



THE AMERICAN SCHOOL IN SWITZERLAND

TASIS – All-School Important Dates 2018–19

First Semester

Friday, August 31	MS/HS Opening Day for All Students and Parents	
Saturday, September 1	MS/HS Orientation for All Students	<i>Detailed, division-specific information to follow</i>
Sunday, September 2	ES Opening Assembly for All Students and Parents	
Monday, September 3	All-School—First Day of Classes	
Saturday, September 8	HS Boat Dance	
Thursday, September 13	MS/HS Founder’s Day Assembly	
Monday, September 17	MS/HS Class Outings	
Wednesday, September 19	ES Curriculum Night	
Monday, October 8	MS / HS—No Classes; ES - Normal School Day	
Fri–Sat, October 12–13	MS/HS Family Weekend for All Students and Parents	<i>Friday: Parents may attend classes; Friday + Saturday: Parent-Teacher Conferences</i>
Thursday, October 25	ES Parent-Teacher Conferences	<i>Early dismissal at 11:00, conferences 12:30–17:30</i>
Friday, October 26	Fall Festival	
Mon–Fri, Oct. 29–Nov. 2	ES Fall Holiday—No Classes	
Mon–Wed, October 29–31	MS 6th Grade Academic Travel	<i>Specific programs to follow for each grade level</i>
Mon–Thurs, October 29–Nov. 1	MS 7th + 8th Grade Academic Travel	<i>Specific programs to follow for each grade level</i>
Mon–Fri, October 29–Nov. 2	HS Academic Travel	
Thurs–Fri, November 1–2	6th Grade—No Classes	
Friday, November 2	7th + 8th Grade—No Classes	
Fri–Sun, November 16–18	HS Play	
Friday, November 23	All-School—No Classes	<i>Thanksgiving break</i>
Saturday, December 8	MS Christmas Celebration for Students	<i>From 18:30–21:30</i>
Sunday, December 9	All-School Christmas Service	
Friday, December 14	MS/HS Last Full Day of Classes; ES dismisses after Christmas Concert	<i>MS/HS usual dismissal; ES Dismissal after the concert</i>
Saturday, December 15	Dormitories Close	<i>MS/HS boarding students must depart by 16:00</i>

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Second Semester

Saturday, January 5	Dormitories Open	<i>Dorms open at noon for all MS/HS boarding students</i>
Sunday, January 6	All Boarding Students return to campus	<i>Return by 19:00</i>
Monday, January 7	All-School—Classes Resume	
Monday, February 4	MS / HS—No Classes; ES - Normal School Day	
Mon–Fri, February 11–15	International Week	<i>All-School Assembly and Parade of Flags on February 11</i>
Date to be confirmed	MS Parent-Teacher Conferences	<i>Specific information to follow</i>
Thursday, February 21	ES Parent-Teacher Conferences	<i>Early dismissal at 11:00, conferences 12:30–17:30</i>
Sat–Fri, February 23–March 1	HS Ski Adventure	<i>Specific programs to follow for each grade level</i>
Sun–Fri, February 24–March 1	HS Academic Travel	<i>Specific programs to follow for each grade level</i>
Mon–Wed, February 25–27	MS 6th Grade Spring Academic Travel	<i>Specific programs to follow for each grade level</i>
Thurs–Fri, February 28 - March 1	MS 6th Grade—No Classes	
Mon–Fri, February 25–March 1	MS 7th + 8th Grade Winter Adventure; ES Mid-Winter Holiday—No Classes	<i>Specific programs to follow for each grade level</i>
Fri–Sun, March 29–March 31	HS Spring Musical	
Saturday, April 6	ES Easter Egg Hunt	
Friday, April 12	All-School—Last Day of Classes Prior to Holiday	<i>Full day of classes for all grades</i>
Saturday, April 13	Dormitories Close	<i>MS/HS boarding students must depart by 16:00</i>
Sat–Sun, April 13 –April 28	All-School—Spring Holiday	
Saturday, April 27	Dormitories Open	<i>Dorms open at noon for all MS/HS boarding students</i>
Monday, April 29	All-School—Classes Resume	
Thurs–Sun, May 16–19	Spring Arts Festival	<i>All-School Assembly on May 16</i>
Fri–Sun, May 17–19	MS Musical	
Tue–Wed, May 28–29	ES Musical	
Thurs–Fri, May 30–31, Mon–Tue, June 3–4	HS Exams	<i>Students may leave after their last exam</i>
Thursday, May 30	HS Prom	
Friday, May 31	HS Senior Banquet	
Saturday, June 1	HS Graduation	
Monday, June 3	MS—Last Day of Classes	
Tuesday, June 4	Moving-Up Ceremony for 8th Grade Students and Parents	<i>Ceremony will be in the afternoon</i>
Wednesday, June 5	Dormitories Close; ES Field Day	<i>MS/HS boarding students must depart by 12:00 (noon)</i>
Thursday, June 6	ES—Last Day of Classes, 5th Grade Moving-Up Ceremony	<i>End of school year for students in PK–5th Grades</i>

The School reserves the right to change calendar dates when necessary. A comprehensive, updated calendar is available on the TASIS website.

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