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IMPORTANT PUBLIC NOTICE

Schools on St. Thomas Affected by Utility Interruptions Will Resume Regular Operations on Thursday, September 24, 2026

The Virgin Islands Department of Education (VIDE) informs students, parents, guardians, faculty, and staff, that all schools in the St. Thomas–St. John (STTJ) District will resume regular operations on Thursday, September 24, 2026.

The Bureau of School Construction and Maintenance (BSCM) has been notified by the Virgin Islands Water and Power Authority (WAPA) that electrical service will be restored to the Ivanna Eudora Kean High School.

Additionally, the water service interruption that impacted the Bertha C. Boschulte Middle School, Joseph Gomez Elementary School, and Ivanna Eudora Kean High School on Wednesday, September 23rd, has been resolved for school operations. These three schools were closed on Wednesday due to scheduled WAPA utility interruptions.

As a result, all schools throughout the STTJ District will be open and operate according to their regular schedules on Thursday, September 24, 2026. VIDE thanks students, families, faculty, staff, and the broader school community for their patience and understanding during the WAPA utility interruptions.

The safety and well-being of our students, faculty, and staff remain a priority for the Virgin Islands Department of Education.

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