



First Week of Classes – 2025-2026 School Year

Dear American Rams Parents and Guardians,

We are excited to officially welcome our scholars and families to the 2025-2026 school year at American School! This first week is full of important dates, activities, and reminders to help us start strong.

A Special Welcome

We are honored to welcome new families joining us this year. We are committed to making your transition smooth and your experience here exceptional.

First Week Schedule

- Monday, August 11 – First Day of Classes for Pre-K through 11th grade.
- Tuesday, August 12 – Senior Welcome Ceremony at 8:30 a.m. in the school gym.

Arrival & Dismissal Times

- Elementary (Pre-K – 4th grade) – Arrival 7:30 a.m. | Dismissal 2:30 p.m.
- Middle School (5th – 8th grade) – Arrival 7:45 a.m. | Dismissal 2:45 p.m.
- High School (9th – 12th grade) – Arrival 8:00 a.m. | Dismissal 3:00 p.m.

Homework Section

Please note: **Homework sections for Elementary and Middle School, as well as High School labs, tutoring, and clubs, will not begin until September.** We still need to calculate the number of scholars who will participate in these programs, and we are actively working on acquiring additional resources to provide the highest quality support. Families who have already paid for Homework Section for August will have their payment **prorated toward September**. We kindly ask for your patience and cooperation during this transition period. We are committed to ensuring a smooth and safe process for everyone.

Cafeteria & College One Update

We are pleased to inform you that American School is in the process of integrating **College One**, our new school management platform. This innovative system will streamline communication, academics, and administrative processes, helping us better serve our scholars and families. During this transition, our team is working diligently on the **technological infrastructure** to ensure that everything runs smoothly once the platform is fully operational and the access bands are distributed. We sincerely appreciate your patience and understanding as we work to make sure the system is stable, secure, and ready to provide the best possible experience for everyone. Please note that College One is **not yet running at 100%**. Because of this, we kindly ask that scholars bring money to purchase their lunch starting **Wednesday**. As a special introduction, the school will be providing **FREE lunch on Monday and Tuesday** so students can sample our menu. For our **Elementary School families**, this is a wonderful opportunity to speak with your scholars about their lunch experience and decide if you would like to enroll them in our Hot Lunch program. Thank you for your continued support as we move forward together in this exciting new chapter for American School.