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# STOCKPORT SCHOOL

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7<sup>th</sup> December 2018

Ref: End of Term Letter – Christmas 2018

Dear Parents/Carers

As you will be aware, the autumn term finishes for Christmas on Friday, 21<sup>st</sup> December. Students in Years 7 - 10 will be dismissed after lunch, at the slightly earlier time of 12.00 pm.

Students in Year 11 will be dismissed for the Christmas break at 3.50pm on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December, following the 3 week completion of their GCSE Mock exams.

The new spring term begins for all students on Monday, 7<sup>th</sup> January 2019 at 8.50 am. Students should arrive on site for 8.45 am.

## **Christmas Charities & Christmas Dinner Day**

We are proud that Stockport School has a strong community spirit and also actively supports charities. We are currently supporting the Hits Radio (Key 103) Mission Christmas Toy Appeal which has seen literally hundreds of toys/presents being brought into school by our own students and staff. In support of Mission Christmas, we will once again be running our charity Christmas jumper day on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December, where for a £1.00 donation, students can come into school dressed in their uniform with a festive jumper. Students and staff will also have the opportunity to purchase and enjoy a festive Christmas dinner on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> December (students must have pre-registered/ordered and have sufficient monies on their account on that day).

## **Parents' Evenings and Grade Cards**

On Thursday, 24<sup>th</sup> January, we will be holding our Year 11 Parents' Consultation Evening (5.00 pm – 7.45 pm). The second grade card of the year, will be issued to parents of our Year 11 students upon arrival for the evening. Students in Year 11 will also be issued, earlier that day, with their GCSE Mock Exam Certificate, during a 'Mock Examination Results Day' event.

All other Year groups will receive their second personal grade card midway through the next term in February. As ever, once you receive them, I would encourage you to spend some time looking over it and discussing the information contained on the grade card, regarding targets, academic progress, and attitude to learning, with your child. It is important that both you and your child are fully aware of their progress to date and also of any areas in which they may need to direct their attention to during the spring term. If you would like any further information or support regarding student progress or the grade card, I would ask you to contact your child's Director of Progress or Pastoral Manager.

## **Spring and Summer Terms Calendar**

I am pleased to include with this letter, a copy of the spring and summer terms calendar for your information. The calendar outlines all of the key events and activities taking place over the next two terms. I would encourage you to support and attend each event appropriate to your child. Further details on the school year and calendar can be found on the school website, [www.stockportschool.net](http://www.stockportschool.net)



## 2019-20 Term Dates

I have also included with this letter, a copy of the provisional 2019-20 Term Dates for your information. Please could I remind you that I am no longer allowed to authorise term time holidays for students. Parents are therefore, advised to arrange any family holidays outside the published school term times, and also to try and arrange any necessary medical appointments for the end of the school day. You may be aware that the NHS have just recently expanded their services to offer evening and weekend GP appointments, which we would encourage students to access as an alternative to missing school time.

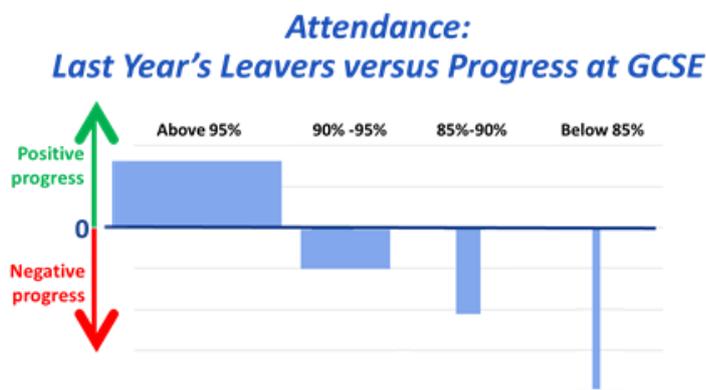
## Attendance and the Impact of Absence

Our attendance target for all students is **100%** (190 days attended from 190) and we have a core expectation that all students achieve well over 96% attendance, missing no more than 8 school days throughout the year.

It goes almost without saying that regular attendance is essential to progress and success and for that reason I would hope that you will support us in helping your child to achieve well over 96% this year.

