



<b>Holiday Dates 2022 – 2023</b>		
<b>School Closes</b>		<b>School Opens</b>
<b>INSET</b>	<b>Thursday 1st September 2022</b>	
<b>INSET</b>	<b>Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September</b>	
		Monday 5th September
Queen's funeral	<b>Monday 19<sup>th</sup> September</b>	
		Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> September
Autumn half-term	Thursday 20th October	
<b>INSET</b>	<b>Friday 21st October</b>	
		Monday 31st October
Christmas	Friday 16th December	
<b>INSET</b>	<b>Tuesday 3rd January 2023</b>	
		Wednesday 4th January 2023
Spring half-term	Friday 17th February	
		Monday 27th February
Easter	Friday 31st March	
		Monday 17th April
<b>MAY DAY</b>	<b>Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May</b>	
		Tuesday 2nd May
Summer half-term	Thursday 25th May	
<b>INSET</b>	<b>Friday 26th May</b>	
		Monday 5th June
<b>End of Academic year</b>	<b>Friday 21st July 2023</b>	

### What does the law say about attendance at school?

The law requires all children between the ages of 5 and 16 to be in full time education. As the parent/carer of a child of compulsory school age it is your duty under Section 7 of the Education Act 1996 to ensure that your child attends school regularly.

- 5 minutes late each day means three whole days lost each year
- 17 days missed from school each year equates to a whole GCSE grade
- Attendance affects learning
- Attendance affects future outcomes
- Attendance affects wellbeing and a sense of belonging

Holidays taken during term time will only be authorised in exceptional circumstances. Unauthorised holiday absence may be subject to a Fixed Penalty Notice (fine).