



Newsdesk

Friday 1st May 2026

Summer 1 Term 5 issue 125

Dear Parents and carers,

As we progress into the month of May, we acknowledge this is an important and crucial month for the Year 6s to show off the knowledge and skills they have acquired during their time at Holy Trinity as SATs fast approach us. We celebrated the year 6 team today—Mr Brooks, Ms Maddox, Mr Chetty and Mr Dove as they were awarded Staff Ambassadors of the Week. We are very grateful to them all for dedication and commitment to ensuring the Year 6s achieve and enjoy success.

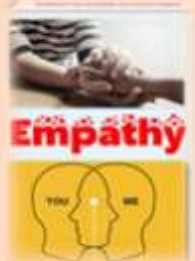
Our top spellers in KS2 were able to demonstrate their skills at the annual Windmill Cluster Spelling Bee competition on Tuesday. They all showed great determination and supported each other. The upper KS2 team came second but it was very close. Well done to you all.

This month, many classes have exciting trips planned to support their learning. Next week Bear and Duckling classes will be visiting Brockwell Park to enjoy the outdoor environment and wonder at the new cygnets. On Tuesday, Nora and Sienna of Lynx class will be taking part in the final of the Bake-off—we wish them well!

We hope you enjoy the May Day Bank holiday weekend and look forward seeing you back at school on Tuesday.

Have a blessed weekend

Ms Saddington



Holy Trinity Values Ambassador



Our Pupil Values Ambassador this week is
Nevaeh Molyneaux

You are super helpful in the mornings and always willing to
lend a hand. Thank you



Holy Trinity Staff Values Ambassador



Our Staff Values Ambassadors this week are
The Year 6 Team (Mr Brooks, Ms Maddox, Mr Chetty & Mr Dove)

You have worked so hard to ensure the pupils
achieve and experience success. Thank you.



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Our pupils in Year 4,5 and 6 represented Holy Trinity at the Windmill Spelling Bee competition on Tuesday.

They were fantastic ambassadors and did so well in the competition. The Year 5 and 6 team, made it through to the finals but were narrowly beaten by just one point.

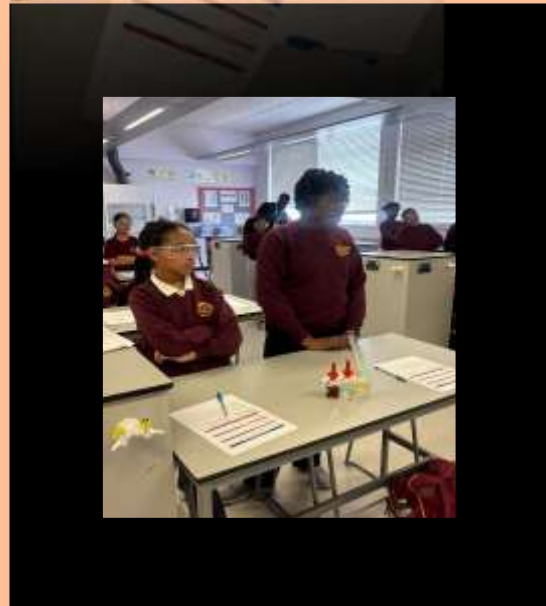
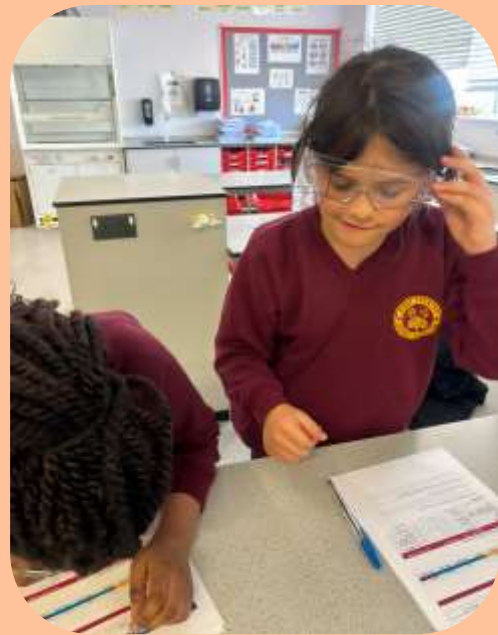
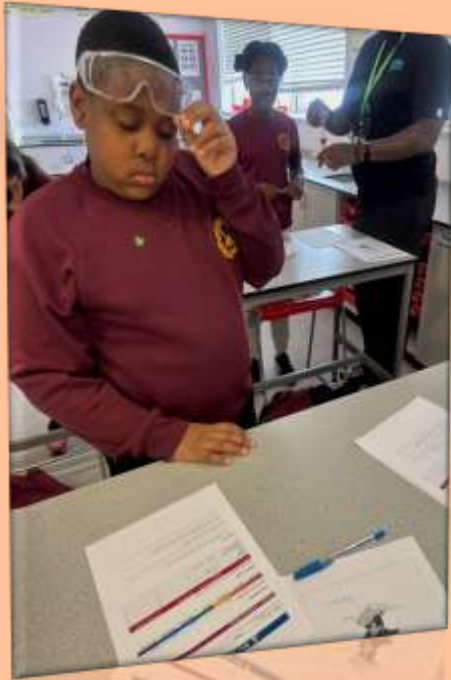
Well done to Mei-Larna, Joel, Henoc, Sienna, Ava-Marie, Emmrose, Annabelle and Henoc.

