

# GOOD SHEPHERD INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

— Carrying Forward the Legacy of Excellence —

## CALENDAR 2010 – 2011



### PRIMARY SCHOOL (Class II to Class V)

*Fernhill Campus*

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### SECONDARY SCHOOL (Class VI to Class XII)

*Palada Campus*

Good Shepherd Knowledge Village  
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## FIRST TERM 2010 - 2011

### JULY 2010

- 25th Sunday New Admissions - Class VIII and Class IX (ICSE) and Class XI (ISC) to report (Palada Campus)
- 26th Monday New Admissions - Class IV to V to report (Fernhill Campus)  
New Admissions - Class VII and IX (IGCSE) & Class XI (IB) to report (Palada Campus)
- 27th Tuesday New Admissions - Class VI to report (Palada Campus)  
New Admissions - Class II & III to report (Fernhill Campus)  
All students to report before 5.00 p.m. Those reporting after 5.00 p.m. will be fined.  
(Phone calls by parents / guardians permitted ONLY after 11th August 2010)

### AUGUST 2010

- 14th Saturday **INTER SCHOOL ATHLETIC FESTIVAL (PROVISIONAL)**
- 15th Sunday **INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS**
- 28th Saturday to 29th Sunday Parents are permitted to take out their children from Saturday 1.30 p.m. to Sunday, 5.00 p.m.

### SEPTEMBER 2010

- 1st Wednesday **1ST MONTHLY EXAMINATIONS BEGIN**
- 14th Tuesday Progress Reports and Counsellors' Reports to parents.

### OCTOBER 2010

- 15th Friday **FOUNDER'S DAY CELEBRATIONS**  
Evening Indoor Programme (School Auditorium)
- 16th Saturday Morning Outdoor Programme (Stadium)
- 16th Saturday to 19th Tuesday MID TERM BREAK - Parents are permitted to take out their children from Saturday, October 16th 12.30 p.m. to Tuesday, October 19th 5.00 p.m.

19th Tuesday **Those reporting after 5.00 p.m. will be fined. (No escort trips will be arranged by the School)**

27th Wednesday Model United Nations Day

## NOVEMBER 2010

1st Week **1st REVISION EXAMINATIONS (X and XII – ICSE & ISC )**  
**2nd MONTHLY EXAMINATIONS (II to IX, X (IGCSE), XI (ISC & IB) & XII (IB) CIPP EXAMINATIONS**

2nd week Progress Reports to Parents  
Food Festival – Children’s Day

2nd / 3rd week **Trinity Guildhall, London - Practical Examinations (Provisional)**  
Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme

## DECEMBER 2010

First week **TERMINAL EXAMINATIONS COMMENCES**  
**2nd REVISION EXAMINATIONS X & XII (ICSE & ISC)**  
**1st REVISION EXAMINATIONS X & XII (IGCSE & IB)**

15th Wednesday School closes for the winter vacation; Parents / Guardians may collect their children from 5.00 p.m. onwards on 14th and escorted trips leave for domestic and international flights on 15th.

## SECOND TERM 2010 - 2011

### JANUARY 2011

12th Wednesday Students of Class X (ICSE) & Class XII (ISC) report by 5.00 p.m. Those reporting late will be fined.

17th Monday **3rd REVISION EXAMINATIONS (X & XII – ICSE & ISC)**

26th Wednesday Students of Classes II to IX, XI, Class X (IGCSE) and Class XII (IB) to report by 5.00 p.m. Those reporting late will be fined.

## FEBRUARY 2011

- 1st Tuesday **4th REVISION EXAMINATIONS FOR X & XII (ICSE & ISC)**
- 11th Friday **5th REVISION EXAMINATIONS FOR X & XII (ICSE & ISC)**  
**2nd REVISION EXAMINATIONS X & XII (IGCSE & IB)**
- 19th Saturday **INVESTITURE CEREMONY**  
Morning Function Parents are invited to attend the Investiture Ceremony. They may take out their children from Saturday, 11.30 a.m. to Sunday, 5.00 p.m.
- GRADUATION CEREMONY**  
Parents of Class XII students are invited to attend the Graduation Ceremony at 12.00 noon followed by Lunch.

## MARCH 2011

- 2nd Wednesday **ICSE / ISC BOARD EXAMINATIONS (PROVISIONAL)**  
**3rd MONTHLY EXAMINATIONS (II to VIII)**  
**PROMOTION EXAMINATIONS FOR IX AND XI (ICSE & ISC)**
- 16th Wednesday Progress Reports and Counsellors' Reports to Parents.
- 3rd week **3rd REVISION EXAMINATIONS Class X & XII (IGCSE & IB)**

## APRIL 2011

- 13th Wednesday Evening Programme
- 14th Thursday **ANNUAL ATHLETIC MEET**
- 14th Thursday **MID-TERM BREAK**  
to Parents are permitted to take out their children from Thursday 1.00 p.m. to Sunday, 5.00 p.m. Those reporting after 5.00 p.m. will be fined. (No escort trips will be arranged by the School)
- 17th Sunday
- 19th Tuesday **PRIZE DAY – Working Day**
- 3rd week **4th REVISION EXAMINATIONS Class X & XII (IGCSE & IB)**
- 4th Week CLSP Examinations

## MAY 2011

May 1st week	<b>Trinity College of London (Trinity Guildhall) - Theory Examination</b> <b>IGCSE &amp; IB BOARD EXAMINATIONS COMMENCE.</b>
16th Monday	<b>PROMOTION EXAMINATIONS</b> for II to VIII <b>MONTHLY EXAMINATIONS</b> for IX & XI
25th Wednesday	School closes for Classes II to XI (Summer Vacation) Parents and Guardians may collect their children from 5.00 p.m. onwards on 24th and escorted trips leave for domestic and international flights on 25th

### TENTATIVE DATES FOR THE SAT & IELTS EXAMS

<b>SAT</b>	<b>2010 : October 9, November 6, December 4</b> <b>2011 : January 22, May 7, June 4th</b>
<b>IELTS</b>	<b>2010 : 2nd week of September</b>

**Medical & Engineering Entrance Examinations** Training sessions for the medical and engineering entrance examinations will be in progress once a week throughout the year for classes IX to XII.

