

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

School: GEMS Founders School, Dubai

System/s: National Curriculum for England

August 2025						
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June 2026						
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TERM 1	
First Day of Term – New Students Only	Monday 25th August 2025
First Day of Term – All Students	Tuesday 26th August 2025
Prophet's Birthday (Probable) *	Thursday 4th September 2025*
Half Term Break	Monday 13th October - Friday 17th October 2025
National Day (Probable)*	Tuesday 2nd and Wednesday 3rd December 2025
Last Day of Term	Friday 12th December 2025

	Weekends
	School Holiday Dates
	Staff Development PD days -students in
	Induction – New Staff – School Closed
	First Day of Year
	Last Day of the Year
	Islamic Holidays (Probable)*
	Ramadan Hours (Probable)*

TERM 2	
First Day of Term	Monday 5th January 2026
Ascension of the Prophet*	Friday 16th January 2026
Half Term	Monday 9th Febr 2026 - Wednesday 11th Feb 2026
Start of Ramadan (Probable)*	Wednesday 18th February 2026
Last Day of Term	Wednesday 18th March 2026

PD Days - 1/2 days	
Term 1.1	Monday 22 September 2025
Term 1.2	Monday 17 November 2025
Term 2	Monday 2nd February 2026
Term 3	Monday 27th April 2026

TERM 3	
First Day of Term	Monday 6th April 2026
Eid al-Adha (Probable)*	Tuesday 26th - Friday 29th May 2026
Islamic New Year (Probable)*	Wednesday 17th June 2026
Last Student Day of Term	Friday 3rd July 2026

