



# Healey Primary School

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## **HOLIDAY PATTERN FOR 2025/26**

	<b><i>School closes</i></b>	<b><i>School opens</i></b>
Autumn		3 <sup>rd</sup> September <b>2025</b>
Half Term	24 <sup>th</sup> October	4 <sup>th</sup> November
Christmas	19 <sup>th</sup> December	5 <sup>th</sup> January <b>2026</b>
Half Term	13 <sup>th</sup> February	23 <sup>rd</sup> February
Easter	2 <sup>nd</sup> April	20 <sup>th</sup> April
May Day*	1 <sup>st</sup> May	5 <sup>th</sup> May
Spring Half Term	22 <sup>nd</sup> May	1 <sup>st</sup> June
Summer	<b>17<sup>th</sup> July</b>	

{\* May Day – **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May**}

### **Legislation in relation to leave taken during term time**

The law (Department of Education – from 1<sup>st</sup> September 2013) states that Headteachers **MAY NOT** grant leave of absence during term time unless they are satisfied that the circumstances are exceptional and warrant granting the leave.

A holiday during term time, would **NOT** be classed as exceptional.

### **EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES**

**UNAVOIDABLE**

**SIGNIFICANT**

**SHORT**

**RARE**

