



Riffa Views International School

2018/2019 School Calendar

Adopted by the RVIS Board of Trustees: December 11, 2017
 Last Revision/Update: May 2018

School hours for Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten: 8:00 am to 1:45 pm; Grades 1-12; 8:00 am to 3:00 pm.

School hours for Nursery: 8:00 am to 12:00 pm;

Light Blue - indicates no school for RVIS students.

Orange - indicates no school for RVIS students and teachers. Public Holidays including days in lieu

Yellow - indicates last day before school holidays, and first day back from holidays for RVIS students.

Lilac - indicates In-service days for New Teachers.

Green - indicates In- service for all Teachers and Full Program Improvement Days (PID). No classes for students

Green - indicates Program Improvement Days (PID) early release dates. Dismissal at 11:30 am for all students.

* Subject to lunar calendar/official announcement in local newspapers.

Total Student Days: 180

Total Teacher Work Days: 185

Week Day	Date	Details		
AUGUST				AUGUST 2018
Friday	17	New Overseas Hire Teachers arrive in Bahrain		S M T W T F S 1 2 3 4
Sat - Tue	18 - 21	New Teachers In-service & Orientation to Bahrain		5 6 7 8 9 10 11
Tue - Sun	21 - 26	Eid Al Adha* , Arafat Day* (Dates subject to change)		12 13 14 15 16 17 18
Mon - Thur	27 - 30	ALL Teachers, Paras & Nurse In-service (187)		19 20 21 22 23 24 25
Thursday	30	New Student Orientation		26 27 28 29 30 31
SEPTEMBER				SEPTEMBER 2018
Sunday	2	First day of school Grades 1 - 12 (Day 1), 8 am		S M T W T F S 1
Monday	3	First day back for Pre-K and KG, Nursery two sessions		2 3 4 5 6 7 8
Tuesday	11	Al Hijri Islamic New Year* (Date subject to change)		9 10 11 12 13 14 15
Wed - Thurs	19 - 20	Ashoora* (Dates subject to change)		16 17 18 19 20 21 22
				23 24 25 26 27 28 29
				30
OCTOBER				OCTOBER 2018
Tuesday	23	Early dismissal at 11:30 am (½ PID)		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 22 23 24 25 26 27
				28 29 30 31
NOVEMBER				NOVEMBER 2018
Tuesday	6	Quarter 1 ends (45 days)		S M T W T F S 1 2 3
Tuesday	13	Early dismissal at 11:30 am (½ PID)		4 5 6 7 8 9 10
Tuesday	20	Prophet's Birthday* (Date subject to change)		11 12 13 14 15 16 17
				18 19 20 21 22 23 24
				25 26 27 28 29 30
DECEMBER				DECEMBER 2018
Friday	14	School Holiday - Winter Break begins		S M T W T F S 1
Sun - Mon	16 - 17	Bahrain National Day/Accession Day (National Holiday)		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

Student days sub-total: **71**

<u>Week Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Details</u>		
JANUARY				20
JANUARY				JANUARY 2019
Tuesday	1	New Year's Day		S M T W T F S
Sunday	6	Classes resume		1 2 3 4 5
Tuesday	22	Early dismissal at 11:30 am (½ PID)		6 7 8 9 10 11 12
Wednesday	30	End of Semester 1 (90 days)		13 14 15 16 17 18 19
Wednesday	30	Quarter 2 ends (45 days)		20 21 22 23 24 25 26
				27 28 29 30 31
FEBRUARY				19
FEBRUARY				FEBRUARY 2019
Wednesday	6	Early dismissal at 11:30 am (½ PID)		S M T W T F S
Thursday	7	Full PID day – no classes		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
MARCH				20
MARCH				MARCH 2019
Tuesday	12	Early dismissal at 11:30 am (½ PID)		S M T W T F S
Friday	29	Spring Break begins		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
APRIL				17
APRIL				APRIL 2019
Mon - Thur	1 - 5	Spring Break		S M T W T F S
Thursday	11	Quarter 3 ends (45 days)		1 2 3 4 5 6
Thursday	18	Early dismissal at 11:30 am (½ PID)		7 8 9 10 11 12 13
Sunday	21	School Holiday		14 15 16 17 18 19 20
				21 22 23 24 25 26 27
				28 29 30
MAY				21
MAY				MAY 2019
Wednesday	1	Bahrain Labour Day Holiday		S M T W T F S
Tuesday	7	Holy Month of Ramadan begins*		1 2 3 4
Tuesday	21	Early dismissal at 11:30 am (½ PID)		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
<i>Holy Month of Ramadan hours in effect for all RVIS employees from May 7 – June 5, 2019, 7:45 am to 2:15 pm</i>				
JUNE				12
JUNE				JUNE 2019
Friday	14	Graduation ? ?		S M T W T F S
Wed – Sun	5 - 9	Eid Al Fitr * including days in lieu (Dates subject to change)		1
Thursday	20	End of Semester 2 (90 days)		2 3 4 5 6 7 8
Thursday	20	Quarter 4 ends (45 days)		9 10 11 12 13 14 15
Thursday	20	Last day of school for students – dismissal at 11:30 am		16 17 18 19 20 21 22
				23 24 25 26 27 28 29
				30
JULY				0
JULY				JULY 2019
				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 22 23 24 25 26 27
				28 29 30 31

Student days sub-total: **109**

Total Student Days: 180

- Half-day PIDs counted as student contact days.
- Full-day PIDs are not counted as student contact days.
- NEW teachers/paras/nurse in-service days are not counted in the total teacher workdays.