Every day matters and each day missed hinders progress, see below:

- **95% Attendance = 2 weeks off (52 lessons missed) per year, and 2 ½ months (260 lessons missed) - Almost a school term over a five year period!**
- **90% Attendance = 4 weeks off (104 lessons missed) per year, and 5 months (520 lessons missed) - Almost half a year over a five year period!**



In order for students to achieve well over 96% attendance and therefore succeed in school, I would ask you to support us by sending your child into school on time for 8.45am every day where possible, as lateness to school is also disruptive to learning and hinders progress.

It would also be helpful if you could try to arrange medical and dental appointments for outside of school hours using the new NHS out-of-hours evening and weekend GP appointment service and therefore, keep medical appointments in school time to an absolute minimum. If on the rare occasion a medical appointment during school time is unavoidable, then I would ask that your child attends school beforehand and/or returns to school immediately that same day following their appointment. If a student is absent from school first thing in the morning or immediately after lunch then they cannot receive an attendance present mark for that session.

Please could I also remind you that I am not allowed to authorise holidays during term time and the Local Authority will issue Penalty Notices for a minimum of £60 per parent per child for high/unauthorised absence for holidays taken during term time. Where there is evidence of persistent or ongoing unauthorised absence the Local Authority may seek to prosecute parents with a fine of up to £2,500, or in more serious cases, leading to a term of imprisonment.

In order for us to address this key priority of good attendance and to support you as parents, we now regularly on a daily basis conduct home visits to check on the welfare of students who fall below our core expectation of less than 96% attendance. These home visits may on occasion, also be accompanied by our Community Police Officer or Local Education Authority Welfare Officer.

Of course, for the vast majority of our students who attend school regularly each day, we also seek to recognise, celebrate and reward good attendance with our students through our rewards system, and we will be looking to enhance this even further in 2019.

I would like to thank you for your support in helping us to maximise attendance and in doing so, enhancing student success through positive progress and outcomes.

### **Punctuality**

Whilst the vast majority of our students arrive on the school premises on time, we are concerned for the small minority of students who arrive at school late, after lessons have begun.

At Stockport School, we expect your child to be in school and ready to learn every morning for at least 8.45am to begin the first lesson of the day at 8.50am. The first ten minutes of a lesson are often key to the rest of the session and students who miss this time often struggle for the rest of the lesson. If this occurs even once, it could potentially mean that they are missing out on an hour or more of learning on that day. Persistent lateness could mean that even more learning time is missed which could have a knock-on effect on overall progress and attainment.

If your child, like most of our students, has had an excellent attendance and punctuality record over the past term, as can be checked from their recent Grade Card, then it is worthy of note and recognition, as your child is clearly putting themselves in a very strong position for future success. However, if your child has generated any number of late marks or absences during the past term, I would ask you to take this opportunity to discuss the importance of maintaining consistently good attendance and punctuality and the negative impact that it is likely to have upon their learning and progress if they are unable to do so. This may mean that you need to encourage your child to get up/leave for school earlier. We appreciate any support you can offer so we can work towards improving attendance and punctuality across the school and therefore, enhancing progress and outcomes for all of our students.

If you have concerns about your child's attendance and/or punctuality or need further support in regard to attendance and punctuality issues, please contact your child's Pastoral Manager or alternatively, Mr Whitehead, Deputy Headteacher, by calling the school number on 0161 483 3622, or alternatively by email: [p.whitehead@stockport.stockport.sch.uk](mailto:p.whitehead@stockport.stockport.sch.uk).

### **Enrichment and Extra-curricular involvement**

At Stockport School we are committed to providing enriching opportunities for students away from the classroom. We believe that by encouraging students to participate in activities they can develop essential skills for life. Students can try new experiences, build friendships, confidence and resilience and have fun too.

Enrichment activities at Stockport School take many forms. For example, there are enrichment activities on offer during lunchtime, Tutor time, at the end of the day, sports - both practice and fixtures, throughout the year and a host of other calendared events, opportunities and experiences.

I would like to take this opportunity to encourage your child to make a New Year's resolution and put themselves forward and get involved in a new and exciting extra-curricular enrichment activity in the spring term. Full details of our extensive enrichment programme are available on our website.

### **The Stock Press News Magazine – Autumn Term**

There has been an incredible amount of activity involving our staff and students during the past term that we would like to share and celebrate with you as parents. To do so effectively, we will be publishing the next edition of our Stock Press News Magazine in the next few days. Please look out for your electronic copy arriving soon!

