

### Harrow School Term Dates 2024 - 2025

Term	Dates	School Days
<b>Autumn Term 2024</b> 15 weeks 75 days	Monday 2 September 2024 - Friday 25 October 2024	40
	<b>Half Term:</b> Monday 28 October 2024 to Friday 1 November 2024	
	Monday 4 November 2024 - Friday 20 December 2024	35
<b>Spring Term 2025</b> 12 weeks 60 days	Monday 6 January 2025 - Friday 14 February 2025	30
	<b>Half Term:</b> Monday 17 February 2025 to Friday 21 February 2025	
	Monday 24 February 2025 - Friday 4 April 2025	30
<b>Summer Term 2025</b> 12 weeks 60 days	Tuesday 22 April 2025 to Friday 23 May 2025	23
	<b>Half Term:</b> Monday 26 May 2025 to Friday 30 May 2025	
	Monday 2 June 2025 - Tuesday 22 July 2025	37
<b>Total</b>	School Days including INSET days	195

Note: INSET days are arranged by schools.

<b>Bank holidays</b>
26 August 2024 (Summer Bank Holiday)
25-26 December 2024 (Christmas Day Hols)
1 January 2025 (New Years Day Hol)
18 April 2025 (Good Friday)
21 April 2025 (Easter Monday)
5 May 2025 (May Day Bank Holiday)
26 May 2025 (Spring Bank Holiday)
25 August 2025 (August Bank Holiday)

#### **Occasional days**

Governing bodies may agree to up to 3 additional closure days to take account of the need to observe non-Christian religious festivals. If 3 occasional days are adopted then the school year will be 198 days and the additional days must be added to the end of the summer term.

### **Harrow agreed principles**

The former Education Strategy Consultative Forum agreed a set of principles to apply to School Term Dates for Harrow. These are as follows:

- The school year to be set with 195 days, incorporating 5 development days
- Schools to determine the development days
- The school year to start on the first useful day in September
- The October break to be one full week, the last full week in October
- 10 school days break at Christmas
- 10 school days break at Easter/Spring
- One week break in February and May/June
- A summer break of 5-6 weeks (not more than 6 weeks)

### **Comment in relation to the Harrow agreed principles**

The Harrow School Term Dates 2024-2025 comply with the Harrow agreed principles, except for:

- A longer 11 day school break at Easter (rather than a 10 day break)