



Parent Calendar AY 2024-25



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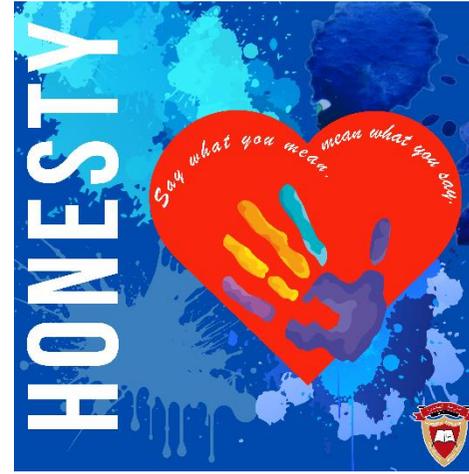
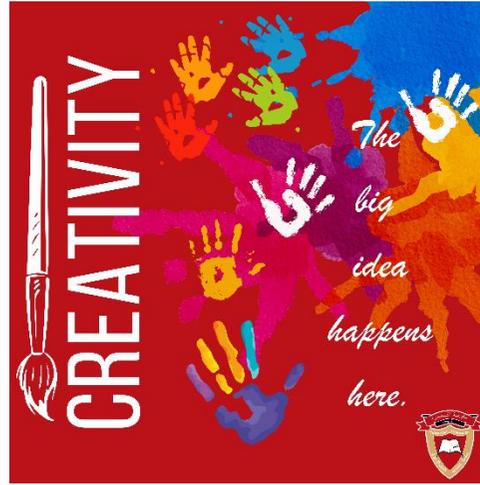
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BRITISH SCHOOLS IN THE MIDDLE EAST



OUR MISSION

To develop a community of creative and independent learners, sensitive and tolerant to the needs of a diverse global society.



OUR VISION

To empower each individual with creativity and values to become compassionate life-long learners, enabling them to be contributing global citizens.



August 2024

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| 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| 12 First working day for the SLT | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 |
| 19 First working day for the teachers | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26 First academic day for students – FS2, Year 5,6,11,12,13 | 27 First academic day for students – Year 1,2,3,4,10 | 28 First academic day for students – Fs1, Year 7,8,9 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 1 |

September 2024

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| 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 1 |
| 2 | 3 FS Red around us | 4 Orientation Primary | 5 FS Dive into Blue International Charity Day | 6 FS Back to School Party Interschool Islamic Competition | 7 | 8 |
| 9 FS Sunny Yellow Day Orientation FS | 10 Seerah Quiz Coffee Morning 7 to 9 | 11 FS leafy Green Day Coffee morning | 12 Arabic Coffee morning with parents | 13 Teddy's Tea & Treats Essay writing [Prophet Mohammed] | 14 | 15 |
| 16 Alkawlid alnabawy FS Match & Style International Dot Day LITERACY MONTH - Launch | 17 YR 10-13 Student Orientation | 18 Book Review Secondary Staff Reading | 19 UniExpo 2024 Parent VS Teachers football match | 20 Oratorical Competition [Theme- Seerah] | 21 National Fitness Day International day of peace | 22 |
| 23 Primary Field trip Think Ink | 24 Primary field trip Parent Council Formation | 25 FS coffee afternoon Arabic Book character | 26 Arabic Book character | 27 FS Friendship Day | 28 | 29 |
| 30 FS Enterprise Day Career Educational path induction | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |

October 2024

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| 30 | 1 FS Field Trip – Olli LETTER TO FAVOURITE CHARACTER | 2 Student Leadership Ceremony | 3 Arabic Spelling Bee Economics Debate | 4 World Animal Day PRESENTATION-PODCAST | 5 Teacher's day | 6 |
| 7 Arabic Reading competition Najah Expo 2024 | 8 | 9 Healthy Smiles with the Doctor Field trip Primary | 10 Eco-Friendly Fashion Show Mufti day Mental Health day | 11 Mufti day Arabic writing competition Pink Day | 12 | 13 Breast cancer Awareness Day |
| 14 World Space Week | 15 M2C- Mathematical Modelling Challenge | 16 Mid Term Break for Students  | 17 Mid Term Break for Students  | 18 Mid Term Break for Students  | 19 | 20 World Statistic day |
| 21 FS Picture Story time Sports day primary Sustainability week | 22 Sports day primary World recycle Week | 23 Sports day primary | 24 FS Arabic Book Character Day Sustainability week Commerce quiz | 25 Umrah Simulation (Organizers) | 26 | 27 |
| 28 Maths Week Activities Arabic poetry competition Field Trip Secondary | 29 Magical Puppet Theater Science week Field Trip Secondary | 30 Qiraat Competition Inter house competition | 31 Enterprise Day - Movie Day Science Fair TEDOX -MATHS TALK | 1 | 2 | 3 |

