



**QUR'ĀN ACADEMY FOR YOUNG SCHOLARS (QAFYS)**  
**الأكاديمية القرآنية للباحثين الصغار (قافيس)**

## Academic Calendar

2023 - 2024 School Year

**Classes will be in-person: 8AM - 4PM**

2023-2024 Academic Year			
Semester 1		Semester 2	
Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Sep. 7 — Nov. 17	Nov. 20 — Feb. 9	Feb. 12 - May 17	May 20 - Jul 31

	Date	Event / Occasion
	September 5 (Tue)	Teacher/Administration Orientation (No class for students) 9AM-4PM
2023	September 6 (Wed)	Teacher's Training (No class for students) @ Baitul Mamur Masjid: 9AM-4PM
	September 7 (Thu)	<b>First day of class</b> <b>*Deadline for October 7, 2023 -- SAT Test*</b>
	September 9 (Sat)	Parent Orientation @ Baitul Mamur Masjid: 10AM — 1PM
	September 23 (Sat)	QAFYS Family Picnic
	October 5 (Thu)	<b>*Deadline for November 4, 2023 -- SAT Test*</b>
	October 7 (Sat) via	<b>SAT Test -- 11/12th Grade</b>
	October 9 (Mon)	No Class: School Closed <b>Indigenous Peoples' Day</b>
	October 12 (Thu)	<b>Review Day/Teachers Meeting: 1:40 PM - 4PM</b> <b>Half-Day for Students: 8:00 AM - 12:25 PM</b>
	October 16 — 20	<b>QAFYS Culture Week 2024</b>
	November 2 (Thu)	<b>*Deadline for December 2, 2023 -- SAT Test*</b>
	November 4 (Sat)	<b>SAT Test -- 11/12th Grade</b>



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	November 14 (Tue)	<b>Q1 Grade Submission Deadline</b>
	November 16 (Thu)	<b>Parent-Teacher Conference: All Subjects</b> Session 1: 8:15 AM – 12:15 PM Session 2: 3:00 PM – 6:00 PM <b>Q1 (the first marking period) ends</b>
	November 20 (Mon)	<b>Q2 begins</b>
	November 23 – November 26	No Class: School Closed <b>Thanksgiving (4 days)</b>
	December 2 (Sat)	<b>SAT Test – 11/12th Grade</b>
	December 23 – January 2	No Class: School Closed <b>Winter Recess (10 days)</b>
2023  2024	January 15 (Mon)	No Class: School Closed <b>Martin Luther King Jr. Day</b>
	February 1 (Thu)	College Application/Essay Deadline (Application & Supporting Documents)
	February 5 (Mon)	Q2 Grade Submission Deadline
	February 8 (Thu)	<b>Review Day/Teachers Meeting: 1:40 PM – 4PM</b> <b>Half-Day for Students: 8:00 AM – 12:25 PM</b>
	February 9 (Fri)	<b>Parent-Teacher Conference:</b> Session 1: 8:15 AM – 12:15 PM Session 2: 3:00 PM – 6:00 PM <b>Q2 (the second marking period) ends</b>
	February 12 (Mon)	<b>Q3 begins</b>
	February 19 – 25	No Class: School Closed <b>Midwinter Recess (7 days)</b>
	Mar 11 – Mar 29	<b>Ramadan 1 – 19</b> Classes: 9 A.M. – 3:20 P.M.
	April 1 – April 14	<b>Eid Al-Fitr / Spring Recess</b> No Class: School Closed (14 days)
	April 10 – 12 (Wed – Fri)	<b>ELA State Exam Grades 3 – 8</b>
	May 7 - 9 (Tue - Thu)	<b>Math State Exam Grades 3 - 8</b>



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May 14 (Wed)	Q3 Grade Submission Deadline
May 16 (Thu)	<b>Review Day/Teachers Meeting: 1:40 PM - 4PM</b> <b>Half-Day for Students: 8:00 AM - 12:25 PM</b>
May 17 (Fri)	<b>Parent-Teacher Conference:</b> Session 1: 8:15 AM - 12:15 PM Session 2: 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM <b>Q3 (the third marking period) ends</b>
May 20 (Mon)	<b>Q4 begins</b> <b>Monday - Thursday</b> <b>8:00 AM- 3:10 PM</b>
May 27 (Mon)	No Class: School Closed <b>Memorial Day</b>
June 14 - 26	<b>Regents Week</b>
June 17 - 21	<b>Juneteenth - June 19th (Wed)</b> <b>Eid Al-Adha Recess (7 days)</b> No Class: School Closed
July 4 (Tue)	No Class: School Closed <b>Independence Day</b>
July 24 (Wed)	Review Day/Teachers Meeting
July 25 (Thu)	Q4 Grade Submission Deadline Q4 (the third marking period) ends
August 1 (Thu)	<b>BMMCC Graduation Day</b>
Aug. 2 - Sep. 4	No Class: School Closed <b>End of School Year Recess (33 days)</b>
Sep. 5 (Tue)	First day of class for 2024-2025

Reference: [NYC School Calendar](#)

If we allocate 3 Fridays for PTC and 1 day for emergency/weather, then **200 days**.

- **Q1: 09/07/23-11/17/23 = 53 Days (11/16/23 - PTC # 1 - 11/17/23)**
- **Q2: 11/20/23- 02/09/24 = 52 Days (02/08/24 - PTC # 2 - 02/09/24)**
- **Q3: 02/12/24- 05/31/24 = 54 Days (06/01/24 - PTC # 3 - 6/02/24)**
- **Q4: 06/05/24- 08/07/24 = 42 Days (08/02/24 - Review Date)**