



THE REPUBLIC OF ZAMBIA



TENTATIVE PROGRAMME FOR THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE

VENUE: SAMFYA BOARDING SECONDARY DATES: 13TH APRIL TO 16TH APRIL, 2026

THEME: “Strengthening Competence-Based Learning Attainment in STEM Education: Effective Teaching, Supportive Learning Environments, and Authentic Assessment”

DAY	ACTIVITY	FACILITATOR	TIME
Sunday 12-04-26	Arrival of delegates at the conference Checking in	Secretariat and Planning	14:00-18:00
Monday 13-04-26 Day 1	House Keeping/Materials Distribution by Province	Secretariat	08:00-08:30
	Official Opening – COSTAZ President - Director –NSC - Host – PEO - Guest of Honour	President/Sec. General	08:30-11:20
	Conference Objectives	NEC	11:20 – 11:40
	CBC Interpretations of this year’s Theme – teachers perspective.	Ms. Nakalinga Jane	11:40-12:00
	The Digital Facilitator	Mr. Sianga Simata	12:00-13:00
	Lunch Break		13:00-14:00
	CBC Implementation in Zambia Insights from Education Standard Officers (ESOs)	Dr. Milandile Sylvester	14:00-15:00
	Healthy Break		15:00-15:10
	CBC Learner’s Portfolio	Mr. Hakubeza Cletus	15:10-16:00
Announcements – end of day 1	Secretariat	16:00-16:30	

Day 2 Tuesday 14-04-26	House Keeping	✓ Secretariat	08:30-08:40
	Boosting Performance in Computer Studies: Effective Preparation for Grade 9 & Grade 12 Exams	Mr. Mutuzana Misheck	08:40-09:20
	NSC presentation 1	NSC	09:20-10:00
	Healthy Break		10:00-10:10
	Programming for strengthening competence-based Learning in stem education	Mr. Silungwe	10:10-11:00
	ICT resource centers	Mr. Saini, NEC	11:00 – 12:00
	Hands on Lesson Planning, Scheming and Homework. ✓ Form 1 ✓ Form 2 ✓ Senior level	✓ Lusaka, Western, Eastern, Luapula, ✓ Muchinga, N/Western, Central ✓ Cpperbelt, Northern, Southern	12:00 - 13:00
	Lunch Break		13:00-14:00
	Lesson Demo ✓ Form 1 ✓ Form 2 ✓ Senior level Open discussion and adoption of Common Lesson plan, scheme of work, records of work and Homework record.	✓ Lusaka, Western, Eastern, Luapula, ✓ Muchinga, N/Western, Central ✓ Cpperbelt, Northern, Southern	14:00-16:00
	Mastering AI Chalkie in Zambia	✓ Mr. Mafukeni Effoti	16:00-16:30
Day 3 Wednesday 15-04-26	House Keeping/Announcements	Secretariat	08:00-08:30
	✓ Harmonizing computer science and ICT	✓ Mr. Nyombolo Chemist	08:30 – 09:10
	✓ Effective Teaching, Learning and Assessment through Content Mapping	✓ Mr Kampamba Nsofu	09:10 – 10:00
	Healthy Break		10:00-10:10
	Transforming Teaching (The power of 4 classroom practices)	Mr. Simpande Derick	10:10 – 11:00
	National Examinations: ✓ Examiners Report – Analysis of Results ddiscussion ✓ Assessment criterion	NEC/ ECZ/SESO	11:00-12:00 12:00-13:00
	Lunch Break		13:00-14:00
	Message from cooperating partners on reducing digital divide in underserved communities (video)	Wendy (Giakonda)	14:00 – 14:10
	GIAKONDA SOLAR SCHOOL	KANENE FRANCINS	14:10 – 15:00
	NSC Presentation 2	NSC	15:00 – 16:20
	Integrating AI in lesson Planning	Mr. Maboola - CDC	16:20-16:40
	Announcements – end of day 3	Secretariat	16:40 – 17:00

Day 4 Thursday 16-04-26	House Keeping	Secretariat	08:30-08:40
	COSTAZ website Familiarisation	NEC - PU	08:40 – 09:00
	Panel Discussions “CBC Implementation: Provincial Perspectives”	Secretariat	09:00 – 10:00
	REPORTS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ SG Report ✓ Financial Report ✓ PU report (Software/Systems showcasing) 	NEC	10:30 -11:00
	COSTITUTIONAL ELECCTIONS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Dissolution of NEC ✓ Voting ✓ Ushering in of new NEC Executive 	Returning officer	11:00
	CONFERENCE CLOSURE	NSC	14:00
Day 5 Friday 17-04-26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Departure – BON VOYAGE 		