
STATES OF JERSEY



MEETINGS OF THE STATES IN 2025

**Presented to the States on 11th July 2024
by the Privileges and Procedures Committee**

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REPORT

The Privileges and Procedures Committee (PPC) is required to fix dates for States Assembly meetings for the following year no later than the end of September each year. Following a decision taken by PPC a number of years ago, the dates are drafted to avoid meetings during any school holiday periods. In 2025, School term dates are as follows:

- Spring term: 4th January to 27th March (half term 17th to 21st February)
- Summer term: 15th April to 19th July (half term 27th May to 30th May)
- Autumn term: 3rd September to 18th December (half term 27th October to 31st October)

Standing Orders 3 and 4 provide that –

3 Sessions of the States

1. There shall be 2 sessions of the States in each year during which they shall meet;
2. The 1st session shall start on the 3rd Tuesday in January and end no later than the last Tuesday in July;
3. The 2nd session shall start on the 2nd Tuesday in September and end no later than the 3rd Tuesday in December.

4 Planning days for meetings of the States

1. The PPC shall, no later than the end of September in each year, present to the States a list of days for meetings of the States in the 1st and 2nd sessions in the following year;
2. Ordinarily, a meeting day is a Tuesday;
3. The list may include continuation days.

In 2021, the States Assembly agreed to move to a 3 weekly cycle, therefore, the meeting dates for 2025 are detailed as an Appendix to this Report. School holidays have been avoided and the dates provide for 16 meetings (plus Liberation Day) including Friday as an additional continuation day.

As required by Standing Orders, the first meeting of 2025 will be on 21st January which is the third Tuesday of January. The 3 weekly cycle continues throughout the Spring term, avoiding meeting during the Spring half term (17th – 21st February). After Liberation Day, which falls on Friday 9th May, the States will then meet on 13th May, avoiding the summer half term (27th May to 30th May). The cycle continues with a 2 weekly date of 3rd June returning to the 3 weekly cycle until the last meeting before the summer recess, which will be on 8th July. The Committee proposes this date so as to avoid the school holidays (beginning 19th July).

As required by Standing Orders, the first meeting of the second session will be on the second Tuesday in September, namely 9th September 2025. The schools break for Christmas on 18th December 2025.

The first meeting of 2026 will be on Tuesday 20th January 2026.

States of Jersey
States Assembly



États de Jersey
Assemblée des États

2025 SESSIONS

In accordance with Standing Order 38, I hereby give notice that the Privileges and Procedures Committee has fixed the following days for the holding of meetings of the States in 2025.

First Session

	Continuation (if necessary)
January 21st	January 22nd, 23rd, and 24th
February 4th	February 5th, 6th and 7th
February 25th	February 26th, 27th and 28th
March 18th	March 19th, 20th and 21st
April 1st	April 2nd, 3rd and 4th
April 22nd	April 23rd, 24th and 25th
May 9th (Liberation Day)	
May 13th	May 14th, 15th and 16th
June 3rd	June 4th, 5th and 6th
June 24th	June 25th, 26th and 27th
July 8th	July 9th, 10th and 11th

Second Session

	Continuation (if necessary)
September 9th	September 10th, 11th and 12th
September 30th	October 1st, 2nd and 3rd
October 21st	October 22nd, 23rd and 24th
November 11th	November 12th, 13th and 14th
November 25th	November 26th, 27th and 28th
December 9th	December 10th, 11th and 12th

The first meeting of 2026 will be on 20th January 2026.

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Re-Issue Note

This report has been re-issued to fix the date for the first meeting of 2026.
