



مدرسة الإبداع
العلمي الدولية
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
OF CREATIVE SCIENCE
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CALENDAR

2023- 2024

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Summary School Calendar 2023-2024

Autumn Term	
Monday 28 th August 2023	First day of Academic Year for all students
Monday 16 th – Friday 20 th October 2023	Half Term Break (School closed for students)
Friday 8 th December 2023	Last Day of Term for all students
Monday 11 th – Friday 29 th December 2023	Winter Break (School closed for students)

Spring Term	
Tuesday 2 nd January 2024	Spring Term begins for students
Tuesday 13 th – Friday 16 th February 2024	Half Term Break (School closed for students)
Friday 22 nd March 2024	Last Day of Term for all students
Monday 25 th March – Friday 5 th April 2024	Spring Break (School closed for students)

Summer Term	
Monday 8 th April 2024	Summer Term begins for students
Friday 5 th July 2024	Last day of the Academic Year
Monday 8 th July – Friday 23 rd August 2024	Summer Break (School closed for students)



August 2023



Staff Induction

First Day of School for Students

School activity/events

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
First Day for Staff						
28	29	30	31			
First Day of School Term 1 begins						
Emirati Women's Day						



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September

	School activity/events
	Parents related
	Holiday/No School

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
			1	2	3	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			New to ISCS Parents Induction			
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
EYFS Curriculum Briefing for Parents	Y1-Y2 Curriculum Briefing for Parents	Y7 Curriculum Briefing for Parents	KS4 (Y10 and Y11) Curriculum Briefing for Parents	International Dot Day		
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Y8-Y9 Curriculum Briefing for Parents	Y3-Y4 Curriculum Briefing for Parents	KS5 (Y12 and Y13) Curriculum Briefing for Parents	Y5-Y6 Curriculum Briefing for Parents	International Day of Sign Languages		
25	26	27	28	29	30	
Sunnah Week Begins	Sunnah Week	Sunnah Week	Sunnah Week	Prophet Muhammad's (peace and blessings be upon him) Birthday (Al-Mawlid Al-Nabawi) holiday		
				World Heart Day		

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	Parents related		Pink Day
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October

	School activity/events		Holiday/No School
	Early Release (Staff CPD)		Staff related

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
						1
						Library Month Begins
						Dyslexia and ADHD Awareness Month Begins
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
World Space Week Begins	World Space Week	World Space Week	World Space Week	World Space Week		
International Day of Older Persons			World Teachers' Day			
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Book Fair (Autumn)	World Mental Health Day	Book Fair (Autumn)	Students Early Release (Staff CPD)	ISCS Dyslexia and ADHD Awareness Day		
	Parent-Teacher Meetings		Parent-Teacher Meetings			
	Book Fair (Autumn)		Book Fair (Autumn)			
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Half term break for students and staff						
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
		Pink Day- Breast Cancer Awareness	Autumn Art Competition Launch		Dubai Fitness Challenge 30x30 Begins	
30	31					
	Y5-Y6 BOYS Sports Day					

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	School activity/events
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November

Assessments

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
		1	2	3	4	5
		Stress Awareness Day	Y5-Y6 GIRLS Sports Day	UAE Flag Day		
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Y3 Sports Day	Y4 Sports Day	Y1 Sports Day	Y2 Sports Day	World Science Day for Peace and Development		
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
World Nursery Rhyme Week begins (EYFS only)	World Nursery Rhyme Week (EYFS only)	World Nursery Rhyme Week (EYFS only)	World Nursery Rhyme Week (EYFS only)	World Nursery Rhyme Week (EYFS only)		
World Kindness Day						
Anti-Bullying Week begins	Anti-Bullying Week	Anti-Bullying Week	Anti-Bullying Week	Anti-Bullying Week		
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
		Assessments	Assessments	Assessments		Dubai Fitness Challenge 30x30 Ends
27	28	29	30			
Assessments (Early dismissal for students)	UAE National Day Celebrations	Assessments (Early dismissal for students)	Martyrs' Day			
			Assessments (Early dismissal for students)			

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Holiday/No School

Assessments



December



School activity/events

Staff CPD

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
				1	2	3
				Commemoration Day Holiday	UAE National Day Holiday	UAE National Day Holiday
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Assessments (Early dismissal for students)	Assessments (Early dismissal for students)	Assessments (Early dismissal for students)	Assessments (Early dismissal for students)	Assessments (students finish at normal time 11:10am)		
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
PD week for staff	PD week for staff	PD week for staff	PD week for staff	PD week for staff		
Winter Break for Students						
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Winter Break for Students and Staff						
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Winter Break for Students and Staff						

