

IAS Academic Calendar

2026-2027	
Date(s)	Events
AUGUST 2026	
19/08/2026	First Day of School for SLT / MLT
24/08/2026	Prophet's Birthday (TBA)
24/08/2026	First Day of School for All Staff
27/08/2026	Open House (From 9:00 AM till 2:00 PM)
31/08/2026	Start Of Academic Year for Students (Grades 1 - 12)
31/08/2026	KG1 Kick Start Day (Kindergarten)
SEPTEMBER 2026	
2/09/2026	KG2 Kick Start Day (Kindergarten)
7-18/09/2026	BOY Benchmark Testing (KG to 12)
7/09/2026 – 23/10/2026	CAT-4 Testing (Grades 3-9)
7/09/2026 – 23/09/2026	NGRT Testing (Grades 1-9)
28/09/2026 – 23/10/2026	ABT Testing (Grades 1-12)
14/09/2026 – 23/10/2026	Fall MAP Testing (grades 3-9), HMH Growth Testing (KG2 – Gr. 5)
OCTOBER 2026	
1-23/10/2026	Fall MAP Testing (grades 3-9), HMH Growth Testing (KG2 – Gr. 5)
9/10/2026	Semester 1 Progress Reports 1
12/10/2026	Parent-Teacher Conferences
12-16/10/2026	Mid-Semester Break for Students
13-16/10/2026	Mid-Semester Break for Staff
19-30/10/2026	Mid-Term Exams (Grades 6 – 12)
NOVEMBER 2026	
2-6/11/2026	Make-Up Exams (Grades 6-12)
3/11/2026	UAE Flag Day
13/11/2026	Semester 1 Progress Reports 2
16/11/2026	Parent-Teacher Conferences – Half Day for Students
23/11/2026 - 11/12/2026	Semester 1 Final Exams (Grades 6 - 12)
30/11/2026	UAE National Day Celebration (TBA)
DECEMBER 2026	
2-3/12/2026	UAE National Day Holiday (TBA)
7/12/2026 - 11/12/2026	Semester 1 Final Exams (Grades 6 - 12)
14/12/2026 - 1/1/2027	Winter Break for Students and Staff

JANUARY 2027	
01/01/2027	New Year Day
04/01/2027	School resumes for students and staff from Winter Break
04-15/01/2027	MOY Benchmark Testing (KG to 12)
4-8/01/2027	Make-Up Exams (Grades 6-12)
18/01/2027 – 12/02/2027	Winter MAP Testing (Grades 3-9), HMH Growth Testing (KG2 – Gr. 5)
22/01/2027	End of Semester 1 – Semester 1 Reports Issued
25/01/2027	Semester 2 Begins
25/01/2027	Parent-Teacher Conferences – Half Day for Students
FEBRUARY 2027	
7/02/2027	Ramadan Begins (TBA)
26/02/2027	Semester 2 Progress Reports 1
MARCH 2027	
08/03/2027	Eid Holiday (TBA)
15-26/03/2027	Mid-Term Exams (Grades 6 – 12)
29/03/2027 -2/04/2027	Make-Up Exams (Grades 6-12)
APRIL 2027	
5-9/04/2027	Spring Break for Students and Staff
12/04/2027	Resumes of students and staff from Spring Break vacation
12/04/2027 – 30/04/2027	NGRT Testing (Grades 1-9)
23/04/2027	Semester 2 Progress Reports 2
26/04/2027	Parent-Teacher Conferences – Half Day for Students
MAY 2027	
03-14/05/2027	AP Exams (Grades 11-12) (TBA)
03/05/2027 – 11/06/2027	ABT Testing (Grades 1-12)
03/05/2027 – 11/06/2027	Spring MAP Testing (grades 3-9), HMH Growth Testing (KG2 – Gr. 5)
16-19/05/2027	Eid Al Adha Holiday (TBA)
JUNE 2027	
01-04/06/2027	EOY Benchmark Testing (KG to 12)
01-11/06/2027	ABT Testing (Grades 1-12)
01-11/06/2027	Spring MAP Testing (grades 3-9), HMH Growth Testing (KG2 – Gr. 5)
01-15/06/2027	End of Semester Exams (Grade 12)
6/06/2027	Islamic New Year (TBA)
14-25/06/2027	End of Semester Exams (Grades 6-11)
18/06/2027	KG2 / Grade 12 Graduation
28/06/2027 – 2/07/2027	Make-Up Exams (Grades 6-11)
JULY 2027	
02/07/2027	Last Day for all students (students should be present till this date)
05/07/2027	Final Report Cards Issued
08/07/2027	Last Day for Teachers, Leadership, SLT & Academic Staff