



BERKSHIRE SCHOOL

2019-2020 Parent Calendar

**Vacations begin after students have met all their obligations or at times noted; vacations end at times noted.*

02/26/2019

AUGUST

29	Thursday	Prefects and New International Students arrive: Dorms open at 1pm; Registration 2-3:30pm
29-30	Thurs-Fri	Prefect Orientation
30	Friday	New International Student/Parent Orientation
31	Saturday	New Students arrive: Dorms open at 9am; Registration 9am-12pm
31-9/2	Sat-Mon	New Student Orientation

SEPTEMBER

2	Monday	Returning Students arrive: Dorms open at 9am; Registration 9am-12pm
3	Tuesday	First Semester begins
7-8	Sat-Sun	Closed Weekend: students remain on campus
13-14	Fri-Sat	Third-Form Leadership Retreat
14-15	Sat-Sun	Closed Weekend: students remain on campus
23	Monday	No Classes

OCTOBER

10-12	Thurs Eve-Sat	Fall Parents' Weekend
12	Saturday	Fall Weekend begins (students leave <u>AFTER</u> their last commitment)*
15	Tuesday	Fall Weekend ends by 8pm*
19	Saturday	First Quarter ends
19-20	Sat-Sun	Closed Weekend: students remain on campus
21	Monday	Second Quarter begins

NOVEMBER

23	Saturday	Thanksgiving Recess begins at 11:30am (<u>AFTER</u> classes)*
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DECEMBER

2	Monday	Thanksgiving Recess ends by 8pm*
13	Friday	Second Quarter ends
14-15	Sat-Sun	Closed Weekend: students remain on campus
15-19	Sun-Thurs	First Semester Assessment Period
19	Thursday	Winter Recess begins at 11:30am (<u>AFTER</u> last commitment)*

JANUARY

5	Sunday	Winter Recess ends by 8pm*
6	Monday	Second Semester begins

FEBRUARY

1-2	Sat-Sun	Closed Weekend: students remain on campus
5-6	Wed-Thurs	College Program: Form V and Parents
6	Thursday	Winter Weekend begins at 11:30am (<u>AFTER</u> classes)*
10	Monday	Winter Weekend ends by 8pm*
21-22	Fri-Sat	Winter Parents' Weekend
29	Saturday	Third Quarter ends

MARCH

1-7	Sun-Sat	"Pro Vita" Winter Session
7	Saturday	Spring Recess begins at 11:30am (<u>AFTER</u> classes)*
25	Wednesday	Spring Recess ends by 8pm*
26	Thursday	Fourth Quarter begins

APRIL

20	Monday	No Classes
24-25	Fri-Sat	Spring Grandparents' Weekend

MAY

16-17	Sat-Sun	Closed Weekend (<u>VI Form</u>): students remain on campus
17-20	Sun-Wed	Sixth-Form Assessment Period
21	Thursday	Fourth Quarter ends
	Thursday	Sixth Form and Parent Dinner; Prize Night Ceremony and Dessert Reception
22	Friday	Commencement, 11am; Graduates depart by 3pm
23-24	Sat-Sun	Closed Weekend (<u>III-V Forms</u>): students remain on campus
24-28	Sun-Thurs	Underform Assessment Period: students may depart after their last exam