#### PLEASE NOTE :

1. Parents are requested to inform the school travel agency M/s Thomson Tours and Travels, the travel plan of their ward/s before October 15th 2010 for the Winter Vacation and before March 15th 2011 for the Summer Vacation. Escort Trips will be arranged for the Summer / Winter Vacations only. Please note that escort facility will be provided only for students whose tickets are booked through the school travel agent.
2. Parents are to note that excepting the two Mid-term breaks and the specified two weekend outings, all other days, including Sundays are working days, when the School is in session.

## WEEKEND EXTRA-CURRICULARS

### INTER CLASS COMPETITIONS 2010 – 2011

Handwriting	<b>COMMUNITY SERVICE</b>
Quiz	<b>AT WEEKENDS</b>
Art	
Elocution	
Short Story	
Essay Writing	
Recitation	

### INTER HOUSE / INTER SCHOOL DIVISIONAL COMPETITIONS 2010 – 2011

#### Sub Juniors / Juniors / Inters / Seniors / Super Seniors - Boys & Girls

Handwriting	Chess	Short Story
Shuttle Badminton	Essay Writing	Basketball
Art	Volleyball	Inter Quiz
Junior Quiz	Senior Quiz	Hard Court Tennis
Recitation	Football	Carol Service
Athletics (Combined)	Elocution	Table Tennis
Debate	Cross Country	Music
Throwball	Dance	Rifle Shooting
Dramatics	Aquatic Meet	Cricket
Squash	Hockey	

N.B. Only select events for Sub Juniors & Juniors These competitions will be co-ordinated / conducted by the Co-curricular and the Physical Education Department

### Mountaineering Course (Provisional)

<b>August 2010</b>	August 2nd to October 2nd a) Class VIII / FM II b) Class VI / FM III
<b>October 2010</b>	October 20th to December 4th a) Class IX
<b>January 2011</b>	January 28th to February 28th a) Class XI - ISC / IB
<b>March 2011</b>	March 14th to 30th April a) Class VII / FM I b) Class IV / V

## Duke of Edinburgh Award Programme

October / November / January / February (Bronze, Silver, Gold)

- NB: A. The above schedules have been prepared taking into consideration
- i) Founder's Day Practices
  - ii) Inter House Cockhouse Competitions
  - iii) Inter School Sports & Games Schedule
  - iv) Monthly and Promotion Examinations
  - v) School functions other than the Founder's Day
    - a) The Investiture Ceremony
    - b) Graduation Ceremony
    - c) Evening Programme (13th April)
    - d) Athletic Meet (14th April)
    - e) Prize Day
- B. This schedule is subject to change under unavoidable circumstances.

### Thomson tours and travels

An IATA registered travel agency under the name and style aforesaid functions from;

#### Thomson Tours and Travels

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The travel arrangements of all the students are managed by the agency and the Parents / Guardians are to inform the agency atleast forty days before the closure of the school during winter and summer vacation , for the travel plans of their wards.

#### Services :

- GLOBAL TOURS
- TRAIN RESERVATION
- PACKAGE TOURS
- HOTEL RESERVATION
- SIGHT SEEING
- AIR TICKETS BOOKING
- ADVENTURE TOURISM

## IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

July 27th, 2010	Reopening after summer vacation. (Class VI will be shifted to the Palada Campus)
October 15th, 2010	Evening Indoor Programme of Founder's Day
October 16th, 2010	Morning Outdoor Programme of Founder's Day
December 15th, 2010	Closing for the winter vacation School closes for the winter vacation; Parents / Guardians may collect their children from 5.00 p.m. onwards on 14th and escorted trips leave for domestic and international flights on 15th.
January 12th, 2011	Students of Class X (ICSE) and Class XII (ISC) to report to school after winter vacation by 5.00 p.m.
January 26th, 2011	Students of Classes II to IX, XI, Class X (IGCSE) and Class XII (IB) to report to school after winter vacation by 5.00 p.m. Those reporting late will be fined.
February 19th, 2011	Investiture and Graduation Ceremony
April 13th, 2011	Evening Programme
April 14th, 2011	Annual Athletic Meet
May 25th, 2011	Closing for summer vacation
23rd July 2011	School reopens after summer vacation
October 14th, 2011	Evening Indoor Programme of Founder's Day
October 15th, 2011	Morning Outdoor Programme of Founder's Day
December 14, 2011	Winter Closing
January 12th, 2012	Students of Class X (ICSE) and Class XII (ISC) to report to school after winter vacation by 5.00 p.m.
January 26th, 2012	Students of Classes III to IX, XI, Class X (IGCSE) and Class XII (IB) to report to school after winter vacation by 5.00 p.m. Those reporting late will be fined.
February 18th, 2012	Investiture and Graduation Ceremony
April 18th, 2012	Evening Programme
April 19, 2012	Annual Athletic Meet
May 24, 2012	Summer Closing
July 28, 2012	Reopening after summer vacation (Classes IV and V also will be shifted to the Palada Campus)