

**FORWARD TERM DATES 2026-2027**

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START OF SPRING TERM:	<b>Monday 5 January 2026</b>  1300 Friday 23-Sunday 25 January	<b>Monday 11 January 2027</b>  1300 Friday 29-Sunday 31 January
Free Weekend:	Friday 6 February	Friday 12 February
Music courses start:	After Music Course Concerts – see Head of Instrumental Department for details	After Music Course Concerts – see Head of Instrumental Department for details
Half Term starts:	Monday 23 February	Monday 1 March
Lessons restart:	1300 Friday 13-Sunday 15 March	---
Free Weekend:	<b>Saturday 7 March -NB change of date</b> (Compulsory attendance for all)	Saturday 20 March (Compulsory attendance for all)
Founder's Day:		
End of Term:	<b>1300 Friday 27 March</b>	<b>1300 Thursday 25 March</b>
START OF SUMMER TERM:	<b>Monday 13 April 2026</b>  Monday 4 May  1300 Friday 1-Monday 4 May (long)	<b>Monday 12 April 2027</b>  Monday 3 May  1300 Friday 30 April –Monday 3 May (long)
Half Term starts:	1300 Friday 22 May	1300 Friday 28 May
Lessons restart	Monday 1 June	Monday 7 June
Free Weekend:	1300 Friday 19 – Sunday 21 June	1300 Friday 25 – Sunday 27 June
<b>Final Concert - End of Year:</b> (concerts may finish earlier or later – please check with the Head of Instrumental Department)	<b>Friday 3 July</b> (concerts may finish earlier or later – please check with the Head of Instrumental Department)	<b>Friday 9 July</b> (concerts may finish earlier or later – please check with the Head of Instrumental Department)
NEW STUDENT INDUCTION:	<b>Saturday 5-Sunday 6 September</b> Details to be sent separately	<b>Saturday 4-Sunday 5 September</b> Details to be sent separately
START OF AUTUMN TERM:	Monday 7 September 2026	Monday 6 September 2027
Free Weekend:	1300 Friday 25-Sunday 27 September	1300 Friday 24-Sunday 26 September
Music courses start:	Friday 16 October	Friday 15 October
Half Term starts:	After Music Course Concerts – see Head of Instrumental Department for details	After Music Course Concerts – see Head of Instrumental Department for details
Lessons restart:	Monday 2 November	Monday 1 November
Free Weekend:	1300 Thursday 26-Sunday 29 November (long)	1300 Thursday 25-Sunday 28 November (long)
Christmas Music - End of Term:	<b>8.15pm Friday 18 December</b> (Compulsory attendance for all)	<b>8.15pm Friday 17 December</b> (Compulsory attendance for all)