



THE AMERICAN SCHOOL IN SWITZERLAND

TASIS – All-School Important Dates 2017–18

First Semester

Friday, September 1	MS/HS Opening Day for All Students and Parents	
Saturday, September 2	MS/HS Orientation for All Students	<i>Detailed, division-specific information to follow</i>
Sunday, September 3	ES Opening Assembly for All Students and Parents	
Monday, September 4	All-School—First Day of Classes	
Saturday, September 9	HS Boat Dance	
Thursday, September 14	MS/HS Founder’s Day Assembly	
Monday, September 18	MS/HS Class Outings	
Wednesday, September 20	ES Curriculum + Math Night	
Monday, October 9	All-School—No Classes	
Fri–Sat, October 13–14	MS/HS Family Weekend for All Students and Parents	<i>Friday: Parents may attend classes; Saturday: Parent-Teacher Conferences</i>
Saturday, October 21	Fall Festival	
Thursday, October 26	ES Parent-Teacher Conferences	<i>Early dismissal at 11:00, conferences 12:30–17:30</i>
Mon–Fri, Oct. 30–Nov. 3	ES Fall Holiday—No Classes	
Mon–Wed, October 30–Nov. 1	MS 6th Grade Academic Travel	<i>Specific programs to follow for each grade level</i>
Mon–Thurs, October 30–Nov. 2	MS 7th + 8th Grade Academic Travel	<i>Specific programs to follow for each grade level</i>
Mon–Fri, October 30–Nov. 3	HS Academic Travel	
Thurs–Fri, November 2–3	6th Grade—No Classes	
Friday, November 3	7th + 8th Grade—No Classes	
Thurs–Sat, November 16–18	HS Play	
Friday, November 24	All-School—No Classes	<i>Thanksgiving break</i>
Saturday, December 9	MS Christmas Celebration for Students	<i>From 18:30–21:30</i>
Sunday, December 10	All-School Christmas Service	
Friday, December 15	MS/HS Last Full Day of Classes; ES Christmas Concert at 11:00	<i>MS/HS usual dismissal; ES Dismissal after the concert</i>
Saturday, December 16	Dormitories Close	<i>MS/HS boarding students must depart by 17:00</i>

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Second Semester

Saturday, January 6	Dormitories Open	<i>Dorms open at noon for all MS/HS boarding students</i>
Sunday, January 7	All Boarding Students return to campus	<i>Return by 19:00</i>
Monday, January 8	All-School—Classes Resume	
Thursday, January 25	End of First Semester	
Monday, February 5	MS/HS—No Classes	
Mon–Fri, February 12–16	International Week	<i>All-School Assembly and Parade of Flags on February 12</i>
Thursday, February 22	ES Parent-Teacher Conferences	<i>Early dismissal at 11:00, conferences 12:30–17:30</i>
Sat–Fri, February 24–March 2	HS Alpine Adventure	<i>Specific programs to follow for each grade level</i>
Sun–Fri, February 25–March 2	HS Academic Travel	<i>Specific programs to follow for each grade level</i>
Mon–Wed, February 26–February 28	MS 6th Grade Spring Academic Travel	<i>Specific programs to follow for each grade level</i>
Thurs–Fri, March 1–2	MS 6th Grade—No Classes	
Mon–Fri, February 26–March 2	MS 7th + 8th Grade Winter Adventure; ES Carnevale Holiday—No Classes	<i>Specific programs to follow for each grade level</i>
Thurs–Sat, March 15–March 17	HS Spring Musical	
Saturday, March 17	ES Easter Egg Hunt	
Friday, March 23	All-School—Last Day of Classes Prior to Holiday	<i>Full day of classes for all grades</i>
Saturday, March 24	Dormitories Close	<i>MS/HS boarding students must depart by 17:00</i>
Sat–Sun, March 24–April 8	All-School—Spring Holiday	
Saturday, April 7	Dormitories Open	<i>Dorms open at noon for all MS/HS boarding students</i>
Monday, April 9	All-School—Classes Resume	
Thurs–Sun, May 17–20	Spring Arts Festival	<i>All-School Assembly on May 17</i>
Fri–Sun, May 18–20	MS Musical	
Thursday, May 24	HS Prom	
Friday, May 25	HS Senior Banquet	
Saturday, May 26	HS Graduation	
Thurs–Fri, May 31–June 1	ES Musical	
Thurs–Fri, May 31–June 1, Mon–Tue, June 4–5	HS Exams	<i>Students may leave after their last exam</i>
Monday, June 4	MS—Last Day of Classes	
Tuesday, June 5	Moving-Up Ceremony for 8th Grade Students and Parents	<i>Ceremony will be in the afternoon</i>
Wednesday, June 6	Dormitories Close; ES Field Day	<i>MS/HS boarding students must depart by noon</i>
Thursday, June 7	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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