

BRUMMANA HIGH SCHOOL
School Calendar
2019-2020

Date			Event
July 2019			
Thur-Fri	4-5	Jul	Placement evaluation for new students
Fri	5	Jul	Upper School Report Card distribution (9:00 am - 12:00 pm)
Wed	31	Jul	Deadline for cancelling bus registration invoices for students who used the bus last year Make up exams for returning Elementary Section students (9:30 am - 11:30 am) Make up exams for returning Upper School students (9:30 am - 2:30 pm) Summer work packets due for students with promotion conditions (9:30 am)
August 2019			
Fri	2	Aug	Deadline for payment for Nov 2019 series IGCSE exams (first time entries)
Sun-Tues	11-13*	Aug	Al-Adha Holiday: school closed
Wed	14	Aug	June 2019 series IGCSE exam results issued online
Thur	15	Aug	Assumption Day: School closed
Fri	16	Aug	Deadline for applications for Nov 2019 series IGCSE exams (retakes from June 2019)
Fri	30	Aug	Infant Section Book Sale (9:00 am - 2:00 pm)
Sat	31	Aug	Deadline for first payment of tuition fees and bus registration
September 2019			
Mon	2	Sept	Hijra New Year - School closed
Tues	3	Sept	School Closed - Whole School In Service
Wed	4	Sept	Lower Elementary Book Sale (9:00 am - 2:00 pm)
Thur	5	Sept	Lower School Used Book Sale Lower Elementary Book Sale (9:00 am - 2:00 pm)
Thur-Fri	5-6	Sept	Upper Elementary Book Sale (9:00 am - 2:00 pm)
Fri	6	Sept	Deadline for payment for Nov 2019 series IGCSE exams (retakes from June 2019) Registration packets and orientation for Grade 10 classes: Meeting House (12:00 pm - 1:00 pm)
Fri & Mon	6 & 9	Sept	Placement evaluation for new Upper and Lower School students (9:00 am - 2:00 pm)
Sat	7	Sept	Lower School Book Sale (9:00 am - 12:00 pm)
Mon	9	Sept	Upper School Used Book Sale Classes begin for G 12LP and IB2
Mon-Fri	9-13	Sept	Upper School Book Sale G 7-12 all programmes (9:00 am - 2:00 pm) IB2 Extended Essay Intensive Seminars
Tues	10*	Sept	Ashoura - School closed
Wed	11	Sept	Orientation for all G 9 students with parents and Advisers: Meeting House (11:00 am - 12:00 pm) + dropping off books in classroom lockers (12:00 pm – 1:00 pm)
Wed-Thur	11-12*	Sept	Red Cross training for Secondary students and teachers (9:00 am – 1:00 pm) – US Library
Thur	12	Sept	Infant Section parents' orientation: Khoury Hall (9:00 am-10:00 am) Upper Elementary parents' orientation: Dobbing Hall (10:30 am - 11:30 am) + dropping off books and stationery in classrooms Orientation for all G 8 students with parents /Advisers: Meeting House (11:30 am - 12:30 pm) Grade 8 classroom sessions with Advisers: MTB 5, 6, 7, 8 (12:30 pm - 1:30 pm) Grade 8 dropping off books in classroom lockers (1:30 pm - 2:30 pm)
Fri	13	Sept	Lower Elementary parents' orientation: Dobbing Hall (9:00 am - 10:00 am) + dropping off books and stationery in classroom lockers Orientation for all G 7 students with parents / Advisers: Meeting House (10:00 am - 11:00 am) Grade 7 classroom sessions with Advisers: MTB 9, 10, 11 (11:00 am - 12:30 pm)