### **Literacy and Reading for pleasure**

One of the most important and effective ways in which you as parents can support your child with their learning is by encouraging your child to read at home. The ability to read well is essential for progress across all curriculum and subject areas. Our research indicates that students who read only rarely outside school tend to have lower chronological reading ages than their peers, and thus struggle to make the progress that they should.



In school, we have a whole school focus on literacy and reading, especially with our Accelerated Reading Programme, and I would ask that you as parents try to support us and your child by spending time, where possible, reading with them or by encouraging them to read for themselves and then asking them about what they have read and learnt. Reading materials could include for example, magazines, comics, newspapers, on-line articles, e-books and of course traditional books. With Christmas just around the corner, I would suggest that giving a reading present would make an ideal stocking filler.

With regards to Library books, please could we remind students and parents of the importance of them returning any outstanding or overdue books as soon as possible. This is important in order for us to maintain a good range of books available to our students at any one time. Where a book is overdue, a reminder message will have been sent asking for the immediate return of the book or for a £5.00 payment if the book is lost or damaged.

### **Uniform and Appearance**

I would like to thank you for your continued support in helping us to maintain high standards with regard to uniform and appearance. There has been a huge improvement in the overall appearance of our students over the last few years, and we now thankfully see very few students wearing make-up, jewellery, hooded tops, incorrect footwear, and in possession of mobile phones.

As we move through the colder winter months however, I would like to remind all parents that students are not allowed to wear hooded tops, sports type jackets or alternative sweatshirts anywhere on the school grounds. Only outdoor coats are permitted, to be worn outside of the school blazer. Coats should then be removed once inside the school building. In order to ensure consistency with this policy, students wearing inappropriate non-school uniform anywhere on the school grounds, including hooded tops, sports jackets and alternative sweatshirts will be challenged and those banned items will be confiscated for parents to collect. It is important therefore, that students come equipped ready for the winter months with an appropriate outdoor coat to keep them warm and dry.

I would also like to remind all parents/carers that the following items are also not allowed in school:

- Students are not allowed to wear jewellery apart from a simple wrist watch (*smart watches are not allowed*).
- Body piercings are not allowed, apart from one small plain stud in each ear lobe.
- Hair styles and colours should not be extreme.
- Make-up and false eyelashes are not allowed and should not be worn.
- Acrylic nails are also not suitable for school and are not allowed.
- Skirts if worn, must be of a reasonable length just above or below the knee.
- Visible 'snow socks' or other fashion boot socks are not permitted.
- Finally, students must also continue to wear black polishable shoes.

Please visit the Parents section of our website, if you need to check any information on our rules regarding our uniform and appearance policy.

We would ask for your support as parents with this upon your child's return to school in the New Year.

### **Smart Watches as Christmas Presents**

I would like to advise that Apple and other Smart watches are not allowed in school. Please be aware of this if you are purchasing one as a present for your child at Christmas, as they will not be permitted in school.

### **Emergency Closure and Parental Contact Details**

In the case of exceptionally bad weather, information will be posted on the school website, [www.stockportschool.net](http://www.stockportschool.net) and also on Stockport Council's website, [www.stockport.gov.uk](http://www.stockport.gov.uk). We will also use our emergency parent contact system (School Comms) to send emails to all parents for whom we have an up-to-date email address. If you think we may not have your correct email address or telephone number, please email [s.wordsworth@stockport.stockport.sch.uk](mailto:s.wordsworth@stockport.stockport.sch.uk)

## **SIMS Parent App Lite (New Data Collection App)**

In order to comply with GDPR regulations we have started to roll out a new electronic software system for collecting personal information and emergency contact details for your child/children. SIMS Parent App Lite enables us to share Data Collection information conveniently and securely with you to check, amend and send back to us without the need for paper Data Collection Sheets being printed. The new electronic Data Collection will only be sent to Contacts living at the same address as the student.

SIMS Parent App Lite has been trialed with a few parents at school and has been found to be extremely user-friendly and easy to use. We would strongly encourage you to use this new App, to see the personal information we hold for your child/children. You will be able to access this via your smartphone, tablet or PC, although you can still make changes by email or telephone. The roll out will be done a Year group at a time over the next few months and information will be sent out about how to use the SIMS Parent App Lite via School Comms and then an activation email sent directly to yourselves. Year 8 Parents will have already had email contact from us about the App. If, in the meantime, you need to update your email address please email Mrs Wordsworth, Student Records and Exams Officer at [s.wordsworth@stockport.stockport.sch.uk](mailto:s.wordsworth@stockport.stockport.sch.uk)

