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Press release: 2017/18 school year to begin September 4

MONROVIA – The Ministry of Education issued the following statement regarding the beginning of the 2017/18 school year:

“All schools in Liberia – including public, private, faith-based and community schools, and schools within the Partnership Schools for Liberia (PSL) program – will open on Monday September 4, for the beginning of the 2017/18 school year.

Contrary to some false rumors, there will be no delay in the school year due to the upcoming elections. However, schools will be closed on election day, scheduled for Tuesday October 10, as some schools will be used as polling centers.

The Education Reform Act of 2011 stipulates that there must be a minimum of 200 school days each year, and this coming year will be no exception.

We will soon be releasing a detailed academic calendar for 2017/18.”

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