAC staff and members Ministerial Staff	Event: 2026 Australia Performing Arts Exchange - PAC – *IMPACT* Awards
10 September 2026	Laura Gerber MP, Member for Currumbin, Minister for Youth Justice and Victim Support and Minister for Corrective Services Meaghan Scanlon MP, Member for Gaven and Shadow Attorney-General, Shadow Minister for Justice, Shadow Minister for Housing, Homelessness and Home Ownership Councillor Mark Hammel, Deputy Mayor, Gold Coast City Council Gold Coast City Councillors Craig Davidson, CEO, Tourism and Events Queensland Shannon Best, Aboriginal leader and artist Lincoln Williams, Chairperson, SWELL Dee Steinfort, Executive Director, SWELL SWELL Board Members Dr Natasha Edwards, Artistic Director and Co-Founder, SWELL SWELL sponsors Patricia Piccinini and SWELL artists Ministerial Staff	Event: SWELL Sculpture Festival - Official Opening and Artists Awards Evening
11 September 2026	Ministerial Student Advisory Council Members	Portfolio Meeting

	Departmental Staff Ministerial Staff	
11 September 2026	Steven Minnikin MP, Minister for Customer Services and Open Data and Minister for Small and Family Business Councillor Vicki Howard, Brisbane City Council Lisa Henson, CEO, The Jim Henson Company Nicole Goldman, Executive Vice-President, The Jim Henson Company Jaqui Feeney, CEO, Screen Queensland Chris Saines, Director, QAGOMA Amanda Slack-Smith, Curatorial Manager, Australian Cinémathèque, QAGOMA Paul Taylor, Chair, Queensland Art Gallery Board of Trustees Members of the QAGOMA Board, Foundation Committee and Indigenous Advisory Panel Exhibition Patrons Other Invited Guests Ministerial Staff	Event: Official Opening of *Make, Believe, Magic: The Worlds of The Jim Henson Company*
14 September 2026	Director-General, Department of Education and the Arts Departmental Staff Ministerial Staff	Ministerial Issues Briefing
14 September 2026	Director-General, Department of Education and the Arts Ministerial Staff	Pre-Cabinet Meeting
14 September 2026	Hon David Crisafulli MP, Premier and Minister for Veterans Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet
15 September 2026	Jillian Segal AO, Special Envoy to Combat Antisemitism Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
15 September 2026	Hon David Crisafulli MP, Premier and Minister for Veterans Cabinet Ministers Members of Parliament	Parliament Sitting
15 September 2026	Jason Steinberg AM, President, Queensland Jewish Board of Deputies Inc. Benjamin Naday, Queensland Jewish Board of Deputies Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
15 September 2026	Tricia Alner, Chair, Screen Queensland	Portfolio Meeting

16 September 2026	Conference Delegates	Event: iEducate Conference 2026
16 September 2026	Honourable Adrian Piccoli, Korn Ferry Celia Jones, Korn Ferry Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
16 September 2026	The Honourable Tim Mander MP, Minister for Sport and Racing and Minister for Olympic and Paralympic Games Nick Marshall Ministerial Staff Departmental Staff	Portfolio Meeting
16 September 2026	The Honourable Tim Mander MP, Minister for Sport and Racing and Minister for Olympic and Paralympic Games Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
16 September 2026	Hon David Crisafulli MP, Premier and Minister for Veterans Cabinet Ministers Members of Parliament	Parliament Sitting
16 September 2026	Stephen Gniel, CEO, Australian Curriculum, Assessment and Reporting Authority Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
16 September 2026	Barton Green, Chair, Creative Brisbane Collab Creative Brisbane Collab, Board of Directors Members of Parliament Other Invited Guests Ministerial Staff	Event: 2026 Parliamentary Friends of Creativity
17 September 2026	Hon David Crisafulli MP, Premier and Minister for Veterans Cabinet Ministers Members of Parliament	Parliament Sitting
17 September 2026	Chris Mountford, Chief Executive Officer, Independent Schools Queensland Dr Phillip Moulds OAM, Board Chair, Independent Schools Queensland Callum Bentley, Corporate Affairs Deputy Director, Independent Schools Queensland Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
18 September 2026	The Honourable Tony Burke, MP, Minister for Home Affairs, Minister for Immigration and Citizenship, Minister for Cyber Security, Minister for the Arts, Leader of the House	Cultural Ministers Meeting

	State and Territory Cultural and Arts Ministers Sharon Schimming, Director-General, Department of Education and the Arts Departmental Staff Ministerial Staff	
19 September to 27 September 2026	Hon. John-Paul Langbroek MP on leave. The Hon. Fiona Simpon MP, Minister for Women and Women's Economic Security, Minister for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Partnerships and Minister for Multiculturalism was acting as Minister for Education and the Arts.	
26 September 2026	Bruce and Denise Morcombe Laura Gerber MP, Minister for Youth Justice and Victim Support and Minister for Corrective Services and Member for Currumbin Other Invited Guests Ministerial Staff	Daniel Morcombe Foundation - Red Ball
28 September 2026	Criena Gehrke, Chief Executive, Queensland Theatre Company Dan Evans, Artistic Director, Queensland Theatre Company Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
28 September 2026	Director-General, Department of Education and the Arts Departmental Staff Ministerial Staff	Ministerial Issues Briefing
28 September 2026	Director-General, Department of Education and the Arts Ministerial Staff	Pre-Cabinet Meeting
28 September 2026	Hon David Crisafulli MP, Premier and Minister for Veterans Cabinet Ministers	Cabinet
29 September 2026	The Hon. Steve Minnikin MP, Minister for Customer Services and Open Data, Minister for Small and Family Business Louise Bezzina, Chief Executive, Brisbane Powerhouse Luke Furness, Non-Executive Director, Brisbane Powerhouse Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
29 September 2026	Teagan Lowe, Executive Director, Ausdance Queensland Julia Tetteris, Marketing Coordinator, Ausdance Queensland Other Invited Guests Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
29 September 2026	Tim Horne, CEO, P&Cs Queensland Jordan Walsh, Chair, P&Cs Queensland Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting

30 September 2026	Ian Walker, Chair, Queensland Performing Arts Centre Dr Brett Mason, Chair, Queensland Museum Paul Taylor, Chair, Queensland Art Gallery and Gallery of Modern Art Ministerial Staff	Portfolio Meeting
30 September 2026	Cr Tom Tate, Mayor of the City of Gold Coast William Nikiforides, Managing Director, Niecon John Nikiforides, General Manager, Nieconq Members of the Nikiforides family Other Invited Guests Ministerial Staff	Event: Launch of Reflections on the Water

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