## **Firefly**

A reminder that you can use our Firefly parent portal to access information about your child and their school life. This is available in a web browser, on a computer or smartphone, or by using the 'Firefly for Parents' App. By accessing the Firefly portal, you can see details about your child's:

- Attendance
- Achievements and behaviour
- Reports and Grade Cards that have been sent home over the last year
- Tasks or homework that have been set for them
- Marks and feedback from selected tasks and homework
- Timetable

If you have not already activated your account then just use the email address that we have listed for you, or make sure that we have an up to date address. Our IT Co-ordinator, Mr Bowers, will be happy to help you with any queries about the portal. You can contact Mr Bowers at [j.bowers@stockport.stockport.sch.uk](mailto:j.bowers@stockport.stockport.sch.uk).

## **Bikes and Student Safety**

I would like to remind students and parents of the importance of bike safety and road awareness. There have been a number of reports this year of students riding bikes without taking due care and attention of the environment around them, sometimes causing concern to pedestrians and car drivers. In the interests of safety, I would ask that all students ensure that their bikes are road worthy in terms of safety and that they show due consideration to other persons when riding to and from school in order to avoid an accident. We would also encourage all students to use lights during the winter months, and to wear a helmet to protect against injury in the event of an accident.

## **Bike Security**

Students should also note that all bicycles must be stored securely in our bike compound next to the Lake Street entrance. If students come to school on a bike, they must secure their bike with a lock in this area by no later than 8.45am as the compound will be secured shortly after for the day. Students arriving late to school after this time will not be able to gain access to the locked compound and therefore store their bikes securely on the school site. For health and safety reasons bikes cannot be left anywhere else on the school site, and will be removed if found.

It is important that all students secure their bicycles with a robust lock inside the compound in order to guard against theft. This is especially important at the present time, as there has been a spate of reported thefts and attempted bicycle thefts all across the borough, including on a couple of occasions in the past year, from our school, where bicycles have not been secured with a robust lock and have been stolen by intruders. Although the school provides a secure compound monitored by CCTV, it cannot be held responsible for damage or theft of any bicycles left on the school premises. Bicycles are therefore, brought into school at the risk and responsibility of the owner.

### **Car Parking and Student Safety**

Please could I also remind parents who drop-off or pick-up students from school, not to park on double yellow or zig-zag lines as not adhering to this puts our students and other passers-by at risk. There have been a number of incidents in the past year, where inconsiderate parking and driving near to the school grounds has caused a hazard and a danger to our students and other passers-by. The safety of students and others is obviously of paramount importance and I would ask for your support in

### **Popularity of the School**

Further to our recent excellent Ofsted recognition and ongoing successful school improvement initiatives, I was very pleased to learn a couple of weeks ago, that the school's popularity has continued to grow amongst our local community and beyond, and in particular, for future parents interested in obtaining a place for their child at Stockport School.

As of mid-November, only a couple of weeks after the national application for Year 7 places in September 2019 deadline, Stockport School had received a record number of applications for the 240 Year 7 places available in September 2019. In total, there were an incredible 662 applicants listed as having applied for a place in Year 7 next year, of which 366 were first choice and 529 were first or second choice!

This is a great indication of just how strongly and positively the community, and in particular, parents in the immediate locality and beyond, now view our school and as a result, are desperate for their own children to attend. I believe this is another very strong indication and recognition of just how well our current students, supported by our very dedicated and skilled staff are performing.

Finally, I would like to wish you a very happy Christmas and a peaceful, healthy and hopefully successful New Year.

With very best wishes,



Mr. I. R. Irwin  
Headteacher



## Term Dates 2018-19

### Autumn Term 2018

\*School will be closed to students on Monday, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2018 for staff training (INSET)

**Begins:**      **Tuesday, 4<sup>th</sup> September 2018 at 11:00am** (Years 7/11 only) (RED week)  
**Wednesday, 5<sup>th</sup> September 2018 at 8:45am** (all Year groups)

\*School will be closed to students on Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> October 2018 for staff training (INSET)

**Half-Term:**      **Closes: Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> October 2018**  
**Opens: Monday, 29<sup>th</sup> October 2018 at 8.45am** (BLUE week)

\*School will be closed to students on Friday, 30<sup>th</sup> November 2018 for staff training (INSET)

