## Standard School Year 2025/26

Recommended school term and holiday dates for the academic year 2025/26 for West Sussex
The School Year

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|  | September |  |  |  |  | October |  |  |  |  | November |  |  |  |  | December |  |  |  |  |
| Monday | 1 | 8 | 15 | 22 | 29 |  | 6 | 13 | 20 | 27 |  | 3 | 10 | 17 | 24 | 1 | 8 | 15 | 22 | 29 |
| Tuesday | 2 | 9 | 16 | 23 | 30 |  | 7 | 14 | 21 | 28 |  | 4 | 11 | 18 | 25 | 2 | 9 | 16 | 23 | 30 |
| Wednesday | 3 | 10 | 17 |  |  | 1 | 8 | 15 | 22 | 29 |  | 5 | 12 | 19 | 26 | 3 | 10 | 17 | 24 | 31 |
| Thursday | 4 | 11 | 18 | 25 |  | 2 | 9 | 16 | 23 | 30 |  | 6 | 13 | 20 | 27 | 4 | 11 | 18 | 25 |  |
| Friday | 5 | 12 | 19 | 26 |  | 3 | 10 | 17 | 24 | 31 |  | 7 | 14 | 21 | 28 | 5 | 12 | 19 | 26 |  |
| Saturday | 6 | 13 | 20 | 27 |  | 4 | 11 | 18 | 25 |  | 1 | 8 | 15 | 22 | 29 | 6 | 13 | 20 | 27 |  |
| Sunday | 7 | 14 | 21 | 28 |  | 5 | 12 | 19 | 26 |  | 2 | 9 |  | 23 | 30 | 7 | 14 | 21 | 28 |  |


| 2026 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | January |  |  |  |  | February |  |  |  |  | March |  |  |  |  |  | April |  |  |  |  |
| Monday |  | 5 | 12 | 19 | 26 |  |  | 9 | 16 | 23 |  | 2 | 9 | 16 | 23 | 30 |  | 6 | 13 | 20 | 27 |
| Tuesday |  | 6 | 13 | 20 | 27 |  |  | 10 | 17 | 24 |  | 3 | 10 | 17 | 24 | 31 |  | 7 | 14 | 21 | 28 |
| Wednesday |  | 7 | 14 | 21 | 28 |  |  |  | 18 | 25 |  | 4 |  | 18 | 25 |  | 1 | 8 | 15 | 22 | 29 |
| Thursday | 1 | 8 | 15 | 22 | 29 |  |  | 12 | 19 | 26 |  | 5 | 12 | 19 | 26 |  | 2 | 9 | 16 | 23 | 30 |
| Friday | 2 | 9 | 16 | 23 | 30 |  |  | 13 | 20 | 27 |  | 6 | 13 | 20 | 27 |  | 3 | 10 | 17 | 24 |  |
| Saturday | 3 | 10 | 17 | 24 | 31 |  | 7 | 14 | 21 | 28 |  | 7 | 14 | 21 | 28 |  | 4 | 11 | 18 | 25 |  |
| Sunday | 4 | 11 | 18 | 25 |  | 1 |  | 15 | 22 |  | 1 | 8 |  | 22 | 29 |  | 5 | 12 | 19 | 26 |  |


|  | May |  |  |  |  |  | June |  |  |  | July |  |  |  |  | August |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Monday |  | 4 | 11 | 18 | 25 | 1 | 8 | 15 | 22 | 29 |  | 3 |  |  | 27 |  | 3 | 10 | 17 | 24 | 31 |
| Tuesday |  | 5 | 12 | 19 | 26 | 2 | 9 | 16 | 23 | 30 |  | 7 |  | 21 | 28 |  | 4 | 11 | 18 | 25 |  |
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Bank and Public Holidays 2025/26

| Christmas Holiday | 25th December 2025 | May Day | 4th May 2026 |
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| Boxing Day | 26th December 2025 | Spring Bank Holiday | 25th May 2026 |
| New Year Day Holiday | 1st January 2026 | Summer Bank Holiday | 31st August 2026 |
| Good Friday | 3rd April 2026 |  |  |
| Easter Monday | 6th April 2026 |  |  |

## Useful Information

Term Lengths (days)

| School holidays | September to October half term | 38 |
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|  | October to December | 35 |
| Bank holidays and national holidays | January to February half term | 30 |
| Start of Term | February to April | 25 |
|  | April to May half term | 29 |
|  | June to July | 38 |
| End of Term | Total | 195 days |

Please note that the first day of the autumn term in September 2026 will not be determined until the 2026/27 timetable has been consulted upon and approved.

