

# Application Timeline

The VIS Admissions Policy and timeline adheres to the requirements of the Qatari Ministry of Education, and the dates provided below are an *approximate guide* to assist you in planning your child's application to VIS. Final dates are always subject to MoE approval each year.

Students who are already studying in Qatar and wish to apply to VIS must do so according to this schedule.

VIS offers rolling admissions throughout the year for students coming from outside of Qatar.

## VIS Admissions Timeline for an August enrollment (approximate dates):

### SEPTEMBER

**Late August/early September:** New families to VIS should plan to be available in Qatar from this time, in order to complete registration paperwork and begin school on time.

**Late August/early September:** Start of the new school year.

**Late August/early September:** Term 1 school fees are due.

### OCTOBER

**October 31st:** Registrations close for all overseas applications for the current school year.

### JANUARY

**Mid January:** Re-enrollment of current students begins.

**Late January:** Deadline for registrations for students coming from outside Qatar.

**Late January:** VIS Open Day.

### FEBRUARY

**Early February:** Applications open for siblings of current VIS students.

**Late February:** Registration deadline for **transfers** from schools in Qatar for the current school year.

### MARCH

**March 1st:** Admissions testing begins for September start date.

**March 1st - the following January:** Registration for students moving from outside Qatar

**March 1st - the following February:** Students may transfer from other schools in Qatar (all grades, any nationality)

**March 1st - October 31st:** Open registration for the following school year (all grades, all nationalities).