

Dates May be Subject to Change

High School and Year Abroad Programs Schedule for 2025-2026 School Year (Including Orientation)

Semester I

August 2025 to January 2026

New Students Preferred Arrival Date:	Sunday, August 24, 2025
Recommended Departure Date	Saturday, January 24, 2025
Additional Homestay Nights in August	8 nights (based on August 24 arrival)
Orientation Program	August 25 – August 29, 2025

Semester 1 classes start	Tuesday, September 2, 2025
Semester 1 classes end	Friday, January 23, 2026

Semester II

January 2026 – June 2026

New Students Arrival Date	Sunday, January 25, 2026
Recommended Departure Date	From June 20 to July 1, 2026
Additional Homestay Nights	7 nights (based on January 25 arrival)
Orientation Program	January 26 to January 28, 2026 (MS Teams and In-Person)

Semester 2 classes start	Thursday, January 29, 2026
Semester 2 classes end	June 23, 2026

One semester and one-year students can depart from June 20 or remain until the end of June.

Incomplete Days	June 24 and 25, 2026
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Winter Break: December 22, 2025 – January 2, 2026.
Classes resume Monday, January 5, 2026.

Spring Break: March 16 – 27, 2026
Classes resume Monday, March 30, 2026.

Monthly homestay fees are based on ten months from September 1 to June 30. Additional nights during orientation are extra and currently charged at \$40.00 per night for additional nights if arrival is before the first of a Month.

Please note that if a student has no scheduled examinations or assignments due, they may depart from June 20. Please consult with the International Education staff at NWSS for more information.