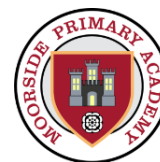


# Moorside Primary Academy



## TERM AND HOLIDAY DATES FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2026 – 2027

| Term and Holiday Dates                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                               |                                                 |             |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| TERM / HOLIDAY                                                                                                                                                                                                                    | PUPILS' FIRST DAY                             | PUPILS' LAST DAY                                | No. OF DAYS |
| Autumn Term 1                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September 2026      | Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> October 2026            | 33          |
| Half-Term Holiday                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> October 2026          | Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> October 2026            |             |
| Autumn Term 2                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November 2026          | Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> December 2026           | 35          |
| Christmas Holidays                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> December 2026         | Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> January 2027             |             |
| Spring Term 1                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> January 2027          | Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> February 2027           | 29          |
| Half-Term Holidays                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> February 2027         | Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> February 2027           |             |
| Spring Term 2                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> February 2027         | Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> March 2027            | 24          |
| Easter Holidays                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> March 2027            | Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April 2027               |             |
| Summer Term 1                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> April 2027             | Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> May 2027                | 39          |
| Half-Term Holidays                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Monday 31 <sup>st</sup> May 2027              | Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> June 2027               |             |
| Summer Term 2                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> June 2027             | Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July 2027               | 30          |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                               | Total Days                                      | 190         |
| BANK HOLIDAYS 2026 - 2027                                                                                                                                                                                                         |                                               |                                                 |             |
| Christmas Day                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | 25 <sup>th</sup> December 2026                | During Christmas holidays                       |             |
| Boxing Day                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | 26 <sup>th</sup> December 2026                |                                                 |             |
| New Years Day                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | 1 <sup>st</sup> January 2027                  |                                                 |             |
| Good Friday                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | 26 <sup>th</sup> March 2027                   | During Easter holidays                          |             |
| Easter Monday                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | 29 <sup>th</sup> March 2027                   |                                                 |             |
| Monday                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 3 <sup>rd</sup> May 2027                      | Bank Holiday - SCHOOL CLOSED                    |             |
| Monday                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 31 <sup>st</sup> May 2027                     | During Summer Half Term                         |             |
| PUPIL CLOSURE DAYS (INSET) DAYS                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                               |                                                 |             |
| <i>Pupils are required to be in school for 190 days per school year. Up to five pupil closure days may be taken at any time in the school year to be determined by the Principal with approval from the Local Governing Body.</i> |                                               |                                                 |             |
| Tuesday                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | 1 <sup>st</sup> September 2026                | School Closed – Inset Day                       |             |
| Monday                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 4 <sup>th</sup> January 2027                  | School Closed – Inset Day                       |             |
| Thursday                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 6 <sup>th</sup> May 2027                      | School Closed – Local Elections and Polling Day |             |
| Monday                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 26 <sup>th</sup> - 28 <sup>th</sup> July 2027 | School Closed – Inset Days                      |             |

**Please note that these dates are subject to change**

Reception Baseline Assessments are conducted during the first 6 weeks of the school year

**KS2 SATs Week:** We understand these to be the week commencing **Monday, 10<sup>th</sup> May 2027**.

**Phonics Screening for Year 1 & Year 2** takes place from **Monday, 14<sup>th</sup> June 2027**.

**Multiplication tables check for Year 4** takes place within the 2-week period from **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2027**.

**It is very important that all children attend school during these periods of time.**

DfE Guidelines mean that **NO** holiday requests will be authorised by school unless there are exceptional circumstances. When a pupil has at least 10 sessions of unauthorised absences from school within 10 weeks of term time, we have to notify the Local Authority and this may result in the issuing of a Penalty Notice fine of £160.00 per child, per parent, reduced to £80 if paid within 21 days.