We are very proud of all of you!



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Prayer and time of reflection



As Gods creation we are expected to be fruitful to His glory In every sphere of our lives.

Fruitfulness comes in various ways, it could be through giving birth to our children as we see below (Cygnets at Brockwell Park) It could be through, advancement in our work place, financial, family, business, etc

Whichever area you find yourself this season, be expectant of great levels of fruitfulness in your life, as this is Gods will and desire for us all

Have a great and restful long weekend



The new cygnets at Brockwell Park



ONLINE SAFETY NEWSFLASH



Roblox Kids & Roblox Select

Roblox have been making some big changes recently, and that now includes 'age-gating' so that children and young people get the experience according to their age.

This means that there are now 3 types of Roblox accounts:

- Roblox Kids - for children 5-8 years.
- Roblox Select - for children 9-15 years.
- Roblox - for anyone 16+.

For any users that have not completed an age check, they will be put into the youngest users category and parents can update or correct a child's age through a linked account.

This link will take you to a simplified breakdown of the different accounts:

<https://en.help.roblox.com/hc/en-us/articles/48163847200532-What-are-Roblox-Kids-and-Roblox-Select>

twinkl www.twinkl.co.uk





Dear Parent/Guardian,

Surrey Cricket Foundation, England Cricket Board and Lambeth Council would like to offer your Child an opportunity to be a part of a regular cricket programme this summer at Brockwell Park - All Stars & Dynamos offers children the chance to learn new skills, make new friends, connect communities and is **fully funded** by Surrey Cricket Foundation & supported by Lambeth Council and as such will be **FREE** to all participants.

Important – Use the DISCOUNT PROMO CODE from the table below.

The All Stars Cricket is an entry level national programme aimed at 5–8 year olds. The sessions run every Friday 4.00pm – 4.45pm at Brockwell Park, SE24 9BJ for 8 weeks from 15th May until 10th July. Each child signed up for All Stars will receive a personalised t-shirt

The Dynamos Cricket is aimed at 8–11 year olds. The sessions run every Friday 5.00pm – 6.00pm at Brockwell Park, SE24 9BJ for 8 weeks from 15th May until 10th July. Each child signed up for Dynamos will receive a personalised t-shirt.

To register click one of the links below and use the DISCOUNT PROMO CODE when booking your place.

It is important you do not share this link as there are only a select number of places available.

