



2017-2018 SCHOOL YEAR CALENDAR

Calendar updated Aug 24, 2017

Approved by Board of Trustees - Dec 1 2016

	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	No of Days	Summer Holiday 2017: Jun 16 – Aug 21 2017
AUG		1	2	3	4	5	6	8	21: New Families Orientation / 22: DAY 1 K-12 classes start; PreK3/4 orientation / 23-25: modified PreK schedule 28 Aug – 1 Sep: IDEALS Week (Sec)
	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					
SEPT					21	2	3	20	5: MNG/KOR Info Evening / 6: Back-to-School Evening 12/13: Listening Conferences (12th on PM / 13th on AM) / 16: Fall Fair+25 th Anniversary 19: CCAs begin / 22: Australian University Fair (12:00-13:10) 29/30: PD Days (no classes on 29th)
	34	4	5	6	7	8	9		
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17		
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24		
	25	26	27	28	29	30			
OCT							1	16	7: SAT / 9: Early Closure Day: for Faculty PD students dismissed at 12.00 noon / 11:PSAT(Gr10, 11) / 13, 14: Global University Fair 16 – 20: International Week (19 th : Int'l Food Night) / 19: Progress Reports (Sec) Oct 23 – 27: AUTUMN BREAK 30: Chinggis Khan's Birthday Holiday TENTATIVE-
	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					
NOV			21	22	23	24	25	21	2 (day) / 3 (evening): 3-Way Conf (no classes Pri & Sec on Nov 3 rd) / 4: SAT 6-12:ACAMIS Volleyball-Harrows Beijing 20-24: Literacy Week 27: Independence Day Holiday TENTATIVE
	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		
DEC					11	12	13	11	2: SAT 8/9: Secondary Drama Production 14: Primary Winter Concert (PreK-G1 am + G2-5 evening) / 15: noon dismissal Dec 18 2017 – Jan 5 2018: WINTER BREAK
	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		
JAN	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	18	12-24: DP2 Mock Exams 15-19: MYP4-5/DP1 Sem Exams 25: Semester 1 Ends / 26: Semester 2 Begins 29: PYP/MYP Sem 1 Reports issued
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14		
	15	16	17	18	19	20	21		
	22	23	24	25	26	27	28		
	29	30	31						
FEB				21	22	23	24	17	1: G11 University Information Evening/ 1-4:ACAMIS Basketball-Beijing 5: Early Closure Day: for Faculty PD students dismissed 12.00 noon Feb 16 + 19-20: Tsagaan Sar Holiday TENTATIVE 22: 3-Way Conf (evening) / 23: 3-Way Conf (day) (no classes on 23 rd)
	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		
MAR				41	42	43	44	21	7: G10 DP Information Evening / 8: International Women's Day/ 10: SAT 12: PYP Exhibition (G5) Retreat / 16: DP Visual Arts Exhibition 22: Gr 10 MYP Personal Proj Presentations / 23: Celebration of Language Learning (Pri)
	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		
APR							1	16	Apr 2 – Apr 6: SPRING BREAK 13: MYP/DP Progress Reports issued 18-22: ACAMIS Football - Suzhou 25: Celebration of Lang Learnng (Sec) / 26: Student-led Conferences 27: DP 2 Exams (until May 25)
	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		
MAY		4	5	6	7	8	9	23	3: PYP Exhibition / 5: Run-4-Water; SAT 10: Piano Recital 16: Evening of the Creative Arts / 18: Sports Banquet 25: Grade 12 Graduation Ceremony 28-31: G9/10 Exams / 29: Gr 5-6 Prnt Info Mtg / 30: Primary Musical
	10	11	12	13	14	15	16		
	17	18	19	20	21	22	23		
	24	25	26	27	28	29	30		
	31								
JUN				1	2	3		9	1: Children's Day / 2: SAT 4-8: Primary Camps 11: Sem 2 Reports Out / 13: Field Day / 14: Students' Final Day (dismissed at noon) STUDENT SUMMER BREAK 2018: Jun 15 – Aug 13 2018
	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	Jul 1		

Total no. of Student Instructional Days = 180



SPECIAL DATES & EVENTS FOR PARENTS

SCHOOL YEAR 2017-2018



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Please note that dates may change. The ISU website calendar will always have the most current calendar dates.

