




2025/2026

ST GEORGE'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

HOLIDAY LIST

	Date of Opening	Date of Closure
AUTUMN TERM 2025 	Wednesday 3 September	Friday 24 October
	HALF TERM BREAK	
	Monday 3 November	Friday 19 December <i>at 1.15pm*</i>
	CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY	
SPRING TERM 2026 	Tuesday 6 January	Friday 13 February
	HALF TERM BREAK	
	Monday 23 February	Friday 27 March
	EASTER HOLIDAY	
SUMMER TERM 2026 	Monday 13 April	Friday 22 May
	HALF TERM BREAK	
	Monday 8 June	Friday 24 July <i>at 1.15pm*</i>

Other closures

- May Bank Holiday Monday 4 May 2026

INSET DAYS

- Monday 1 September and Tuesday 2 September 2025
- Friday 5 December 2025
- Monday 5 January 2026
- Monday 27 July 2026
- ** Nursery open for morning session 8.40 – 11.40 am*

ABSENCE/LATE ARRIVAL AT SCHOOL

When your child arrives late at school, they miss the teacher's instructions and the introduction to the lesson.

Your child may also feel embarrassed at having to enter the classroom late.

<u>Minutes late per day</u>	<u>Days lost in a year</u>
5 minutes	3.5 days
10 minutes	7 days
15 minutes	10.5 days
20 minutes	14 days
30 minutes	21 days

Frequent lateness can add up to a considerable amount of learning lost and can seriously disadvantage your child.

<u>Days Absent from School</u>	<u>Reduces attendance to</u>
5 days	97.5%
10 days	95.0%
15 days	92.5%
20 days	90.0%

Attendance of 95% or above is seen to be average and acceptable. Attendance below this will always be queried, and two weeks (10 days - absence in a school year brings a child's absence down to 95%. Any absence of 90% or below will be seen as a cause for concern.

Unauthorised absences may result in a penalty warning initially, followed by a penalty notice if unauthorised absences continue.

Please try to book your holidays during the school holidays and ensure your children are in school each day and continue to make good progress!