All Stars Brockwell Park 15th May – 10th July 4.00pm – 4.45pm	Dynamos Brockwell Park 15 May – 10 July 5.00pm – 6.00pm
Sign up Link	Sign up Link
All Stars PROMO CODE: Y9BD4	Dynamos PROMO CODE : U74BN

Yours Sincerely,

Alex Hughes - allstars@surreyccricket.com / 07756 269946
Surrey Cricket Foundation,
Kia Oval, London, SE11 5SS



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What's on Crystal Palace Park

MAY



Photo Credit: Historic England

> Family fun

Fossils day

Geological Court | Drop-in | Free
Thursday 28 May, 10:00 - 12:30

Fossils day workshop

Geological Court | Ticketed | Free
Thursday 28 May, 13:30 - 14:30

DinoMania tour

Geological Court | Ticketed | Free
Saturday 30 May, 11:00 - 15:00

> Good times

Sunday Market

Grand Centre Walk | Free
Every Sunday, from 10:00

Boating Lake

Tidal Lakes | Paid
Saturday 28 March - Sunday 12 April, 10:30 - 17:00

Stand-up at the Subway

Subway | Ticketed | Paid
Thursday 21 - Sunday 24 May various timings

Sunday Sounds

Concert Platform | Free
Sunday 17, 24, 31 May
14:00-16:00

> Wellbeing

ParkBathe

Park wide | Ticketed | Free
Saturday 2 May, 14:00 - 15:30

ParkRun

Park wide | Drop-in | Free
Every Saturday, from 09:00

Junior ParkRun

Park wide | Ticketed | Free
Every Sunday, from 09:00

Crystal Palace Crits

Park wide | Ticketed | Paid
Tuesdays 5 May - 9 June
17:00 - 20:00

Crystal Palace Triathlon

Park wide | Ticketed | Paid
Sunday 10 May, 8:30 - 15:00

Pilates class

Concert Platform | Ticketed | Paid
Saturday 2, 16, 23 May
9:00 - 10:00

> Discover

Subway open day

Subway | Ticketed | Free
Saturday 9 May, 10:00 - 13:00

Tree walk

Geological Court | Ticketed | Free
Saturday 16 May, 11:00 - 13:00

Handmade Palace Art & Craft Market

Subway | Paid
Saturday 18 & Sunday 19 May
10:00 - 13:00



Photo Credit: Liz Isles Photography

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Find and book tickets:

www.crystalpalaceparktrust.org





Is your child finding it hard to make friends?

The award-winning makers of *The Dog House* are **casting** for a brand-new **BBC** series about **friendship**.

We are looking for **children aged 5 to 8** from all over the UK who need a little help navigating the world of friendship. Over three days, a team of child psychologists will help them build the social skills and confidence to make real, lasting connections with other kids.

If you'd like to help your child make a new friend (with no pressure to take part), please apply at:

bemyfriend.tv



COMMUNITY NEWS



Low Cost/No Cost Family Fun in London

Please look at the organisations' websites to double check times and arrangements



Living With Teenagers (LWT)

29th April – 5th July (Wednesdays, 10 weeks), 6:30pm – 8:30pm

Raw Materials, 2 Robsart Street, Brixton SW9 0DJ

Living with Teenagers (LWT) is an evidence-based parenting programme delivered through The NHS EPEC (Empowering parents, Empowering Communities) model. Running over ten weeks, the programme provides practical tools, peer support and guided discussion to help parents and carers navigate the challenges of raising teenagers. Built into the programme is Mindful Music – a collaborative and improvisatory music-making workshop where parents/carers create music together in a relaxed and supportive environment. It is designed for complete beginners – no music experience required! The session offers an opportunity to experience the wellbeing benefits of creative participation whilst connecting with others. Together these sessions aim to strengthen relationships with teenagers, build confidence in supporting young people's wellbeing and connect parents/carers with community support networks.

