Beijing BISS International School
北京BISS国际学校

BISS Whole School Internal Dates Calendar 2017 - 2018

Updated January 13rd, 2017

2017

August

Jul 29 - 30: NEW Faculty Arrivals
Jul 31 : AMT Meeting
Jul 31 - Aug 4: NEW Faculty Transition Orientation
Aug 7 - 11: WHOLE Faculty Orientation
Aug 11: NEW Students Orientation
Aug 14: First Day of School
Aug 18: ES & SS WELCOME Assemblies
Aug 28 - 30: ASAs Season 1 - Sign-up
Aug 25: Meet the Teacher Evening

S	M	T	W	T	F	S	#days
30	31	1	2	3	4	5	
6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	4
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	9
27	28	29	30	31			12

September

Sept 2: Making it Comprehensible (NEW Faculty ONLY)
Sept 4: ASAs Season 1 BEGINS
Sept 22: PD Day (NO students/ classes)
Sept 23: Reserved as a POTENTIAL Make-up Day

S	M	T	W	T	F	S	
					1	2	14
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	19
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	22
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	27
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	32

October

Oct 2 - 6: National Holiday & Mid-Autumn Festival
Oct 9: Classes Resume
Oct 21: Intercultural Day
Oct 23: END of Quarter 1
Oct 24: BEGINNING of Quarter 2
Oct 27: ASAs Season 1 ENDS & SS FALL Festival Dance
Oct 30 - Nov 01: ASAs Season 2 - Sign-up

S	M	T	W	T	F	S	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21	37
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	42
29	30	31					47

November

Nov 3: ES Quarter 1 Progress Report Cards Distribution
Nov 6: ASAs Season 2 BEGINS
Nov 8: ES/ SS Parent - Student - Teacher Conferences (half day for students)
Nov 17: PD Day (NO students/ classes)
Nov 18: Reserved as a POTENTIAL Make-up Day

S	M	T	W	T	F	S	
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5	6	7	8	9	10	11	10
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	14
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	19
26	27	28	29	30			

December

Dec 8 - 9: BISS Production
Dec 15: ES/ SS Winter Break Assemblies (half day for ALL)
Dec 18- Jan 05: Winter Break

S	M	T	W	T	F	S	
					1	2	24
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	29
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
31							

2018

January

Jan 1: New New Year Holidays (China)
Jan 8: Classes Resume
Jan 12 - 19: 1st Semester/ Mock Exams (Grades 11 & 12)
Jan 24-25: School Yearbook Photoshoot
Jan 26: ASAs Season 2 ENDS
Jan 26: END of Quarter 2/ Semester 1
Jan 29: BEGINNING of Quarter 3
Jan 29 - 31: ASAs Season 3 - Sign-up

S	M	T	W	T	F	S	#days
	1	2	3	4	5	6	33
7	8	9	10	11	12	13	38
14	15	16	17	18	19	20	43
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	5
28	29	30	31				

February

Feb 5: Semester 1 Report Cards Distribution
Feb 5: ASAs Season 3 BEGINS
Feb 7: ES/ SS Parent - Student - Teacher Conferences (half day for students)
Feb 14: Chinese New Year ES/ SS Assemblies
Feb 15 - 23: Chinese New Year Break
Feb 26: PD Day (NO students/ classes)
Feb 27: Classes Resume

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11	12	13	14	15	16	17	15
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	20
25	26	27	28				22

March

Mar 3: Reserved as a POTENTIAL Make-up Day
Mar 13 - 16: IB DP Visual Arts Exhibition
Mar 19 - 23: Book Week
Mar 23: SS BISS has Talent
Mar 30: ES BISS has Talent & END of Quarter 3

S	M	T	W	T	F	S	
				1	2	3	25
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	30
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	35
17	19	20	21	22	23	24	40
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	45

April

Apr 2 - 6: Spring Break (Tomb Sweeping)
Apr 9: Classes Resume & BEGINNING of Quarter 4
Apr 17: SS Student-led Conferences
Apr 18: ES Grade 5 PYP Exhibition
Apr 20: ASAs Season 3 ENDS
Arp 23: SS Career Day
Apr 25: Last Day of Classes for Grade 12
Apr 27: SS Grade 10 Personal Project Presentations
Apr 27 - May 18: Grade 12 FINAL (IB/ BISS Exams)

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15	16	17	18	19	20	21	5
22	23	24	25	26	27	28	10
29	30						15

May

Apr 30 - May 1: May Day Holiday
May 2: Classes resume
May 14 - 18: Grade 5 Transition Week
May 21 - 29: 2nd Semester Exams (Grade 11)
May 25: Grade 12 GRADUATION
May 26: SS PROM (Grades 9 - 12)

S	M	T	W	T	F	S	
		1	2	3	4	5	18
6	7	8	9	10	11	12	23
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	29
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	34
27	28	29	30	31			35

June

Jun 7: Grade 5 GRADUATION
Jun 8: Grade 10 GRADUATION
Jun 12: Semester 2 Report Cards Distribution
Jun 13: END of Quarter 4/ Semester 2 - Last Day of School/ ES & SS FINAL Assemblies (half day for students)
Jun 14-15: Teacher-ONLY days (AMT Meeting)
Jun 18: Summer Holidays BEGIN

S	M	T	W	T	F	S	
					1	2	37
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	42
10	11	12	13	14	15	16	45
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	

	School holidays
	Quarter starts and ends
	PD days/Teacher-only days
	Other events of note as specified
3	Public holiday (specified holiday date in red)

Term	Days
1	45
2	53
3	37
4	45
Tot	180