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Tentative KUWAIT NATIONAL ENGLISH SCHOOL CALENDAR - ACADEMIC YEAR 2025/2026 Tentative

Term I: (September 01, 2025 – December 16, 2025) Term II: (January 04, 2026 – April 02, 2026) Term III: (April 12, 2026 – June 16, 2026)

~ SEPTEMBER 2025 ~						
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1st September 2025 Start of First Term (2025/2026)

1st September 2025 Start of First Term for (Yr 5 → Yr 12)

2nd September 2025 Start of First Term for (Yr 1 → Yr 4) & (EYFS)

3rd September 2025 Start of First Term for (SEN)

~ OCTOBER 2025 ~						
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6th – 8th October 2025 Parental Meetings

19th – 23rd October 2025 – Mid Term Holiday

October 2025 – Innovation Camp (Y9)

~ NOVEMBER 2025 ~						
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11th November 2025 Remembrance Day Assemblies

09th – 13th November 2025 UNESCO Tolerance Week

16th November 2025 – Winter Uniform should be worn*

24th November 2025 – Year 9 IGCSE evening

November 2025 – Enterprise Master Class (EMC)

~ DECEMBER 2025 ~						
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07th December 2025 Human Right

09th December 2025 – Start of First Term Examinations

16th December 2025 – End of First Term Examinations

16th December 2025 End of First Term (2025/2026)

17th December 2025 – 1st January 2026 Holiday

~ JANUARY 2026 ~						
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04th January 2026 Start of Second Term (2025/2026)

08th January 2026 First Term Reports to Parents

12th – 14th January 2026 Parental Meetings

28th January 2026 Science Fair & Quizzes

January 2026 - UK Mathematics Challenges (Intermediate)

~ FEBRUARY 2026 ~						
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22nd – 26th February 2026 National Day Holiday

22nd – 26th February 2026 Overseas Educational Trip*

February 2026 Junior Achievement Award (INJAZ)*

18th Feb. 2026 – 19th March 2026 Holy month of Ramadan

~ MARCH 2026 ~						
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04th March 2026 English Quizzes

08th March 2026 International Women Day

15th March 2026 – Summer Uniform*

23rd March 2026 – Start of External Examination from the UK

24th March 2026 – 2nd April 2026 Second Term Exams

30th March 2026 → 1st April 2026 – BSO Inspection

March 2026 – GUST High School Maths Competition

~ APRIL 2026 ~						
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02nd April 2026 End of Second Term (2025/2026)

05th April 2026 – 9th April 2026 Spring Holiday

12th April 2026 Start of Third Term (2025/2026)

20th – 22nd April 2026 parental Meetings

16th April 2026 Second Term Reports to Parent

~ MAY 2026 ~						
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02nd May 2026 – International Day

May 2026 – SEN Concert*

May 2026 – Secondary Graduation*

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~ JUNE 2026 ~						
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01st June 2026 – 11th June 2026 Third Term Exams

11th June 2026 End of Third Term for students (2025/2026)

15th June 2026 Third Term Report to parents

16th June 2026 Last Day for Returning Teachers

18th June 2026 Last Day for SLT & Staff leaving KNES

23rd June 2026 Last Day for all Assistants (TA)

26th June 2026 – End of External Examination from the UK*

~ JULY 2026 ~						
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July 2026 summer holiday

Date to be announced: Concerts, Plays & Graduation

*Tentative Dates - some days are subject to change
& some are dependent on Islamic Calendar

~ AUGUST 2026 ~						
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09th August 2026 – First Day for all Assistants (TA)

11th August 2026 – First Day for SLT

16th August 2026 – First Day for Middle Managers (Coordinators)

23rd August 2026 – First day of work for teaching staff

23rd August 2026 – 30th August 2026 - Induction week (all staff)

31st August 2026 – Start of First Term (2026/2027)

June 3, 2025

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