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## **School Calendars**

If you haven't yet managed to get hold of a school calendar for the 2025-2026 school year, please pick one up at the Communications Office (near the main reception).

## **Open House: September 25 - Final Information**

Our annual Open House is scheduled for **September 25, from 5.50 p.m. to 8.20 p.m.** This event is for parents only. It is an opportunity to follow your child's schedule and visit their classes, meet the teachers, and learn about what your children will be learning this year. More details will follow shortly before the event.

**Please access the evening's schedule [here](#). You will need to come prepared with your child's schedule from PowerSchool to compare with the schedule for the evening. We will not be printing student schedules.**

## **CEM IBE Predictive Testing - Grade 11**

CEM IBE testing provides students with a predictive outcome in their IB courses. From the students' perspective, the purpose of the testing is as follows:

- **Setting realistic and challenging targets**
- **Motivate and encourage**
- **Guard against complacency**
- **Help students stay on track and achieve their best**

You can access the short presentation [here](#) (which has already been presented to students at school) and a more extended video version [here](#) (12 mins), which provides more details.

Students will be taking their CEM Testing at school this week, on **September 23rd & 24th**. The test is an aptitude test and, as such, students cannot prepare for it.

## **Parent Coffee Morning Presentations**

The presentations from the Coffee Mornings on September 11th & 12th can be accessed [here](#). The Grade 11 & 12 slides begin at slide 34.

## IB Announcements

- Seniors: EE students must have completed their EE [\(Final checklist\)](#) and set up an appointment for their [Vive Voce](#) with their supervisor (by Oct 8th). This helps prepare for the third mandatory reflection. This is recorded on the Planning and Progress document on Managebac (deadline: October 9th). This is also submitted to the IB.
- Seniors: CAS students must have completed their [CAS work](#) from last year (by Oct 16). All information is on the Core Google Classroom Page.
- Completion of the EE process and the CAS expectations are required to receive Senior Privilege.
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## College Counseling Announcements

Click [here](#) for the Fall College Counseling Calendar containing information on events and fairs over the coming months. If you have any questions, please contact [blancamartin@asmadrid.es](mailto:blancamartin@asmadrid.es).

For more information, please visit our [College Counseling Website](#)

## World of Work Program

We invite you to collaborate with us on our [World of Work \(WoW\)](#) program as we are actively seeking professionals who can offer a variety of experiences throughout the school year, including:

- Industry Talks & Workshops:** Share your journey and insights with a group of students.
- On-site Industry Experiences:** Offer students the opportunity to experience industry firsthand.
- Mentorship Database:** Guide students as they explore their professional interests and answer questions they may have on an ad hoc basis. [Mentorship database form](#)

If you are interested in offering an opportunity now or in the future, please complete this [quick form](#), and we will be in touch soon.

Questions/ emails can be directed to Joanne at [joannewalker@asmadrid.es](mailto:joannewalker@asmadrid.es), and thank you for your support as we continue to grow this program.

## Upcoming Dates

Date	Event	Details
September 23, 7 p.m.	Grade 11 College Counseling Q&A (Virtual)	See details in the College Counseling section above.
September 25, 5.50 p.m.	Open House	More details will be sent out before the event.
September 30, 7 p.m.	Grade 11 College Counseling Q&A (Virtual)	See details in the College Counseling section above.

## Useful Links

[ASM IB Site](#)

[Upper School Learning Program](#)

[College Counseling](#)

