



ACADEMIC CALENDAR

ACADEMIC YEAR 2026–2027

TERM 1 – AUTUMN TERM

DATE	KEY DATE / EVENT
17th August 2026, Monday	Old Teachers Returning to School
24 August 2026, Monday	New Teachers Joining & Induction Programme
31 August 2026, Monday	Students Return to School / First Day of Academic Year
15–16 October 2026, Thursday–Friday	Half-Term 1 Break
12–25 November 2026, Thursday–Wednesday	Term 1 Assessments
2–4 December 2026, Wednesday–Friday	UAE National Day Holidays
10–11 December 2026, Thursday–Friday	Parent-Teacher Meetings (Progress Review)
11 December 2026, Friday	Last Day of Term 1
14 December 2026 – 2 January 2027, Monday–Saturday	Winter Break

TERM 2 – WINTER TERM

DATE	KEY DATE / EVENT
4 January 2027, Monday	First Day of Term 2
17–19 February 2027, Wednesday–Friday	Half-Term 2 Break
25 February – 5 March 2027, Thursday–Friday	Term 2 Assessments
8–12 March 2027, Monday–Friday	Eid Al Fitr Holiday (Subject to Moon Sighting)
30–31 March 2027, Tuesday–Wednesday	Parent-Teacher Meetings
31 March 2027, Wednesday	Last Day of Term 2
5–11 April 2027, Monday–Sunday	Spring Break

TERM 3 – SPRING TERM

DATE	KEY DATE / EVENT
12 April 2027, Monday	First Day of Term 3
3–28 May 2027, Monday–Friday	External Assessments
17–18 May 2027, Monday–Tuesday	Eid Al Adha Holiday (Subject to Official Announcement)
3–10 June 2027, Thursday–Thursday	Term 3 Assessments
1 July 2027, Thursday	Parent-Teacher Meetings
2 July 2027, Friday	Last Day of Academic Year

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August 2026							September 2026							October 2026							November 2026						
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
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31																					30						
School Days: 1							School Days: 22							School Days: 20							School Days: 21						

December 2026							January 2027							February 2027							March 2027						
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21	22	23	24	25	26	27	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
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School Days: 6							School Days: 20							School Days: 17							School Days: 18						

April 2027							May 2027							June 2027							July 2027						
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School Days: 17							School Days: 19							School Days: 22							School Days: 2						

Academic Year (Total School Days) (Minimum days required to submit the calendar is 185)		Total days
The total number of days that students formally attend school and includes instructional days, examinations, academic and non-academic activities.		185