



# Healey Primary School

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## **HOLIDAY PATTERN FOR 2026/27**

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

{\* May Day – **Monday 3<sup>rd</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**

