

# GHANA INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

## RIYADH, SAUDI ARABIA

### ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR THE YEAR 2024/2025

August/September 2024

| Sun       | Mon | Tue | Wed       | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----------|-----|-----|-----|
|           |     |     | 21-Aug-24 | 22  | 23  | 24  |
| 25        | 26  | 27  | 28        | 29  | 30  | 31  |
| 01-Sep-24 | 2   | 3   | 4         | 5   | 6   | 7   |
| 8         | 9   | 10  | 11        | 12  | 13  | 14  |
| 15        | 16  | 17  | 18        | 19  | 20  | 21  |
| 22        | 23  | 24  | 25        | 26  | 27  | 28  |
| 29        | 30  |     |           |     |     |     |

**Notes**

- Employees start on 21/08/2024 (17/02/1446H)
- Classes start on 25/08/2024 (21/02/1446H)
- 5th September 2024: DEADLINE FOR FEE PAYMENT
- Public Holiday for Saudi National Day : 23 Sept. 2024
- Weekends

**Term 1 Begins:**

Week 1  
Week 2  
Week 3  
Week 4  
Week 5  
Week 6

October 2024

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|     |     | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   |
| 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  |
| 13  | 14  | 15  | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  |
| 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | 24  | 25  | 26  |
| 27  | 28  | 29  | 30  | 31  |     |     |

- Off days for a long weekend (23 to 26/10/2024)
- Classes resume on Sunday 27/10/2024

Week 6  
Week 7  
Week 8  
Week 9  
Week 10

November 2024

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|     |     |     |     |     | 1   | 2   |
| 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   |
| 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  | 15  | 16  |
| 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  |
| 24  | 25  | 26  | 27  | 28  | 29  | 30  |

- End of Term's Exams: From 10/11/2024 to 14/11/2024 (57 academic days)
- First Term's Break from 17/11/2024 to 23/11/2024
- Term 2 starts on Sunday 24/11/2024
- Report Cards for term 1: 25/11/2024

First Term's Exams:

First Term's Break:

**Term 2 Begins:**

Week 1

December 2024

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|     |     |     |     | 5   | 6   | 7   |
| 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  |
| 15  | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  |
| 22  | 23  | 24  | 25  | 26  | 27  | 28  |
| 29  | 30  | 31  |     |     |     |     |

- 5th December 2024: DEADLINE FOR FEE PAYMENT

Week 2  
Week 3  
Week 4  
Week 5  
Week 6

January 2025

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|     |     |     | 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   |
| 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  |
| 12  | 13  | 14  | 15  | 16  | 17  | 18  |
| 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | 24  | 25  |
| 26  | 27  | 28  | 29  | 30  | 31  |     |

- Off days for a long weekend (22 to 25/01/2025)
- Classes resume on Sunday 26/01/2025

Week 6  
Week 7  
Week 8  
Week 9  
Week 10

February 2025

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|     |     |     |     |     |     | 1   |
| 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   |
| 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  | 15  |
| 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  |
| 23  | 24  | 25  | 26  | 27  | 28  |     |

- End of Term's Exams: From 9/02/2025 to 13/02/2025 (58 academic days)
- Second Term's Break from 18/02/2024 to 24/02/2024
- Term 3 starts on Sunday 23/02/2024
- Report Cards for term 2: 24/02/2024

Second Term's Exams:

Second Term's Break:

**Term 3 Begins:**

Week 1

March 2025

| Sun     | Mon     | Tue    | Wed    | Thu    | Fri    | Sat    |
|---------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|         |         |        |        |        |        | 1 R1   |
| 2 R2    | 3 R3    | 4 R4   | 5 R5   | 6 R6   | 7 R7   | 8 R8   |
| 9 R9    | 10 R10  | 11 R11 | 12 R12 | 13 R13 | 14 R14 | 15 R15 |
| 16 R16  | 17 R17  | 18 R18 | 19 R19 | 20 R20 | 21 R21 | 22 R22 |
| 23 R23  | 24 R24  | 25 R25 | 26 R26 | 27 R27 | 28 R28 | 29 R29 |
| 30 SHW1 | 31 SHW2 |        |        |        |        |        |

- Ramadan (R,) 1445H Starts
- Off day for Ghana National Day 6/03/2025
- 9th March 2025: DEADLINE FOR FEE PAYMENT
- Ramadan and Eid Break Starts on 23rd March 2024 (23rd Ramadan 1446H)
- Ramadan and Eid Break Ends on 5th April 2024 (7th Shawal 1446H)

Ramadan and Eid Break

April 2025

| Sun | Mon | Tue    | Wed    | Thu    | Fri    | Sat    |
|-----|-----|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|     |     | 1 SHW3 | 2 SHW4 | 3 SHW5 | 4 SHW6 | 5 SHW7 |
| 6   | 7   | 8      | 9      | 10     | 11     | 12     |
| 13  | 14  | 15     | 16     | 17     | 18     | 19     |
| 20  | 21  | 22     | 23     | 24     | 25     | 26     |
| 27  | 28  | 29     | 30     |        |        |        |

- Classes Resume on Sunday 6th April 2025 (8th Shawal 14465H)

Week 5  
Week 6  
Week 7  
Week 8

May 2025

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
|     |     |     |     | 1   | 2   | 3   |
| 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   | 8   | 9   | 10  |
| 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  | 15  | 16  | 17  |
| 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  | 22  | 23  | 24  |
| 25  | 26  | 27  | 28  | 29  | 30  | 31  |

- Off day for a long weekend (8 to 10/05/2025)

Third Term Exams:

Week 12

- End of Term's Exams: From 25/05/2025 to 29/05/2025 (59 academic days)

June 2025

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1   | 2   | 3   | 4   | 5   | 6   | 7   |
| 8   | 9   | 10  | 11  | 12  | 13  | 14  |
| 15  | 16  | 17  | 18  | 19  | 20  | 21  |
| 22  | 23  | 24  | 25  | 26  | 27  | 28  |
| 29  | 30  |     |     |     |     |     |

- Report Cards for term 3 and end of academic year: 2/06/2025 (6th Dhul-Hijjah 1446H):
- Total number of academic days: 173
- Staff departure: 5th June 2025 (9th Dhul Hijjah 1446H)
- Tentative starting date for 2025/2026 academic year: Sunday 17th August 2025 (23rd Safar 1447H)

**End of Year Vacation:**