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First Day of Trem2

Parents related



January

School activity/events	
Report Cards	

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
New Year's Day Holiday	Term 2 Begins		World Braille Day	Term 1 Report Cards Available		
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	EYFS Sports Day	Y7-Y9 BOYS Sports Day		Y7-Y9 GIRLS Sports Day		International LEGO Day
29	30	31				
	Y10 and Y11 Business Day-GIRLS	Y10 and Y11 Business Day-BOYS				



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February



Staff CPD

School activity/events

Parents related



Holiday/No School

Y11 Mock Exams Begin

* Tentative

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
			1	2	3	4
			World Hijab Day		Take Your Child to the Library Day	
			Innovation Month Begins			
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
	Parent Teacher Meetings	World Read Aloud Day	Parent-Teacher Meetings			
	Safer Internet Day		Students Early Release			
			Al-Isra' wal-Miraj*			
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Half term break for students					
19 (8 th Week)	20	21	22	23	24	25
			Year 11 KS5 Options (Parents' Workshop)			
26 (9 th Week)	27	28	29			
		Culture Day	Year 9 KS4 Options (Parents' Workshop)			



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March



Ramadan Begins*



Holiday/No School



School activity/events



Assessments

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
				1	2	3
				International Zero Discrimination Day	World Teen Mental Wellness Day	
				UAE Reading Months begins		
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Literacy Week begins	Literacy Week	Literacy Week	Literacy Week	Literacy Week		Ramadan Begins*
Book Fair (Spring)	Book Fair (Spring)	Book Fair (Spring) Year 11 KS5 Options (Parents' Workshop)	Book Fair (Spring) World Book Day	International Women's Day		British Science Week begins
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Assessments (*Ramadan considerations will be in place)	Assessments	Assessments	Assessments	Assessments		
British Science Week	British Science Week	British Science Week	British Science Week International Day of Mathematics (Pi Day)	British Science Week Emirati Children's Day		
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Assessments* (Early dismissal for students)	Assessments* (Early dismissal for students)	Assessments* (Early dismissal for students)	Assessments*			
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Spring Break for Students and Staff						



April 2024

School activity/events	First Day of Term3
Holiday/No School	Report Cards
	Staff related

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Spring Break for Students and Staff						
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Term 3 Begins (Staff CPD) Students are in School	Eid Al Fitr holiday*	Eid Al Fitr holiday*	Eid Al Fitr holiday*	Eid Al Fitr holiday*		
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Eid Celebration for Students			International Day for Monuments and Sites	Term 2 Report Cards Available		
World Art Day						
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Earth Day						World Day for Safety and Health at Work- SCHOOPER DAY :-)
29	30					
International Astronomy Day						



May 2024

	Staff related
	School activity/events
	Parents related

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
		1	2	3	4	5
		Mental Health Awareness Month begins				
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
		World Red Crescent Day	ISCS Art Exhibition	International Receptionists and Admin Staff Day		International Nurses Day
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Mental Health Awareness Week	Mental Health Awareness Week	Mental Health Awareness Week	Mental Health Awareness Week	Mental Health Awareness Week		
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		



June 2024

	Parents related		Assessments
	Staff CPD		Holiday/No School
	School activity/events		

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Parent-Teacher Meetings		Students Early Release Parent-Teacher Meetings		Empathy Day	
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		Assessments	Assessments	Assessments	Day of Arafah Holiday	Day of Arafah Holiday
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Day of Arafah Holiday	Day of Arafah Holiday	Assessments (Early dismissal for students)	Assessments (Early dismissal for students)	Assessments (students finish at normal time 11:10am)	EYFS Graduation Year 6 Graduation	Qur'an Ceremony Year 11 and Year 13 Graduation
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Assessments (Early dismissal for students)	Assessments (Early dismissal for students)	Assessments (Early dismissal for students)	Assessments (Early dismissal for students)	Assessments (students finish at normal time 11:10am)		

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July



Report Cards

Last Day for Students & Staff

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
				Term 3 Reports Available		
				Last Day of Term 3 for Students and Staff		
8 (13 th Week)	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				