



# Richmond International School

## Academic Calendar 2025-2026

AUGUST 2025 (1 day)						
wk	S	M	T	W	Th	F S
						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	28	29 30
1	31					

August	
24th to 28th	Staff inset days
31st	Start of the new academic year 2025-2026

FEBRUARY 2026 (17 days)						
wk	S	M	T	W	Th	F S
23	1	2	3	4	5	6 7
24	8	9	10	11	12	13 14
25	15	16	17	18	19	20 21
26	22	23	24	25	26	27 28

February	
8th	Sports Day event
10th	Sports Day Holiday
11th & 12th	School Holidays
15th	Safer Internet Day
22nd	RWI Assessment

SEPTEMBER 2025 (22 days)						
wk	S	M	T	W	Th	F S
1		1	2	3	4	5 6
2	7	8	9	10	11	12 13
3	14	15	16	17	18	19 20
4	21	22	23	24	25	26 27
5	28	29	30			

September	
22nd to 25th	Recycle Week event

MARCH 2026 (13 days)						
wk	S	M	T	W	Th	F S
27	1	2	3	4	5	6 7
28	8	9	10	11	12	13 14
29	15	16	17	18	19	20 21
30	22	23	24	25	26	27 28
31	29	30	31			

March	
1st	World Civil Defence Day
3rd to 12th	Midsemester 2/End of term 2 exams
12th	Garangao Celebration
15th to 23rd	Ramadan & Eid Al-Fitr Holidays
24th to 26th	School Holidays
29th	Staff and students return after the break

OCTOBER 2025 (17 days)						
wk	S	M	T	W	Th	F S
5				1	2	3 4
6	5	6	7	8	9	10 11
7	12	13	14	15	16	17 18
8	19	20	21	22	23	24 25
9	26	27	28	29	30	31

October	
12th	World Mental Health Day
26th to 30th	Midterm 1 Break
15th to 23rd	Mid semester 1/Half term 1 Exams
26th to 30th	Mid-Semester 1 Break

APRIL 2026 (19 days)						
wk	S	M	T	W	Th	F S
31				1	2	3 4
32	5	6	7	8	9	10 11
33	12	13	14	15	16	17 18
34	19	20	21	22	23	24 25
35	26	27	28	29	30	

April	
6th	Richmond Unity Day "One world, Many Voices"
7th	School Holiday
8th & 9th	Long Weekend Holidays
15th & 22nd	Parent-Teacher Conference
23rd	World Book Day

NOVEMBER 2025 (21 days)						
wk	S	M	T	W	Th	F S
9						1
10	2	3	4	5	6	7 8
11	9	10	11	12	13	14 15
12	16	17	18	19	20	21 22
13	23	24	25	26	27	28 29
14	30					

November	
2nd	Staff and students return after the break
5th	RWI Assessment
9th	Anti-Bullying week event
10th	World Science Day
19th & 26th	Parent-Teacher Conference
20th	Children's Day

MAY 2026 (16 days)						
wk	S	M	T	W	Th	F S
35						1 2
36	3	4	5	6	7	8 9
37	10	11	12	13	14	15 16
38	17	18	19	20	21	22 23
39	24	25	26	27	28	29 30
40	31					

May	
12th	Road Safety Day
20th	World Numeracy Day
24th & 25th	School Holidays
26th to 28th	Eid Al-Adha Holidays
31st	Staff and students return after the break

DECEMBER 2025 (13 days)						
wk	S	M	T	W	Th	F S
14		1	2	3	4	5 6
15	7	8	9	10	11	12 13
16	14	15	16	17	18	19 20
17	21	22	23	24	25	26 27
18	28	29	30	31		

December	
7th to 16th	End of semester 1/End of term 1 exams
17th	Qatar National Day celebration at school
18th	Qatar National Day Holiday
21st	Start of Winter Vacation

JUNE 2026 (22 days)						
wk	S	M	T	W	Th	F S
40		1	2	3	4	5 6
41	7	8	9	10	11	12 13
42	14	15	16	17	18	19 20
43	21	22	23	24	25	26 27
44	28	29	30			

June	
4th	World Environment Day "End Plastic Pollution"
7th	RWI Assessment
11th	Richmond Unity Day "United in Learning"
14th to 22nd	End of semester 2/End of term 3 exams
30th	Last Day of the academic year for students

JANUARY 2026 (19 days)						
wk	S	M	T	W	Th	F S
18					1	2 3
19	4	5	6	7	8	9 10
20	11	12	13	14	15	16 17
21	18	19	20	21	22	23 24
22	25	26	27	28	29	30 31

January	
5th	Staff & students return after the winter vacation
13th	Make your Dream Come True event
25th	Richmond Unity Day "Caring Connections"

Jul-26						
wk	S	M	T	W	Th	F S
44				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	28	29	30	31

July	
1st and 2nd	Staff Inset Days

School Holiday for students

**Total 180 Instructional Days for Students**  
**Total 187 Working Days for Teachers**

### Key Dates for Students

#### Term 1 (Autumn)

31 Aug - Start of Term 1  
 15 to 23 Oct - Mid Sem 1/Half Term 1 Exams  
 26 to 30 Oct - Mid Semester 1 Break  
 7 to 16 Dec - End of Semester 1/Term 1 Exams  
 18 Dec - Qatar National Day Holiday  
 21 Dec to 4 Jan Dec - Winter Vacation

#### Term 2 (Spring)

5 Jan - Start of Term 2  
 10 Feb - National Sports Holiday  
 11 and 12 Feb - School Holidays  
 3 to 12 Mar - Mid Sem 2/End of Term 2 Exams  
 15 to 23 Mar - Ramadan & Ei Al-Fitr Holiday  
 24 to 26 Mar - School Holidays

#### Term 3 (Summer)

29 March 2026 - Start of Term 3  
 24 and 25 May - School Holidays  
 26 to 28 May 2026 - Ei Al-Adha Holiday  
 14 to 22 June 2026 - End of Semester 2 / Term 3 Examinations  
 1 July to 20 August 2026 - Summer Vacation