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			Grade 7 dropping off books in classroom lockers (12:30 -1:30 pm)
Sat	14	Sept	Upper School Book Sale G 7-12 (9:00 am - 12:00 pm)
Sun	15	Sept	Boarding House opens for students in G 4-12 (after 3:00 pm)
Mon	16	Sept	Classes begin G9-G11 (all programmes), 12 IP and IB1
Tues	17	Sept	Classes begin for G 4, 5 ,6, 7 and 8
Wed	18	Sept	Classes begin for G 1, 2, 3
Thur	19	Sept	KG1 students one-day adaptation session for family names from A to H (8:00 am till 10:00 am) parents and children leave together Classes begin for KG2, KG3 (7:45 am – 12:00 pm) no buses until Thursday, 26 September
Fri	20	Sept	KG1 students one-day adaptation session for family names from I to Z (8:00 am till 10:00 am) parents and children leave together
Mon	23	Sept	Classes begin for KG1 (7:45 am – 12:00 pm) no buses until Thursday, 26 September
Wed	25	Sept	University Fair for Secondary Section students starting 4:00 pm – Khoury Hall
Thur	26	Sept	KG1, KG2, KG3 classes start their regular school hours Last day of course drop and add for Gr 9 -12 IP
Fri	27	Sept	Last day for change of programme (from IB to IP) - Penalties apply thereafter. Upper School Clubs Fair
October 2019			
Tues	1	Oct	IGCSE November 2019 series exams (from Oct 1 till Nov 14)
Wed	16	Oct	Upper School Back to School Night G 7 & 8 only (4:00 pm - 5:30 pm) IB parents orientation for Grades 9 IP/LP & 10 IP/LP at 5:30 pm
Mon	14	Oct	SAT Orientation Session for Secondary Section
Tues	29	Oct	Mid-Term Progress Report distribution for Upper School and Elementary Section selected students
Thurs	31	Oct	Deadline for payment of Term 1 bus fees Deadline for payment for IB2 May 2020 exam session
November 2019			
Fri	8	Nov	Normal School day for Elementary School
Mon	11	Nov	Prophet's Birthday: school closed
Wed	13	Nov	Grade 10 IP Parents and Students orientation (4:00 pm – 5:00 pm)
Sat	16	Nov	Extra School day operating as Monday schedule G4-G12 (7:45 am – 1:00 pm)
Mon	18	Nov	Upper School Student Council elections
Wed	20	Nov	University Orientation for Secondary Section students at 4:00 pm - Khoury Hall
Thur	21	Nov	Normal School Day
Fri	22	Nov	Independence Day: school closed
Fri	29	Nov	Founders' Day Peter and the Wolf concert G4 - G6 (8:30 am - 9:30 am) – Khoury Hall
December 2019			
Mon	4	Dec	End of Term 1 for all classes
Tue	5	Dec	Term 2 starts for all classes
Fri	6	Dec	Normal School Day for Elementary School Deadline for applications for June 2020 series IGCSE Exams
Mon-Fri	9-13	Dec	Exam 1 for G 9LP, 12LP, IB2, 10IP - 12IP
Fri	13	Dec	Lower School Parent/Teacher Report Card Meetings (4:00 pm - 7:00 pm)
Mon	16	Dec	Lower Elementary Christmas Show at 10:00 am – Khoury Hall
Tues	17	Dec	Infant Section Christmas Shows for KG 1 at 8:30 am - Khoury Hall Infant Section Christmas Shows for KG 2 & KG 3 at 9:30 am - Khoury Hall
Wed	18	Dec	Grade 10 IP Parents and Students orientation (4:00 pm – 5:00 pm)
Thurs	19	Dec	Upper Elementary Christmas Show at 10:00 am - Khoury Hall Upper School Christmas Concert at 6:00 pm - Khoury Hall Distribution of Term 1 Report Cards for all Upper School classes
Fri	20	Dec	Short School day: Buses leave at 1:00 pm

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Sat-Mon	21-6	Dec-Jan	Christmas holiday: no classes
Tue	24	Dec	Offices closed
Wed	25	Dec	Christmas Day: school closed
January 2020			
Wed	1	Jan	New Year's Day: school closed
Thur	2	Jan	Offices closed
Sat	4	Jan	Deadline for second payment of tuition and bus fees
Mon	6	Jan	Armenian Orthodox Christmas: school closed Return of Boarders at 4:00 pm
Tues	7	Jan	Classes resume
Fri	10	Jan	Intermediate Section Parent/Teacher Meetings (3:30 pm - 6:00 pm)
Sat	11	Jan	Extra School day operating as Tuesday Schedule G4-G12 (7:45am – 1:00pm)
Tue	21	Jan	Grade 8 IP Parents and Students orientation + round tables (4:00 pm - 7:00 pm) – Meeting House
Sat	25	Jan	Upper School Academic Fair for parents at (10:00 am – 2:00 pm)
February 2020			
Mon-Fri	3-7	Feb	Mid-Year Exams for G7IP/LP, 8IP/LP, 9IP, 10LP, 11LP, IB1 (Buses leave at 1:30 pm for all Classes KG1 – G12)
Thur	6	Feb	Deadline for payment for June 2020 series IGCSE exam fees N.B. Penalty fees apply after this date
Fri	7	Feb	End of Term 2 for G 9LP,10IP,11IP,12 IP,12LP
Sat	8	Feb	Extra school day operating as Wednesday schedule G4-G12 (7:45 am – 1:00 pm)
Mon	10	Feb	Mar Maroun holiday: school closed
Tues	11	Feb	Term 3 Starts for G 9LP,10IP,11IP,12 IP,12LP
Tues-Thur	11-13	Feb	ACER exam for G 3 and 6
Fri	14	Feb	Rafik Hariri Memorial Day: school closed
Mon-Wed	17-19	Feb	ACER exam for G 8
Wed	19	Feb	Distribution of Term 2 Report Cards for G 9LP,10IP,11IP,12 IP,12LP
Wed	26	Feb	Secondary Section Parent/Teacher Meetings (4:30 pm - 6:00 pm)
Fri	28	Feb	End of Term 2 for Lower School, G7IP/LP, 8IP/LP, 9IP, 10LP, 11LP, IB1
March 2020			
Mon	2	Mar	Term 3 starts for Lower School, G7IP/LP, 8IP/LP, 9IP, 10LP, 11LP, IB1
Sat-Sun	7-8	Mar	BHS MUN Conference
Mon	9	Mar	Teachers' Day: school closed
Fri	13	Mar	Careers Fair
Thur	12	Mar	SAT Subject trial exams for G 12 IP and IB- Periods 6 & 7
Fri	13	Mar	Upper School Games Day at 3:30 pm
Sat	14	Mar	Extra School day operating as Friday schedule G7-G12 (7:45 am – 1:00 pm)
Mon	16	Mar	Distribution of Term 2 Report Cards G7IP/LP, 8IP/LP, 9IP, 10LP, 11LP, IB1 and Lower School
Wed	18	Mar	Upper School Parent/Teacher meetings by appointment (3:30 pm – 6:00 pm)
Sat	21	Mar	SAT Trial Exams G 9, 10, 11: Library Building (7:45 am - 12:00 pm)
Wed	25	Mar	Annunciation Day: school closed
Thur	26	Mar	Upper School Certificates Day
Fri	27	Mar	End of Term 3 for G 10-11 IP Upper School International Day
Sat	28	Mar	BHS Book Fair opening (3:00 pm - 6:00 pm) – Khoury Hall
Mon-Fri	30-3	Mar-Apr	BHS Book Fair for parents and students (8:30 am – 4:00 pm) - Khoury Hall
Tues	31	Mar	Deadline for third payment of tuition & bus fees
Tues	31*	Mar	Upper School Field Day