November 2024

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| 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | 1 FS Pajama Day Seminar | 2 | 3 UAE Flag Day  |
| 4 Health & Safety training for staff | 5 FS Pet Palooza | 6 Sports day secondary Field trip secondary | 7 Sports Day Secondary Field trip secondary | 8 Fit Together with Dad | 9 | 10 |
| 11 FS Augmented reality Exploration Day Student Session – Exam tips | 12 Dubai fitness challenge Parent Workshop | 13 FS Coffee Afternoon Science Fair secondary | 14 Clinic Internship World diabetes day | 15 Eco Warriors Assembly Fitness with dad challenge MathExpo | 16 International day for tolerance | 17 |
| 18 Anti-bullying week | 19 Math Meets Art MUN | 20 MUN World children's day | 21 Arabic Souq -Entrepreneur Day Entrepreneurship Day Primary | 22 Islamic Exhibition | 23 | 24 |
| 25 Mock 1/End of Term Examinations – Year 2 – 13 | 26 Mock 1/End of Term Examinations – Year 2 – 13 | 27 Coffee morning with parents | 28 Mock 1/End of Term Examinations – Year 2 – 13 | 29 Mock 1/End of Term Examinations – Year 2 – 13 Pet Day Primary | 30 UAE Martyrs day  | 1 |

December 2024

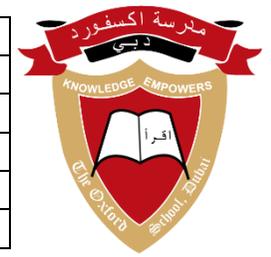
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| 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 1 |
| 2 UAE National Day  | 3 Mock 1/End of Term Examinations – Year 2 – 13 Government Holiday | 4 Mock 1/End of Term Examinations – Year 2 – 13 | 5 Mock 1/End of Term Examinations – Year 2 – 13 | 6 Mock 1/End of Term Examinations – Year 2 – 13 | 7 | 8 |
| 9 Mock 1/End of Term Examinations – Year 2 – 13 | 10 Mock 1/End of Term Examinations – Year 2 – 13 | 11 Mock 1/End of Term Examinations – Year 2 – 13 | 12 Mock 1/End of Term Examinations – Year 2 – 13 FS Picnic Day | 13 Mock 1/End of Term Examinations – Year 2 – 13 PTC 11-13 FS Winter Party | 14 | 15 |
| 16 Winter break starts for students Support Class 11-13 | 17 Support Class 11-13  Winter Break! | 18 Support Class 11-13 Arabic language day Alumni meet | 19 Support Class 11-13  Winter Break! | 20 Support Class 11-13  Winter Break! | 21  Winter Break! | 22  Winter Break! |
| 23  Winter Break! | 24  Winter Break! | 25  Winter Break! | 26  Winter Break! | 27  Winter Break! | 28  Winter Break! | 29  Winter Break! |
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January 2025

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| 30 | 31 | 1  Winter Break! | 2  Winter Break! | 3  Winter Break! | 4 | 5 |
| 6 Term 2: All students return | 7 | 8 Webinar with parents on supporting children education | 9 Reading with mom | 10 Term 1 Parent Teacher Conference – FS to Year 13 Book Mojo Arabic Reading competition | 11 | 12 |
| 13 Rhyme Fiesta Young Entrepreneur day | 14 | 15 Science Seminar YR 10-13 Arabic Writing competition | 16 Read-a-thon Enterprise Day YR 7-13 Athan competition Boys YR 5-13 | 17 English Expo Mom's Appreciation Day | 18 | 19 |
| 20 Story Relay Challenge Inter learns school sports competition | 21 TOS got talent Inter school UAE Emirati cultural awareness quiz | 22 FS Sports Day Coffee Afternoon Arabic Poetry competition | 23 Lemonade Splash Day - Enterprise Day Science Inter Class debate JAM(Just a minute) | 24 International day of education Islamic Teaching day | 25 | 26 |
| 27 Trip to Green Planet Readathon | 28 Primary Field trip Digital painting competition | 29 Primary Field trip Coding and Story Telling | 30 MATHS WHIZZ TOS Career Fair | 31 | 1 | 2 |

February 2025

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| 3 Stem week Read Aloud Day | 4 Embracing Grandparent's Love | 5 Field trip primary Inter House Math's Quiz Arabic reading Competition year 7 to year 11 | 6 Qirath Ul Yawm TECHTOS Arabic writing Competition year 7 to year 11 | 7 Mufti day Arabic Poetry Competition year 7 to year 11 | 8 | 9 |
| 10 IGCSE parent and student orientation Year 9 | 11 Haq Al Laila Seminar YR 13 Kidovation Extravaganza International day of woman & girls in science | 12 Mid Term Break for students  | 13 Mid Term Break for students  | 14 Mid Term Break for students  | 15 Mid Term Break for students | 16 Mid Term Break for students |
| 17 Art Fiesta A level parent and student orientation | 18 Travel Plan Competition | 19 Female staff sports competition | 20 Field Trip - Fire station | 21 International Mother language day | 22 | 23 |
| 24 Joyful Play Junction IGCSE parent and student orientation Year 8 | 25 Mock 2 Examinations for Year 11 – 13 | 26 Mock 2 Examinations for Year 11 – 13 TOS Primary spelling bee competition | 27 Mock 2 Examinations for Year 11 – 13 Charming Storytellers Islamic Debate YR 10-13 | 28 Mock 2 Examinations for Year 11 – 13 | 1 | 2 |

