

Ashgabat International School - 2026-2027 Calendar of School Events

**This schedule is tentative and could be subject to change.*

August

- 10-12 New Teacher In-service
- 13-19 All Staff In-service
- 19 Meet & Greet your Teacher
- 20 Term 1 begins. First Day of School for Students. **Full Day.**
- 25, 26, 27 - Auditions for Secondary Musical
- 29 Welcome Back Family Picnic
- 31 Afterschool Activities & Clubs Begin

September

- 9 Back to School Night
- 14 MAP Testing Window Opens
- 25 Turkmen Day
- 28 - Independence Day of Turkmenistan - **No School**

October

- 4 - Soccer Tournament (Sundays until Nov 4)
- 5 **No School** - Professional Development for Teachers
- 6 Memorial Day - **No School**
- 5-9 Middle/Secondary International Trip
- 13 **Q1 Ends**
- 13&14 PSAT/NMSQT (13YO/Sec1/Sec3)
- 15-16 Parent-Teacher Conferences - **Half Days**
- 16 University Information Night
- 17 - Chess Tournament
- 19-23 **Fall Break – No School**
- 30 Middle/Secondary Talent Show

November

- 6 Whole School Science Celebration
- 7 & 8 Table Tennis Tournament
- 11 Whole School Field Trip
- 13 Dance for Kindness/Fall Festival

18 Professional Development for Teachers

26, 27, 28 Middle/Secondary Musical

December

4 - Preschool New Year Concert

10 Quintile 2 Ends

11 Term 1 Ends, Early Dismissal

14-Jan 1 **Winter Break – No School**

January

4 Term 2 begins

14 & 15 New Year Music Program

22-29 - Athletics Trip to Vietnam? (Or AIS hosts other QSI Schools?)

18-22 Literacy Week

22 - Elementary and Secondary Spelling Bees

February

3 - Half Day; Professional Development for Staff

4 - Whole School Field Trip

5 - Elementary Talent Show

(*Ramadan Feb 7-March 8, 2027)

19 - End of Quintile 3

March

5 - Preschool International Women's Day Concert

8 International Women's Day – **No School**

9 & 10 - Eid Al Fitr (End of Ramadan) - **No School**

13 & 14 Middle School Tennis Tournament

19 End of Term 2

19 Speech Contests

22-26 **Spring Break – No School**

29 Term 3 Begins

30 PSAT (Sec2)

31 Half Day; Professional Development for Staff

April

3 & 4 - Middle School Badminton U13

12 MAP Testing Window Opens

22 Quintile 4 Ends

23 & 26 Student Led/Parent Conferences-**Half Days**

30 Elementary Musical

May

1 Elementary Musical

3 - 14 AP Testing

15 & 16 - Basketball Tournament

17 & 18 **Constitution/Flag Day/Kurban Bayram– No School**

20-21 Art & Music Extravaganza

26 - Whole School Field Trip

29 Prom

June

5 Graduation

11 Field Day

15 Last day of school – **Half Day, Quintile 5 Ends**, Term 3 Ends

TERMS---FOR PAYMENT OF TUITION AND FEES

Term 1 August 20 to December 11

Term 2 January 4 to March 19

Term 3 March 29 to June 15

QUINTILES---GRADING/ASSESSMENT PERIODS

Quintile 1 August 20 to October 13

Quintile 2 October 14 to December 10

Quintile 3 December 11 to February 19

Quintile 4 February 22 to April 22

Quintile 5 April 23 to June 15