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April 2020			
Fri-Wed	3-8	Apr	Final Exams G 10-11 IP - To be announced Later
Tues	7	Apr	Deadline for payment of deposits for boarding reservation End of Term 3 for G 9 LP, G 12 LP/ IP - To be rescheduled
Wed	8	Apr	Upper School Easter Concert
Fri-Mon	10-13	Apr	Easter Vacation (Western): no classes
Fri	10	Apr	Good Friday (Western): school closed
Mon	13	Apr	Easter Monday (Western): school closed
Fri-Mon	17-20	Apr	Easter Vacation (Eastern): no classes
Fri	17	Apr	Good Friday (Eastern): school closed
Mon	20	Apr	Easter Monday (Eastern): school closed Return of Boarders at 4:00pm
Tues	21	Apr	Classes Resume
Tues-Wed	21-22	Apr	IB 2 Mock Exams for subjects in Groups 4 & 5 - To be announced later
May 2020			
Fri	1	May	Labour Day : School Closed
Mon-Thur	11-14	May	Final exams G 9LP, 12LP and 12IP - To be announced later
Thur	14	May	G 9 Crossing the Bridge Ceremony - Dobbing Hall - To be announced later
Sat	16	May	May Festival and Art & Crafts Fair - To be announced later
Fri	22	May	Outdoor Gathering of Graduates 7:00 pm - Fleissh - To be announced later
Sun-Tues	24-26*	May	Al Fitr holiday: school closed
Mon	25	May	Liberation Day: school closed
Thur	28	May	Distribution of Report Cards for G 12 IP/LP and IB 2 - To be announced later
Fri	29	May	"A Midsummer Night's Dream" play at 7:00 pm - Amphitheatre - To be announced later
Sat	30	May	"A Midsummer Night's Dream" play at 7:00 pm - Amphitheatre - To be announced later
June 2020			
Tues	2	Jun	End of Term3 G12 all programmes
Fri	5	Jun	Last day of classes for G 12 all programmes
Fri	19	Jun	End of Term 3 for Upper School
Tues	23	Jun	Last day of classes all school
July 2020			
Wed	1	Jul	Lower School Report Card distribution (9:00 am - 11:00 am)
Thur-Fri	2-3	Jul	Placement evaluation for new students: Upper School (9:00 am – 2:00 pm) Lower School (9:00 am – 1:00 pm)
Fri	3	Jul	Upper School Report Card distribution (9:00 am - 11:00 am)
Tues	7*	Jul	Summer Camp Starts
Wed	29	Jul	Make up exams for returning Elementary Section students (9:30 am - 11:30 am) Make up exams for returning Upper School students (9:30 am - 2:30 pm) Deadlines for cancelling bus registration invoices for students who used the bus last year
Fri - Sun	31-2*	Jul	Al Adha Holiday – School closed

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