- Aug 21:** **New Families Orientation** – information session for all new ISU students and their families
- Aug 22:** **Opening day of school year** – DAY 1: opening celebration at 08.00 at sports field back (of school)
- Sep 5:** **Information evening for Korean and Mongolian parents** – presented in Korean & Mongolian
- Sep 6:** **Back-to-school information evening** – meet the teachers, meet other parents – for all parents
- Sep 12-13:** **Listening Conferences** (12th on PM / 13th on AM) – parents informing teachers about their child
- Sep 16:** **Fall Fair & 25th Anniversary** – half day of fun, games, vendors for whole ISU community
- Sep 29:** **Professional Development Day for Staff** – students don't attend school; no classes this day
- Oct 9:** **Early Closure Day: Faculty Professional Development** – students dismissed at 12.00 noon
- Oct 16-20:** **International Week** – featuring international assembly mid-wk; **INTERNATIONAL FOOD NIGHT** on 19th
- Nov 2/3:** **Parent/Teacher/Student 3-Way Conferences** – discussing child's progress – daytime on 2nd / evening on 3rd
- Dec 8/9:** **Secondary School Drama Production**
- Dec 14:** **Primary School Winter Concert**
- Dec 15:** **Early Closure Day to start Winter Break** – students dismissed at 12.00 noon

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- Jan 8:** **Welcome back from Winter Break** – school re-starts on DAY 5 on this day
- Feb 1:** **Gr 11 University information evening** – for Gr 11 parents & students planning for university after Gr 12
- Feb 5:** **Early Closure Day: Faculty Professional Development** – students dismissed at 12.00 noon
- Feb 22-23:** **Parent/Teacher/Student 3-Way Conferences** – discussing child's progress – evening on 22nd/ all day 23rd
- Mar 7:** **Gr 10 DP Information evening** – for all Gr 10 students and parents – information about Diploma Prog.
- Mar 16:** **DP Visual Arts exhibition evening** – gallery display of Gr 11 and 12 student art; opening on evening of 16th;
- Mar 22:** **Gr 10 MYP Personal Project presentations** – Gr. 10 students present their projects
- Mar 23:** **Celebration of Language Learning – Primary** students demonstrate their language talents
- Apr 25:** **Celebration of Language Learning – Secondary** students demonstrate their language talents
- Apr 26:** **Student-led conferences** – Primary and Secondary students show parents their learning for this year
- May 3:** **Gr 5 PYP Exhibition** – Gr 5 students present results of their PYP Exhibition Project research and action
- May 5:** **Run-for-Water** – annual fund raising event to benefit local water conservation and treatment efforts
- May 10:** **Piano Recital:** all parents and staff warmly invited to recital performances by piano students
- May 16:** **Evening of the Creative Arts** – ISU students show their creative talents in visual and performing arts
- May 18:** **Sports Banquet** – sports awards presented for 3 ACAMIS sports tournaments
- May 25:** **Gr 12 Graduation Ceremony** – presenting graduating Gr 12 students with their ISU Diplomas
- May 29:** **Gr 5-6 Parent information morning** – for Gr 5 parents re challenges moving from Gr 5 to Gr 6
- May 30:** **Primary Musical Production**
- Jun 6:** **Volunteers Appreciation Tea** – at 14.00: thank you to all volunteers during 2017-2018
- Jun 13:** **ISU Field Day** – a full day of friendly House competition on the sports fields for Primary and Secondary
- Jun 14:** **Final Day** – last day of school for students - dismissed at 12.00 noon