Autumn Term 2026

SEPTEMBER

1st	**INSET DAY —School Closed for Pupils**
2nd	Children return to school
2nd	Reception in part-time
7th	Reception in full –time
7th—18th	SEN Review Meeting Fortnight
10th	'Getting the Foundations Right' EYFS Parents Information Evening, 3.30pm
12th	Grammar School Tests
16th-25th Nov	Class 2 Swimming
16th	Reading Open Lesson Event 8:50-10am
23rd	Behaviour information evening Parent Meeting, 3.30pm

OCTOBER

7th	Trip to Stroud Literature Festival TBC
9th	World Mental Health Day (#HelloYellow) - No Celebration Worship
15th	Harvest Service, Church, 2..30 pm
19th	Parents Evening, 3:30—6.30pm
19th	Individual and Sibling School Photographs
20th	New Reception Worship with Parents, 2:40pm
21st	Parent Evening , 3.30-4.30pm
21st	Whole School Flu Immunisations
26th	**Start of Half Term**
31st	Closing Date for Secondary School Places- Applications for September 2027

NOVEMBER

2nd	**Return to School**
11th	Remembrance Worship, 10.45 Worship
13th	Children In Need
16th	'Odd Socks' Day
16th—20th	Anti-Bullying Week
16th/17th	Bikeability Y5/6
18th	Open Day for New Parents, 9am
20th	Open Day for New Parents, 9am

DECEMBER

1st	'Terrific Tuesday'—Open Classrooms after school
2nd	Experience Advent, Gloucester Cathedral TBC
7th -11th	Assessment Week
10th	Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day and Christingle Service, Church 2..30 pm
14th	Class 1 Nativity Dress Rehearsal to the school PM
15th	Carol Concert in the Church 2.30pm
16th	Class 1 Nativity Performance, 2 PM, Village Hall
17th	Christmas Panto Day, Subrooms, 12:30pm
18th	Christmas Lunch & Party, Village Hall
18th	**Last Day of Term - Break up for Christmas**

Spring Term 2027

JANUARY

4th	**INSET DAY - School Closed for Pupils**
5th	**Return to School**
5th - 15th	SEN Review Meeting Fortnight
7th	Extra open day for Reception Parents 9am
14th	Writing Open Lesson Event, 8:50am—10am
15th	New Reception places deadline

FEBRUARY

9th	Safer Internet Day
12th	'Fabulous Friday' Open Classrooms, 3.15pm
15th	**Start of Half Term**
22nd	**Return to School**
22nd—5th	Heartwood Literature Festival

MARCH

1st	Notification Date for Secondary School Places
4th	World Book Day, Cosy Reading & Bedtime Stories
8th	Experience Easter, Gloucester Cathedral TBC
15th—19th	Assessment Week
19th	Red Nose Day
22nd	Parents Evening, 3:30—6.30pm
23rd	World Maths Day
24th	Parents Evening, 3:30—4.30pm
25th	Easter Service, Church, 2.30pm
25th	**Last day of Term— Break up for Easter**

Summer Term 2027

APRIL

12th	**Return to School**
14th	Autism Acceptance Day
12th– 23rd	SEN Review Meeting Fortnight
16th	Notification of Reception places
21st	Maths Open Lesson Event 8:50-10am
22nd	World Earth Day
28th	'Wonderful Wednesday' Open Classrooms, 3.15pm

MAY

3rd	**Bank Holiday - School Closed**
4th	Mossing of Figures, 2pm
5th	Flowers onto Figures,1.30pm
6th	Ascension Day Service & Well Dressing, 1.30pm
10th	Leavers and Class Photographs TBC
10th—13th	Year 6 SATS Week
28th	Sports Day
31st	**Start of Half Term**

JUNE

7th June	**Return to School**
7th-11th	Pre-School Visits for New Reception
7th - 18th	Y4 Multiplication Tables Check
8th	World Oceans Day
9th	Y6 Leavers Service Cathedral Visit, 10.30am TBC
14th–18th	KS1 Phonics Screening Week
16th	New Reception Parents' Meeting, 3.30pm
18th	Reserve Sports Day
21st —25th	New Reception Home Visits
21st— 25th	Assessment Week
24th	New Reception Teddy Bear's Picnic, 12pm
29th	Class 2 Production, Cotswold Playhouse
30th	Meet the Teacher (3.30pm and 4pm)

JULY

1st—2nd	Transition days
1st	New Reception Stay and Play Session 1, 10am
2nd	New Reception Stay and Play Session 2, 2pm
7th– 9th	Class 2 Residential, TBC (Years 5/6)
9th	Reports to Parents/Carers
12th—161th	SEN Review Meeting Week
15h	Year 6 Leavers Service, 2.15 pm Church
16th	**Last Day of Term - Break up for Summer**
19th-23rd	**INSET DAYs - School Closed for Pupils**

NB - If these dates need to be altered, we will inform you of any changes in our regular Newsletters.

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Term dates and holiday dates

AUTUMN TERM 2026

Tuesday 1st September (INSET Day)
TERM STARTS
Wednesday 2nd September

HALF TERM
Monday 26th October – Friday 30th October

TERM ENDS
Friday 18th December

SPRING TERM 2027

Monday 4th January (INSET Day)
TERM STARTS
Tuesday 5th January

HALF TERM
Monday 15th February – Friday 19th February

TERM ENDS
Thursday 25th March

SUMMER TERM 2027

TERM STARTS
Monday 12th April
Monday 4th May (Bank Holiday)

HALF TERM
Monday 31st May – Friday 4th June

TERM ENDS
Friday 16th July
Monday 20th July (INSET Day)

Calendar

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