[RAW MATERIAL SIGN UP FORM](#)

[Creative Communities Creating Change \(4Cs\) – Raw Material Music & Media Education Ltd.](#)

SKATE 50

Southbank Centre – Queen Elizabeth Hall, SE1 8XX

Thursday 30th April – Sunday 21st June 2026

For all ages. Under-12s must be accompanied by an adult

See an exhibition telling the story of London's original skate space over the past half century, through photography, audio and video. As well as being the Southbank Centre's 75th anniversary, 2026 marks around 50 years since London skateboarders first adopted the concrete space under the Queen Elizabeth as their own. Since then, what is now known as the Undercroft Skate Space has become a cornerstone of UK skate culture – and a living, breathing monument to the creativity and DIY spirit of skateboarders from all over the world. Skate 50 features contributions from film-makers Winston Whiter, Dan Magee, Lev Tanju, Jack Brooks and the Keep Rolling Project, as well as sound artist Beatrice Dillon and animator Sofia Negri.

The event is offered on a 'pay what you can' basis. Free tickets are available, but if you're able to pay the suggested price of £5 or more, it will support those who otherwise wouldn't be able to attend. They have 'pay what you can' ticket prices of £0, £4, £6, £8 (suggested) and £10.

Skateboarders can enter for free by bringing their skateboard.

[Book | Southbank Centre](#)

WordPlay: - FREE

Southbank Centre – Queen Elizabeth Hall Foyer, SE1 8XX

Friday 1st, 15th, 29th May 2026,

Ages 0 – 2, 10:30am – 11:10am. Ages 3 – 5, 11:30am – 12:15pm

Through songs, dancing and games designed to encourage connection and communication, you and your children are invited to enjoy WordPlay together. Performing brand new music written especially for WordPlay, songwriter and musician Emma-Lee Moss shares songs to sing together, songs to sing to your child and songs that stay with you throughout the week. With accompaniment from harpist Serafina Steer and poet and performer Arji Mamselipalli. WordPlay is set within a soft sensory environment for you and your child to enjoy, designed by artist Rosie Elodie.

Broken Umbrella Challenge: Invent with Waste! Finale Event - FREE

Tooting Library Wandsworth – 75 Mitcham Road, SW17 9PD

Saturday 2nd May 2026, 3pm – 4pm

Come along for fun eco craft activities, snacks, and to celebrate their Broken Umbrella Challenge Easter Winners! Join them for a fun, family-friendly afternoon packed with hands-on activity stalls and a celebration of young inventors. Over the Easter holidays, children across Wandsworth took part in the Broken Umbrella Challenge, turning broken toys into new inventions and exploring ideas around waste, reuse, and the circular economy. At this event, they will be celebrating their creations and announcing the winners of the Easter Challenge. The Broken Umbrella Challenge is part of a wider programme by Science Owl, recently featured on BBC, which helps children engage with sustainability through creativity, problem-solving, and hands-on making.

[Broken Umbrella Challenge: Invent with Waste! Finale Event Tickets, Saturday 2 May • 14-16 | Ecoshells](#)

Spring Community Celebration – FREE entry

Brockwell Park Community Greenhouses, Brockwell Park, SE24 9BN

Sunday 3rd May 2026, 1pm – 4pm

As the garden springs into summer, join Brockwell Park for this free event to celebrate the local community! From beekeeping to bugs, films to food growing, come and find out how to get involved with your local community. Plus, a plant sale, live music, five kids craft activities, garden trails, and more ways to celebrate nature during this wonderful season! Also Raise the Roof and Dubrich Folk Choir will be in attendance. Food and refreshments will be available throughout the afternoon. Natural Connection Yoga will also be running a yoga taster session 11:30am – 12:50pm. It's free but booking is essential! Pre-book your entry tickets, for food and yoga session below.

[Spring Community Celebration – Brockwell Park Community Greenhouses](#)
[NATURAL CONNECTION YOGA TASTER SESSION – BROCKWELL PARK COMMUNITY GREENHOUSES](#)
[Steph Frizer Email:steph@brockwellgreenhouses.org.uk](#)

Mayfest – FREE

Brixton Windmill Community Centre, 100 Blenheim Gardens, SW2 5DA

Monday 4th May 2026, 1pm – 5pm

This year's May Day event will celebrate seasonal folk traditions with live music, Morris dancing, craft and planting activities. This year's event includes a visit from traditional May Day figure 'Jack in the Green'!

