



# ACADEMIC YEAR 2024 - 2025

## TERM DATES

### AUGUST 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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### SEPTEMBER 2024

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### OCTOBER 2024

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#### TERM 1

- Tuesday 06 - Wednesday 07 August - *New staff induction*
- Thursday 08 - Wednesday 14 August - *Non pupil days (Staff days)*
- Wednesday 14 August - *New pupil orientation*
- Thursday 15 August - *First pupil day*
- Monday 02 - Tuesday 03 September - *School closed (Vietnam National Day)*
- Monday 14 - Friday 18 October - *Half term holiday*
- Wednesday 18 December - *Term ends*

Sub-total number of pupil days: 83  
Sub-total number of staff days: 88

#### TERM 2

- Tuesday 07 January - *Non pupil day (Staff day)*
- Wednesday 08 January - *First pupil day*
- Friday 24 January - Friday 7 February - *School closed (Tet Holiday)*
- Monday 10 February - Tuesday 11 February - *Non pupil days (Staff days)*
- Monday 07 April - *School closed (Hung King Day)*
- Friday 18 April - *Term ends*

Sub-total number of pupil days: 59  
Sub-total number of staff days: 62

#### TERM 3

- Monday 05 May - *First pupil day*
- Wednesday 25 June - *Term ends*

Sub-total number of pupil days: 38  
Sub-total number of staff days: 38

*Total number of pupil days: 180*  
*Total number of staff days: 188*

- Non - pupil days
- School holidays
- Public holidays
- New staff induction
- Public holidays - non Vietnamese staff

### NOVEMBER 2024

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### DECEMBER 2024

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### JANUARY 2025

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### FEBRUARY 2025

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### MARCH 2025

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### APRIL 2025

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### MAY 2025

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### JUNE 2025

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### JULY 2025

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## TOP 100 UNIVERSITY DESTINATIONS 2023

Since the first IBDP Cohort in 2010, BIS HCMC students have attended top-ranked colleges and universities around the world every year, including the following institutions which are currently ranked in the QS Top 100.

### UNITED KINGDOM

University of Birmingham  
University of Bristol  
University of Cambridge  
University of Edinburgh  
University of Glasgow  
Durham University  
Imperial College London  
King's College London  
London School of Economics and Political Science  
University College London  
University of Leeds  
University of Manchester  
The University of Nottingham  
University of Oxford  
University of Southampton  
University of Warwick

### UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Boston University  
University of California, Berkeley  
University of California, Los Angeles  
University of California, San Diego  
University of Chicago  
University of Michigan  
University of Pennsylvania  
University of Washington  
Carnegie Mellon University  
Columbia University  
Cornell University  
Duke University  
Georgia Institute of Technology  
New York University  
Northwestern University  
Pennsylvania State University  
Purdue University  
Stanford University  
Yale University

### AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND

University of Adelaide  
Australian National University  
Monash University  
University of Auckland  
University of New Zealand  
University of Melbourne  
University of Sydney  
University of New South Wales  
University of Western Australia  
University of Queensland  
The University of Technology, Sydney

### CANADA

University of British Columbia  
McGill University  
University of Toronto

### ASIA

The Chinese University, Hong Kong  
Hong Kong Polytechnic University  
Hong Kong University of Science & Technology  
University of Hong Kong  
Korea Advanced Institute of Science & Technology  
Korea University  
National University of Singapore  
Nanyang Technological University  
Seoul National University  
University of Tokyo  
National Taiwan University  
Yonsei University, Korea

### EUROPE

University of Amsterdam  
Universitat Heidelberg  
KU Leuven  
Trinity College, Dublin

## OTHER INSTITUTIONS

In addition to the QS Top 100 our students have also attended a diverse range of world-renowned colleges and universities for specialist subjects.

### UNITED KINGDOM

Architectural Association School of Architecture  
University of Bath  
Birkbeck University of London  
Cardiff University  
Central St Martins, University of the Arts  
University of Exeter  
Goldsmiths, University of London  
Lancaster University  
University of Liverpool  
Loughborough University  
Newcastle University  
Queen Mary University of London  
Royal Holloway, University of London  
University of Westminster  
University of York  
University of Sheffield  
University of Sussex  
University of Central Lancashire  
Royal Central School of Speech and Drama

### UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Berklee College of Music  
University of Boston  
Arizona State University  
University of California, Santa Cruz, Fordham University  
Academy of Art University  
Pratt Institute  
College of William and Mary  
Connecticut College  
Dartmouth College  
Emory University  
The George Washington University  
Harvey Mudd College  
HULT Business School  
Maryland Institute College of Art (MICA)  
University of Massachusetts - Amherst  
Parsons School of Design at The New School  
Pennsylvania State University

Pomona College  
Pratt Institute  
Northeastern University  
University of Utah  
Savannah College of Art and Design  
Mercer University  
Fordham University  
Brigham Young University  
University of Richmond  
Rollins College  
Mount Holyoak  
University of San Diego  
University of San Francisco  
University of Wisconsin-Madison  
San Diego State University  
Rhode Island School of Design  
School of the Art Institute Chicago  
University of Southern California  
Tufts University  
Wellesley College

### AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND

Blue Mountains Hotel School  
James Cook University  
RMIT University

### CANADA

University of Calgary  
Concordia University  
Dalhousie University  
Brock University  
Emily Carr University of Art & Design  
McMaster University  
University of Waterloo  
Bishop's University

### ASIA

Fulbright University Vietnam  
Hanyang University, Korea  
International Islamic University of Malaysia  
Kyushu University, Japan

LASALLE College of the Arts, Singapore  
Nagoya University, Japan  
National Taipei University  
University of the Philippines  
RMIT Vietnam  
Savannah College of Art & Design Hong Kong  
Singapore Management University  
Sungshin Women's University, Korea  
Sungkyunkwan University  
Waseda University, Japan  
Yale-NUS College, Singapore

### EUROPE

Aalborg University, Denmark  
The American University of Rome  
Universiteit Antwerpen, Belgium  
University of Cape Town, South Africa  
University College Cork, Ireland  
Ecole Hoteliere de Lausanne, Switzerland  
Eindhoven Institute of Technology, The Netherlands  
Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands  
European University Business School, Spain  
Glon Institute of Higher Education, Switzerland  
University of Groningen, The Netherlands  
Hanze University of Applied Sciences, The Netherlands  
INSA Lyon, France  
Istituto Marangoni Fashion & Design School, Italy  
Les Roches International School of Hotel Management  
Maastricht University  
IE University, Madrid  
Copenhagen Business School  
Swiss School of Tourism & Hospitality, Switzerland  
Simmelweis University, Hungary  
University College Utrecht, The Netherlands  
University of Veterinary Medicine Budapest, Hungary  
Willem de Kooning Academy, The Netherlands