**Ends:**              **Friday, 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018**

### Spring Term 2019

**Begins:**            **Monday, 7<sup>th</sup> January 2019 at 8.45am** (BLUE week)

**Half-Term:**      **Closes: Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> February 2019**  
**Opens: Monday, 25<sup>th</sup> February 2019 at 8.45am** (BLUE week)

**Ends:**              **Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> April 2019**

\*School will be closed for Easter, inclusive of Good Friday on 19<sup>th</sup> April 2019 & Easter Monday on 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2019

### Summer Term 2019

**Begins:**            **Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2019 at 8.45am** (BLUE week)

\*School will be closed for the May Day Bank Holiday on Monday, 6<sup>th</sup> May 2019

**Half-Term:**      **Closes: Friday, 24<sup>th</sup> May 2019**  
**Opens: Monday, 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2019 at 8.45am** (RED week)

**Ends:**              **Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> July 2019**

### Staff Training (INSET) days (School closed to students)

- Monday, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2018
- Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> October 2018
- Friday, 30<sup>th</sup> November 2018
- Monday, 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2019 (disaggregated)
- Tuesday, 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2019 (disaggregated)

## Parental Calendar – Key Dates 2019

### Spring Term 2019

Monday 7th January	Students return to school (Blue week)
Monday 14th January	Year 10 exams in practical subjects (until 17th January) Year 9 examinations all week
Friday 18th January	Year 10 written examinations begin (until 29th January)
Monday 21st January	Year 10 examinations continue all week
Wednesday 23rd January	Student review of Assessment 2 with form tutor during registration (Y11)
Thursday 24th January	Year 11 Parents' Consultation Evening 5-7.45pm Year 11 students receive GCSE mock exam results period 6 Assessment 2 reports for Year 11 issued to parents
Thursday 31st January	Year 11 GCSE Music Solo Day
Friday 1st February	NSPCC Number Day
Sunday 3rd February	Year 10 Duke of Edinburgh Award Training Day
Wednesday 6th February	Year 9 Gateway visit to Manchester University
Thursday 7th February	Intermediate Maths Challenge Year 11 GCSE Drama final exam all day
Monday 11th February	Year 10 Science Live visit to Manchester
Wednesday 13th February	Student review of Assessment 2 with form tutor during registration (Y7-10)
Thursday 14th February	Year 10 Parents' Consultation Evening 5-7.45pm
Friday 15th February	School closes for half term holiday 3pm Assessment 2 reports for Years 7-10 issued to parents
Monday 25th February	Students return to school (Blue week)
Tuesday 26th February	Year 11 group photo 2.40pm
Wednesday 27th February	Northern Chamber Orchestra workshops
Thursday 28th February	Northern Chamber Orchestra performances in Main Hall
Friday 1st March	Northern Chamber Orchestra performance at Stockport Town Hall (evening)
Saturday 2nd March	Maths visit to Disneyland Paris (returning on 5th March)
Thursday 7th March	Year 11 Duke of Edinburgh Award Presentation Evening 6pm
Monday 11th March	Additional Year 11 English/Maths mock exams this week



Thursday 14th March	Year 9 Options Evening 6-8pm Pi Day
Saturday 16th March	Year 10 Duke of Edinburgh Award Practice Walk
Monday 18th March	Year 10 Food visit to Reaseheath
Tuesday 19th March	Year 9 Healthy Mental Health Day
Thursday 21st March	Year 9 Parents' Consultation Evening 5-7.45pm Year 11 GCSE Music Ensemble Day
Monday 25th March	Deadline for handing in Year 9 Options Choice Form Year 11 GCSE Graphics exam this week (2 days)
Saturday 30th March	Year 10 Duke of Edinburgh Award Training Day
Monday 1st April	Year 11 GCSE Photography exam this week (2 days)
Wednesday 3rd April	Student review of Assessment 2 with form tutor during registration (Y11)
Thursday 4th April	Year 11 Directors of Study Intervention Evening (2) 5.30-7.30pm
Friday 5th April	School closes for Easter holidays 3pm Assessment 3 reports for Year 11 issued to parents

