Autumn term begins: Tuesday $3^{\text {rd }}$ September 2024 for children

| Term | Start of Term | End of Term |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Autumn 1 | Tue 3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ Sep 2024 | Fri 18 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Oct 2024 |
| Half Term | Mon 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ Oct 2024 | Fri 25 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Oct 2024 |
| Autumn 2 | Mon 28 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Oct 2024 | Fri 20 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Dec 2024 |
| Christmas Holidays | Mon 23rd Dec 2024 | Fri 3rd Jan 2025 |
| Spring 1 | Mon 6 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Jan 2025 | Fri 14 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Feb 2025 |
| Half Term | Mon 17th Feb 2025 | Fri 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ Feb 2025 |
| Spring 2 | Mon 24 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Feb 2025 | Fri $4^{\text {th }}$ Apr 2025 |
| Easter Holidays | Mon ${ }^{\text {th }}$ Apr 2025 | Mon 21 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ Apr 2025 |
| Summer 1 | Tues 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ Apr 2025 | Fri $23{ }^{\text {rd }}$ May 2025 |
| (Bank Holiday - Mon $5^{\text {th }}$ May 2025) |  |  |
| Whitsun Holidays | Mon 26 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ May 2025 | Fri 30th May 2025 |
| Summer 2 | Mon $2^{\text {nd }}$ Jun 2025 | Tue 22 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ Jul 2025 |

## INSET - Staff Training

There are 5 in service training days during the year. School is closed to all children on these days:

- Monday $2^{\text {nd }}$ September 2024
- Monday $18^{\text {th }}$ November 2024
- Friday $6^{\text {th }}$ December 2024
- Monday 31 ${ }^{\text {st }}$ March 2025
- Friday $27^{\text {th }}$ June 2025


## EID

EID-UL-FITR is forecast to begin in the evening of Sunday $30^{\text {th }}$ March 2025.

EID-UL-ADHA is forecast to begin in the evening of Friday $6^{\text {th }}$ June 2025.

## Statutory Assessments

| What | Who | When |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Reception baseline assessment | Reception children | In the first 6 weeks after each child enters reception |
| KS2 SATs | Year 6 | Week beginning Monday $12^{\text {th }}$ May 2025 |
| KS1 SATs | Year 2 | May 2025 |
| Multiplication tables check | Year 4 | From Monday 2 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ June 2025 |
| Phonics screening check | Years 1 and 2 | Week beginning Monday $9^{\text {th }}$ June 2025 |

## Absence, Appointments and Holidays

- All absences have to be recorded and will appear on each child's school report. All parents and carers must notify the school of the reason for their child's absence before 8.30am on the first day of absence and keep updating daily until the child returns to school.
- Where possible, dentist and medical appointments must be made outside of school hours. Parents / Carers must inform school before appointments and provide evidence.
- Absence and holidays will not be authorised in term time. Parents and carers must arrange their own holidays to coincide with those of the school.
- If leave of absence is required for exceptional circumstances, a letter of application must be made to the school in advance. These will only be approved in very exceptional circumstances and supporting evidence will be required.
- School will issue fines, in line with LA guidance, for unauthorised absences.