March 2025

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| 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 1 | 2 |
| 3 Mock 2 Examinations for Year 11 – 13 Summer Bubble Party | 4 Mock 2 Examinations for Year 11 – 13 | 5 Mock 2 Examinations for Year 11 – 13 FS Scientist Day | 6 Mock 2 Examinations for Year 11 – 13 | 7 Mock 2 Examinations for Year 11 – 13 | 8 Women's Day | 9 |
| 10 Mock 2 Examinations for Year 11 – 13 Creative Scribbles challenge | 11 Mock 2/ End of Term Exams for Year 2 – 13 | 12 Mock 2/ End of Term Exams for Year 2 – 13 FS Theatre Day | 13 Mock 2/ End of Term Exams for Year 2 – 13 | 14 Mock 2/ End of Term Exams for Year 2 – 13 Emirati Child Day International Pi Day | 15 Potluck Iftar | 16 |
| 17 Mock 2/ End of Term Exams for Year 2 – 13 Urdu Cultural Day | 18 Mock 2/ End of Term Exams for Year 2 – 13 Toy swap celebration - Enterprise Day Recycling Day | 19 Mock 2/ End of Term Exams for Year 2 – 13 | 20 Mime and Guess Challenge French Language Day | 21 UAE Mother's Day Poetry Day YR 7-10 | 22 Worlds Water Day PTC Year 11-13 | 23 |
| 24 Spring break starts for the students Support Class 11-13 | 25 Support Class 11-13 SPRING BREAK | 26 Support Class 11-13 SPRING BREAK | 27 Support Class 11-13 SPRING BREAK | 28 Support Class 11-13 SPRING BREAK | 29 SPRING BREAK | 30 SPRING BREAK |
| 31 Government Holiday (EID AL – FITR) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |

April 2025

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| 31 | 1 Government Holiday (EID AL – FITR) | 2 SPRING BREAK | 3 SPRING BREAK | 4 SPRING BREAK | 5 SPRING BREAK | 6 SPRING BREAK |
| 7 Spring break ends for the students world's health and fitness day | 8 Parent Workshop – 11-13 | 9 Business Plan Competition | 10 | 11 Term 2 Parent Teacher Conference – FS to Year 13 | 12 | 13 |
| 14 Science Meets Art Fun | 15 Urdu Festival day | 16 Smart Eating with Dr. Urdu Poetry Competition | 17 Creative writing Competition | 18 Qira'at competition | 19 | 20 |
| 21 Math Mania World creativity and innovation day | 22 Earth day PBL presentation | 23 Chess Competition Coffee Afternoon | 24 Primary poem recitation | 25 Drama YR 7-9 | 26 | 27 |
| 28 Green Symposium | 29 Writing Relay challenge | 30 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

May 2025

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| 28 | 29 | 30 | 1 "MathsCounts" -Interschool Math's Video Challenge | 2 Arabic Writing competition | 3 | 4 |
| 5 World Astronomy day MFL week | 6 | 7 | 8 Creative Scribbles Mother's Day | 9 Arabic Reading competition | 10 | 11 |
| 12 Buddy Reading TECHBONE YR 7-9 | 13 Field trips Primary | 14 Field trips Primary | 15 Trip to Children's day Transition year 6 Hajj Simulation | 16 Hajj Simulation | 17 | 18 |
| 19 Kindness Carnival Interschool Science Documentary competition | 20 | 21 Animal Art Safari Day Cultural diversity day | 22 Biological Diversity Day | 23 Arabic Poetry competition | 24 | 25 |
| 26 | 27 | 28 Enterprise Day - Book exchange | 29 Appreciation Ceremony for Gifted & Talented Students | 30 Crazy hat day Arabic spelling bee | 31 | 1 |

June 2025

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| 2 | 3 World environment day | 4 Islamic Debate YR 7-11 | 5 Government Holiday (EID AL – ADHA) International day for yoga | 6 Government Holiday (EID AL – ADHA) | 7 | 8 World Ocean day |
| 9 End of Term Exams - Year 2 – 10 | 10 End of Term Exams - Year 2 – 10 | 11 End of Term Exams - Year 2 – 10 | 12 End of Term Exams - Year 2 – 10 | 13 End of Term Exams - Year 2 – 10 FS Concert | 14 | 15 |
| 16 End of Term Exams - Year 2 – 10 | 17 End of Term Exams - Year 2 – 10 | 18 End of Term Exams - Year 2 – 10 FS Graduation | 19 End of Term Exams - Year 2 – 10 | 20 End of Term Exams - Year 2 – 10 | 21 Father's day World music day | 22 |
| 23 Graduation YR 6 | 24 Graduation YR 13 | 25 End term party | 26 Government Holiday (Islamic New Year) | 27 Last academic day for Students Term 3 Parent Teacher Conference – Year FS to Year 10 | 28 | 29 |
| 30 SUMMER BREAK | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |

July 2025

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