Event includes:

- Live music stage with music from 5 local bands – Lucy & Joe, London Metropolitan Brass Band and Brit Pop Folk Orchestra
 - Jack in the Green Parade with Brass Band (3:15pm)
 - Milling demonstrations between 2pm to 4pm
- Traditional May Day Morris Dancing from the Tasterjacks at 3:45pm in the Family Field
 - May Pole dancing in the Family Field around 4:15pm
 - Cakes, hot drinks, pizzas and more from their cafe
- Craft workshops including Green Man Masks and Paper Flowers
- Nature workshops from South London Botanical Institute and Urban Canopy
 - Planting and flower crown workshops
 - Family Volunteering Club activities
 - Hot food from Ea Root and Deuce
- Baker and Cake stalls from Bread Bread and Emily Must Cakes
 - Brixton Windmill Shop and Cafe

<https://www.brixtonwindmill.org/events/may-fest/>

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From Seed to Song at Village Orchard - FREE
Village Orchard, 20 Gallery Road, Dulwich Village, SE21 7AE
Saturday 9th May 2026, 12pm - 4pm

The Dulwich Estate and London Wildlife Trust invite everyone to enjoy a free, nature-inspired event at the much-loved Dulwich Village Orchard on Gallery Road. This event is part of a series throughout the year which offer families, neighbours, and nature-lovers the chance to reconnect with the outdoors through creative, educational and wildlife-friendly activities. Bring a blanket and a picnic, explore the Orchard, and make a day of it!

[From Seed to Song at Village Orchard - Dulwich Festival](#)

Dance in Dulwich Square - FREE
Dulwich Square, Dulwich Village, SE21 7AQ
Saturday 9th May 2026, 12pm - 4pm

Maypole dancing in the newly pedestrianised Dulwich Square was introduced to the Festival for the first time last year and it's back for 2026. Come and enjoy maypole dancing for all ages, with live music. Easy to learn and great to watch.

[Dance in Dulwich Square - Dulwich Festival](#)

Young Social Action Boxing - FREE
Longfield Hall, 50 Knatchbull Road, SE5 9QY
Fridays from 4:00pm - 5:00pm

Are you 11 - 17 years of age around Camberwell/Brinton then join us every Friday. This event is designed to inspire and empower young people in Camberwell or Brinton to reach their full potential through the art of boxing. Their boxing empowerment programme is expected to empower participants to become the best versions of themselves through structured training and development platforms which includes goal setting, self assessment and peer review of performance. The key objectives of the boxing empowerment programme are to:

- Manage emotions in a constructive way
- Build confidence and self-esteem
- Build positive relationships
- Improve life choices through mentoring, career advice, and skills training
- Foster a sense of community amongst attendees

[Free Youth Social Action Boxing Empowerment Project - Longfield Hall](#)

The Music is Black: A British Story
Now until 2nd January 2027

V&A East Museum, 107 Carpenters Rd, E20 2AR
Adults £20, 12 - 17 year olds £10, 0-11 free (but must be accompanied by an adult)

The museum will explore how Black Music has shaped British culture from 1900 to the present day and reveal its global, 125 years of Black music-making in Britain. Spanning four continents, this is a story of excellence, struggle, resilience and joy. Step into *The Music is Black: A British Story* and travel through time as over 120 tracks from every era play directly through your headset. More than an exhibition, this immersive sound experience explores the power and impact of Black British music. Expect to see objects like Joan Armatrading's childhood guitar (going on display for the first time) alongside fashion worn by Little Simz and newly acquired photographs by artist including Jennie Baptiste, Beezer, Dennis Morris, Eddie Ochebe, Sam White and more!

