



COLEGIO ALBANIA
Together We Light The Way
ACADEMIC CALENDAR
2025-2026

JULY / JULIO 2025	21-25	Orientation in Barranquilla for new expat teachers.
	22-31	Administrative Procedures - tramites contratuales
	28	1st day for Director, Level Principals and Curricular Coordinators
AUGUST / AGOSTO 2025	1-2	New teacher orientation
	4	1 st day for Teacher Leaders and returning staff
	4-8	11th Grade - Inductions (4 days) / Staff orientation week
	7	Holiday – Batalla de Boyacá
	11	1 st day for Students
	Aug 11 - Nov 7	1st Trimester
	18	Holiday – Asunción de la Virgen
	19-29	Handover Meetings / WIDA Test - Primary
	22	Co-Curricular day (1) – Recognition Awards Assembly
	25	Sport and Music Programs Begin
SEPTEMBER / SEPTIEMBRE 2025	26	Academic Council
	28	Open Day - Directive Council
	30	Teacher In-Service
	5	Co-Curricular day (2) – Assembly of Candidates
	16	Student Elections
OCTOBER / OCTUBRE 2025	18	Inauguration of Student Council
	19	Co-Curricular day (3) - / Amor y Amistad -
	22	Middle of First Trimester
	23	Academic Council
	25	Directive Council
	26	Grades updated in the system
NOVEMBER / NOVIEMBRE 2025	1	First Trimester mid-term reports e-mailed to parents.
	2	Día del Liderazgo
	3	Co-curricular day (4) / Open Day-Primary / Graduación IB
	6	Family Day
	7-17	Students Recess Weeks
	13	Holiday – Día de la Raza
	20	Classes resume
	20-31	MAP test fall session
	28	Academic Council
	30	Directive Council
DECEMBER / DICIEMBRE 2025	31	Co-curricular day (5) - Halloween
	3	Holiday – Día de los Santos
	5	Evacuation Drill
	7	End of 1st Trimester
	Nov 10 - Mar 6	2nd Trimester
	14	Co-curricular day (6) / Last day for best fit in the system
	17	Holiday – Independencia de Cartagena
	20	First Trimester report cards e-mailed to parents
	21	Student Led Conferences
	24	Evaluation and Promotion Commission
	25	Academic Council
	27	Co-curricular day (7) / Thanksgiving / Directive Council
	1-12	Mid-Year Exams for 5 th to 11 th grade
	8	Holiday – Día de la Inmaculada Concepción
	10	Preschool Christmas Show
	11	Primary School Christmas Show
	12	Last day before Christmas holiday

JANUARY / ENERO 2026	12	Holiday - Reyes Magos
	13	Staff Returns
	14	Classes resume
	17	11th Grade Saber 11 Simulation
	19	Middle of Second Trimester
	21	Mid-Year Exam results sent to parents (Secondary)
	23	Co-Curricular day (8) / Grades updated in the system
	27	Academic Council
	28	Second Trimester mid-term reports e-mailed to parents
	29	Directive Council
	30	100th Day of School
FEBRUARY / FEBRERO 2026	4	Read Aloud Day
	13	Co-Curricular day (9) St. Valentine's Day
	16	Day off for Carnaval de Barranquilla
	20	Co-curricular day (10)
	24	Academic Council
MARCH / MARZO 2026	26	Directive Council
	6	End of 2nd Trimester
	Mar 9 - Jun 18	3 rd Trimester
	13	Co-curricular day (11) / Last day for best fit in the system / π Day
	16-19	MAP Math Nights
	19	Second Trimester report cards e-mailed to parents
	20	Students Led Conferences / Water Day
	23	Holiday – Día de San José
	24	Evaluation and Promotion Commission / Academic Council
	26	Directive Council
APRIL / ABRIL 2026	Mar 30 - Abril 10	Spring Break
	13	Classes Resume
	17	Co-curricular day (12)
	20-24	PYP Literacy Nights
	20-30	MYP WIDA Test
	Abril 27 - May 21	IB Diploma Exams (11th Grade)
MAY / MAYO 2026	28	Academic Council - Earth Day
	30	Co-curricular day (13) / Language Day / Directive Council
	1	Holiday – Labor Day
	4-29	MAP test spring session
	4	Middle of Third Trimester
	8	Grades updated in the system
	8	Mother's Day
	13	Third Trimester mid-term reports e-mailed to parents
	15	Co-curricular day (14) – Teacher's day
	18	Holiday – Día de la Ascensión
	21-29	Recuperation activities 11th Grade
JUNE / JUNIO 2026	26	Academic Council
	28	Directive Council
	29	Co-curricular day (15)
	1-12	PYP WIDA Test
	8	Holiday – Corpus Cristi
	9-19	End of year exams for 5 th up to 10 th Grade
	9	Evaluation and Promotion Commission 11 th Grade
	9	Open Day 11th Grade
	10-12	PYP Exhibition
	10	Report Cards Conferences Seniors
	11	Calle de Honor
	12	Seniors Graduation
	15	Holiday - Sagrado Corazón
	17	Father's Day
	18	Directive Council - 4th Grade Milestone Ceremony
	19	End of 3 rd Trimester / Last day for students / End of Year Assembly
	22	Last day for best fit in the system
	24	Evaluation and Promotion Commission
	25	Third Trimester reports cards e-mailed to parents / Open Day / Last day for Teachers (Check out)
	26	Family Day

