

Diary Dates – Year 8

Academic Year 2026-2027

Half term	Date(s)	Event
1a	Tuesday 15 th September 2026	School photographs
	Tuesday 29 th September 2026	KS3 SEND Parents' evening (appointments with SENCO on invitation)
1b	Wednesday 25 th November 2026	Flu vaccination
	Tuesday 1 st December 2026	Christmas Showcase/Production (6pm)
	14 th – 17 th December 2026	Formal Assessment Week 1
2a	w/c 18 th January 2027	Formal Assessment Week 1 outcomes to students
	Wednesday 20 th January 2027	AU1 Report sent home
2b	w/c 8 th March 2027	Core subject mid-stakes assessments (Ma, En, Sci)
	Wednesday 17 th March 2027	Subject Parents' Evening (2:45pm – 6:30pm)
3a	Friday 23 rd April 2027	AU2 Report sent home
	Tuesday 27 th April 2027	Y7-10 SEND Parents' evening (appointments with SENCO on invitation)
	Thursday 29 th April 2027	Y7-10 ACE Awards Evening (for student winners)
3b	TBC	HPV Vaccinations
	28 th June – 1 st July 2027	Formal Assessment Week 2
	Friday 9 th July 2027	Sports Day
	Friday 16 th July 2027	AU3 Report sent home

- Parents' evenings will be face to face.
- We encourage parents to contact the Academy at any time should they want additional updates.
- On occasions, dates/times/logistics do need to change from the schedule outlined above, but we will inform parents/students as efficiently as possible.

	Academy Opens	Academy Closes
TERM 1a	Wednesday 2 nd September 2026 (Year 7 only) Thursday 3 rd September 2026 (all Year groups)	Friday 23 rd October 2026
Half term holiday	Monday 26 th October 2026	Friday 30 th October 2026
TERM 1b	Monday 2 nd November 2026	Thursday 17 th December 2026
Christmas Holiday	Monday 21 st December 2026	Friday 1 st January 2027
TERM 2a	Monday 4 th January 2027	Friday 12 th February 2027
Half term holiday	Monday 15 th February 2027	Friday 19 th February 2027
TERM 2b	Monday 22 nd February 2027	Thursday 25 th March 2027
Easter Holiday	Monday 29 th March 2027	Friday 9 th April 2027
TERM 3a	Monday 12 th April 2027	Friday 28 th May 2027
Half term holiday	Monday 31 st May 2027	Friday 4 th June 2027
TERM 3b	Monday 7 th June 2027	Friday 16 th July 2027

Additional Academy closures for students:

INSET Day	Tuesday 1 st September 2026
INSET Day	Friday 18 th December 2026
May Bank Holiday	Monday 3 rd May 2027

INSET Day	Friday 2 nd July 2027
INSET Day	Monday 19 th July 2027
INSET Day	Tuesday 20 th July 2027
INSET Day	Wednesday 21 st July 2027