KEY DATES 2026-2027

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AUTUMN TERM 2026

SEPTEMBER

Tues-Mon	1-7	Enrolment interviews for all students, including Screening Assessment
Thurs	10	1A/Foundation Ready to Learn Day – am or pm slot
Fri	11	INSET Day 1 of 5
Mon	14	Students attend for their first timetabled lesson
Tues	15	Freshers' Fair
Thurs	24	New Parents Information Evening (online)

OCTOBER

Mon-Fri	26-30	Half term week

NOVEMBER

Mon	2	College re-opens for students
Weds	5	Progress Review 1 published 08:30
Thurs-Mon	5-9	BTEC mocks
Weds	11	Progress Review Day (off timetable – Tutor appointment)
Weds	11	Open Evening
Thurs	12	INSET Day 2 of 5 – Reading day for students
Thurs	12	Open Evening
Fri	13	Wellbeing Day – Reading day for students
Tues	24	Targeted Parents Evening (15:30-20:30)

DECEMBER

Thurs	3	Christmas Concert – St Mary's Church, Causeway (19:00)
Thurs	10	Christmas Fair and Christmas Jumper Day ?
Weds	16	Prizegiving Event (16:30)
Thurs	17	Term Ends – (13:20 for students)

SPRING TERM 2027

JANUARY

Mon	4	Term Begins
Weds	6	Progress Review 2 published 08:30
Thurs	7	GCSE Exam Results
Tues	12	Progress Review Day (off timetable – Tutor appointment)
Thurs	14	General Parents Evening (15:30-20:30)
Mon	18	Foundation Skills Development Day 2 (daytime) - tbc
Tues	19	General Parents Evening (15:30-20-30)
Weds	27	Next Steps Careers Presentation online (18:00-19:15) – ***change of date***

FEBRUARY

Weds	3	Next Steps Careers Fair (17:15-20:00)
Mon-Fri	8-12	A Level mock exam week (2A off timetable all week)
Tues	9	Y11 Interview Day (all students off timetable – all staff interviewing)
Weds	10	Y11 Interview Day (smaller interview team)
Mon-Fri	15-19	Half term week
Mon	22	INSET Day 3 of 5 – Reading day for students
Tues	23	College re-opens for students

MARCH

Mon-Weds	1-17	Foundation to L3 Applicants interviews with Tutor/HoH
Mon	15	Progress Review 3 published 08:30
Thursday	18	BTEC Exam Results
Fri	19	Foundation to L3 offers finalised
Mon	22	Foundation student references open
Tues	23	Targeted Parents Evening (15:30-20:30)
Thurs	25	2A Founder's Day/Leavers Festival (all student off timetable from 12:15)
Thurs	25	Term ends

SUMMER TERM 2027

APRIL

Mon	12	Term begins
Thurs	15	Next Steps – Higher Education (online)
Fri	23	1A Study Leave from 16:15
Mon-Fri	26-30	Transfer Exams
Thursday	29	New Applicant Information Evening (online)
Fri	30	Foundation references complete

MAY

Mon	3	Bank holiday – college closed
Tues-Weds	4-5	Transfer Exams continue
Fri	7	2A Study Leave from 16:15
Mon	10	Exams start to 23 June
Mon	10	1A return to lessons
Mon-Fri	24-28	1A Work Experience Week – no classes
Mon	24	1A subject references open
Tues	25	INSET Day 4 of 5 – Reading day for students
Fri	28	Foundation Study Leave begins 16:15
Mon	31	Half term week

JUNE

Tues-Fri	1-4	Half term week
Mon	7	Exams continue to 23 June
Mon	7	Skills Month to 2/7
Mon	7	Progress Review 4 published 08:30
Tues	8	1A to 2A Progression Day

Thurs	17	Targeted Parents Evening 15:30-20:30
Mon-Fri	21-25	Foundation Work Experience Week
Fri	25	1A subject references complete
Mon-Tues	28-29	Transfer Exam resits

JULY

Thurs	1	Festival of Arts and Business
Fri	2	Festival of Science
Mon	5	Welcome Day – no classes
Tues	6	Welcome Day – no classes
Thurs	8	Transfer resit results published 17:00
Fri-Weds	9-14	Transfer resit referrals
Thurs	15	Term ends for students 13:20
Thurs	15	Open Evening for Year 10's
Fri-Tues	16-20	Staff Development activities (no classes)
Tues	20	Term ends for staff

AUGUST

Thurs	12	A Level/BTEC L3 results published
Thurs	19	GCSE/BTEC L2 results published

Term dates for 2027-2028

	Start	Half term	End
Autumn	Tuesday 31 August 2027	25-29 October	Friday 17 December
Spring	Tuesday 4 January 2028	14-18 February	Friday 31 March
Summer	Tuesday 18 April 2028	29 May-2 June	Tuesday 18 July

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