



IAS Academic Calendar

2025-2026		
Date(s)	Events	
AUGUST 2025		
14/08/2025	First Day of School for SLT / MLT	
18/08/2025	First Day of School for All Staff	
22/08/2025	Open House (From 9:00 AM till 11:30 AM)	
25/08/2025	Start Of Academic Year for Students (Grades 1 - 12)	
25/08/2025	KG1 Kick Start Day (Kindergarten)	
26/08/2025	KG2 Kick Start Day (Kindergarten)	
SEPTEMBER 2025		
1-12/09/2025	BOY Benchmark Testing (KG to 12)	
<mark>8/09/2025 – 21/11/2025</mark>	CAT-4 Testing (Grades 3-9)	
5/09/2025	Prophet's Birthday (TBA)	
<mark>8/09/2025 – 14/10/2025</mark>	NGRT Testing (Grades 1-9)	
8/09/2025	International Literacy Day	
1-26/09/2025	ABT Testing (Grades 1-12)	
22/09/2025 – 14/10/2025	Fall MAP Testing (grades 3-9), HMH Growth Testing (KG2 – Gr. 5)	
OCTOBER 2025		
1-14/10/2025	Mid-Term Exams (Grades 6 – 12)	
1-14/10/2025	Fall MAP Testing (grades 3-9), HMH Growth Testing (KG2 – Gr. 5)	
3/10/2025	Semester 1 Progress Reports 1	
6/10/2025	Parent-Teacher Conferences – Half Day for Students	
15-17/10/2025	Mid-Semester Break for Students and Staff	
13-24/10/2025	Make-Up Exams (Grades 6-12)	
NOVEMBER 2025		
3/11/2025	UAE Flag Day	
14/11/2025	Semester 1 Progress Reports 2	
17/11/2025	Parent-Teacher Conferences – Half Day for Students	
17/11/2025 - 28/11/2025	Semester 1 Final Exams (Grades 6 - 12)	
DECEMBER 2025		
1/12/2025	UAE National Day Celebration (TBA)	
1 - 5/12/2025	End of Semester Makeup Exams (Grades 6 - 12)	
2-3/12/2025	UAE National Day Holiday	
8-12/12/2025	PD Week for Teachers	
8/12/2025 - 4/1/2026	Winter Break for Students	
15/12/2025 - 4/1/2026	Winter Break for Academic Staff	



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JANUARY 2026		
01/01/2026	New Year Day	
05/01/2026	School resumes for students and staff from Winter Break	
05-16/01/2026	MOY Benchmark Testing (KG to 12)	
5-9/01/2026	Make-Up Exams (Grades 6-12)	
19/01/2026 - 13/02/2026	Winter MAP Testing (Grades 3-9), HMH Growth Testing (KG2 – Gr. 5)	
16/01/2026	End of Semester 1 – Semester 1 Reports Issued	
19/01/2026	Semester 2 Begins	
19/01/2026	Parent-Teacher Conferences – Half Day for Students	
FEBRUARY 2026		
12-13/02/2026	Mid-Semester Break for Students and Staff	
16/02/2026	Ramadan Begins (TBA)	
27/02/2026	Semester 2 Progress Reports 1	
MARCH 2026		
02-13/03/2026	Mid-Term Exams (Grades 6 – 12)	
16-27/03/2026	Spring Break for Students and Staff	
19-22/03/2026	Eid Holiday (TBA)	
30/03/2026	Resumes of students and staff from Spring Break vacation	
APRIL 2026		
13-29/04/2026	NGRT Testing (Grades 1-9)	
06-10/04/2026	Make-Up Exams (Grades 6-12)	
15/04/2026 - 30/06/2026	ABT Testing (Grades 1-12)	
24/04/2026	Semester 2 Progress Reports 2	
27/04/2026	Parent-Teacher Conferences – Half Day for Students	
MAY 2026		
04-15/05/2026	AP Exams (Grades 11-12)	
26-29/05/2026	Eid Al Adha Holiday (TBA)	
JUNE 2026		
01-05/06/2026	EOY Benchmark Testing (KG to 12)	
08-19/06/2026	End of Semester Exams (Grade 12)	
15-25/06/2026	End of Semester Exams (Grades 6-11)	
16/06/2026	Islamic New Year (TBA)	
26/06/2026	KG2 / Grade 12 Graduation	
29/06/2026 – 2/07/2026	Make-Up Exams (Grades 6-11)	
JULY 2026		
03/07/2026	End of Semester 2 – Semester 2 Reports Issued	
03/07/2026	Last Day for all students (students should be present till this date)	
09/07/2026	Last Day for Teachers	
09/07/2026	Last Day for Leadership, SLT & Academic Staff	