# CHORLEY, ST MARY'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY School Term and Holiday Pattern 2024/25



#### **Autumn Term 2024**

Re-open on Wednesday, 4<sup>th</sup> September 2024

Half term closure – finish after school

Return to school

Close after school for Christmas

Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup> October 2024

Monday, 4<sup>th</sup> November 2024

Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> December 2024

## Number of openings = 72

### Spring Term 2025

Re-open on Monday, 6<sup>th</sup> January 2025
Half term closure – finish after school Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> February 2025
Return to school Monday, 24<sup>th</sup> February 2025

Close after school for Easter Holidays Friday, 4<sup>th</sup> April 2025

### Number of openings = 60

#### Summer Term 2025

Re-open on

Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2025

Polling Day Inset (school closed)

May Day Holiday (school closed)

Half term closure - finish after school

Return to school

Close after school for Summer Holidays

Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2025

Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup> May 2025

Friday, 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2025

Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2025

Tuesday, 22nd July 2025

Number of openings = 58
Total number of openings = 190

Staff Inset Days Monday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2024

Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2024 Friday, 25th October 2024 Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2025 Monday, 2<sup>nd</sup> June 2025

Holidays during term time: The school is under no obligation to authorise absences for holidays in term time. We encourage all parents to consider the disruption holidays in term time cause. Parents are expected to support school attendance by avoiding family holidays during term time, especially at key times, e.g. national tests. The Headteacher can only authorise leave of absence in term time in exceptional circumstances. Authorisation of all requests during term time will only be considered on completion of an Absence Request Form and in most cases a meeting with the Headteacher will be required to discuss the request. Absence Request Forms are available from the main office and are available to download from the school website.