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HOLIDAY PATTERN FOR 2026/27

| | <i>School closes</i> | <i>School opens</i> |
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| Autumn | | 3 rd September 2026 |
| Half Term | 23 rd October | 3 rd November |
| Christmas | 18 th December | 4 th January 2027 |
| Half Term | 12 th February | 22 nd February |
| Easter | 25 th March | 12 th April |
| May Day* | 30 th April | 4 th May |
| Spring Half Term | 27 th May | 7 th June |
| Summer | 20th July | |

{* May Day – **Monday 3rd May**}

Legislation in relation to leave taken during term time

The law (Department of Education – from 1st 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