### **Summer Term 2019**

Tuesday 23rd April	Students return to school (Blue week)
Thursday 25th April	HPV immunisations - Year 8 girls
Friday 26th April	Year 7 Gateway visit to Manchester University
Monday 29th April	Year 11 GCSE MFL Speaking Tests all week
Tuesday 30th April	Junior Maths Challenge
Monday 6th May	School closed for Bank Holiday
Tuesday 7th May	Year 11 GCSE Art exam this week (2 days) Year 10 additional Maths, English and Science exams this week Year 8 English exam, Year 7/8 Maths exams this week
Saturday/Sunday 11th/12th May	Year 10 Duke of Edinburgh Award Practice Expedition
Monday 13th May	Year 11 written GCSE examinations begin
Wednesday 15th May	Student review of Assessment 3 with form tutor during registration (Y7-10)
Thursday 16th May	Year 7 Parents' Consultation Evening 5-7.45pm
Friday 17th May	Assessment 3 reports for Years 7-10 issued to parents

Friday 24th May	School closes for half term holiday 3pm
Monday 3rd June	Students return to school (Red week)
Thursday 13th June	Year 10 Geography field trip
Monday 17th June	Year 7/8 Science, Year 7/9 English, Y9 Maths exam this week Year 10 additional English, Maths and Science exams this week
Monday 24th June	Year 10 French, German, Spanish mock speaking tests (until 3rd July)
Wednesday 26th June	Examination Board Contingency Day
Thursday 27th June	Maths and MFL Roadshow
Friday 28th June	Year 11 Leavers' Assembly and Prom Year 11 Form Tutor reports issued to parents
Tuesday/Wednesday 2nd/3rd July	Year 10 Duke of Edinburgh Award Qualifying Expedition
Thursday 4th July	Year 6 Induction Day and Evening
Friday 5th July	Year 10 Reward visit
Monday 8th July	Year 10 Work Experience all week Year 7, 8, 9 Sports Day Stockport School Community Awards Evening 6-8pm
Tuesday 9th July	Year 7 Reward visit Year 5 Maths quiz
Wednesday 10th July	Year 8 Reward visit Year 7 English Spelling Bee
Thursday 11th July	Year 9 Reward visit Year 8 Speaking and Listening competition
Friday 12th July	Reserve morning for Sports Day
Monday 15th July	Year 8 Geography field trip Visit to Netball World Cup in Liverpool
Tuesday 16th July	Year 10 return to school after Work Experience
Thursday 18th July	Year 10 GCSE Art/Textiles/Graphics/Photography visit Assessment 4/Form Tutor Reports for Years 7-10 issued to parents
Friday 19th July	School closes for summer holidays



**Term Dates 2019-20** (Provisional)

**Autumn Term 2019** (15 weeks: 7/8 – 71 Teaching Days)

\*School will be closed to students on Monday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2019 for staff training (INSET)

Begins: Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2019 at 11:00am (Years 7/11 only) (RED week)  
Wednesday, 4<sup>th</sup> September 2019 at 8:45am (all Year groups)

\*School will be closed to students on Friday, 4<sup>th</sup> October 2019 for staff training (INSET)

Half-Term: Closes: Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> October 2019  
Opens: Monday, 28<sup>th</sup> October 2019 at 8.45am (BLUE week)

\*School will be closed to students on Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> November 2019 for staff training (INSET) \*C/S\*

Ends: Thursday, 19<sup>th</sup> December 2019

\*School will be closed to students on Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> December 2019 for staff training (Disaggregated INSET)

**Spring Term 2020** (12 weeks: 6/6 – 60 Teaching Days)

Begins: Monday, 6<sup>th</sup> January 2020 at 8.45am (BLUE week)

Half-Term: Closes: Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> February 2020  
Opens: Monday, 24<sup>th</sup> February 2020 at 8.45am (BLUE week)

Ends: Friday, 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2020

\*School will be closed for Easter, inclusive of Good Friday on 10<sup>th</sup> April 2020 & Easter Monday on 13<sup>th</sup> April 2020

**Summer Term 2020** (12 weeks: 5/7 – 59 Teaching Days)

Begins: Monday, 20<sup>th</sup> April 2020 at 8.45am (BLUE week)

\*School will be closed for the May Day Bank Holiday on Monday, 4<sup>th</sup> May 2020

Half-Term: Closes: Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2020  
Opens: Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> June 2020 at 8.45am (RED week)

Ends: Friday, 17<sup>th</sup> July 2020

**Staff Training (INSET) days (School closed to students)**

- Monday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2019
- Friday, 4<sup>th</sup> October 2019
- Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> November 2019 \*C/S\*
- Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> December 2019 (disaggregated)
- Monday, 20<sup>th</sup> July 2020 (disaggregated)

**Please remember to avoid term time dates when booking holidays**