[The Music is Black: A British Story - Exhibition at V&A East Museum - V&A](#)

[The Music is Black: A British Story | Tickets | V&A Shop](#)

Sunday Drama Classes - FREE

6 - 8 years old - 10am - 11:30am,
9 - 11 years old - 12noon - 1:30pm,
12 - 16 years old - 14:30 - 16:00

Longfield Hall, 50 Knatchbull Road, SE5 9QY

These sessions are for local young people aged 6 - 16 and will focus on developing drama technique, fostering creativity and gaining confidence! Priority will be given to young people who live and/or go to school in Lambeth or Southwark, and come from a household in receipt of state benefits. Telephone 07933 629697 or email youthmanager@longfieldhall.org.uk for more information.

[Sunday Drama Classes - Longfield Hall](#)

[Sunday Drama Classes 2025/2026 Registration Form](#)

London's Royal Parks - FREE

Explore any Royal Park for free, relax in acres of beautiful, natural parkland and discover a wide range of things to see and do.

- Hyde Park - known for its major events and home to a variety of gardens, children's playground, sports facilities, shop and historic monuments.
- Kensington Gardens - one of London's eight Royal Parks covering an area of 265 acres of old and new park and green space.
- Richmond Park - one of London's eight Royal Parks, covering 2,500 acres and home to ancient trees, herds of deer and the Isabella Plantation.
- Bushy Park - the second largest of London's eight Royal Parks at over 1000 acres, home to wild deer and located north of Hampton Court Palace.
- Green Park - one of London's eight Royal Parks, a peaceful triangle of mature trees and grasslands offering a quiet retreat from city life.
- St James's Park - the oldest Royal Park at the heart of ceremonial London. Enjoy great views of the lake and fountain from St. James's Café.
- The Regent's Park & Primrose Hill - home to a large wetland area, gardens, children's playgrounds, sports facilities and more.
- Greenwich Park - one of London's eight Royal Parks, a mix of 17th century landscape, stunning gardens and a history dating back to Roman times.
- Victoria Tower Gardens - is a small pocket of green space in the heart of Westminster that's home to a number of memorials.

<https://www.royalparks.org.uk/visit/parks>

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Regular activities at Brixton Windmill Centre

- Wednesdays 10.30am - [Beginners' Tai Chi](#) for 50+ (Drop in - no booking required). Free.
 - Wednesdays 12.30pm - [Windmill Voices](#) community choir. Free.
- Thursdays 10am to 2pm - [Community Club](#) for people aged 65+. Activities include chair exercise, arts and crafts and cooking. Lunch is provided. They currently have a waiting list for new members.
 - Fridays 9am to 10am - Yoga Class with [Wild Balance](#). Contact Natasha at helo@wildbalance.co.uk for more info and to book a slot.
- Fridays 12 to 1pm - [Pilates](#) (drop in). Beginners' class. Mats provided. Suggested donation £5 per class.
 - Fridays 2.50pm to 3.30pm - [Joy of Sound](#) - inclusive seated Tai Chi and music session.
 - Saturdays 11.50am - [Tai Chi in Windmill Gardens](#) (pay what you can)
- First Saturday of the month - 1pm to 3.30pm - [Gardening Group](#). Join their volunteer gardeners to help Windmill Gardens stay beautiful.

Lambeth's Digital Family Hub

Their digital family hub provides information about services and resources to help support you and your family.

[Family Information Directory | Lambeth Council](#)

Healthy Relationships Matter

Advice and guidance for parents and young people on how to support healthy relationships and manage conflict.

[Healthy Relationships Matter | Lambeth Council](#)

Positive Support Group

The Parenting Support Service offers a range of group based or online parenting courses for families living in Lambeth.

[Parenting and Co-Parenting support service](#)

Parents/Carers can register directly using the

[Lambeth Positive Behaviour Support Webinar Sign Up form](#)

Patricia Henry, Christ Church Streatham (p.henry@ccprimary.org.uk)

Rachel Thomas, Windmill Cluster (rthomas@sudbourne.com)



IMPORTANT DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

KEY DATES

- * **SATS EXAMS: 11TH MAY—14TH MAY**
- * **YR6 RESIDENTIAL TRIP: 20TH MAY—22ND MAY**
- * **HALF TERM: 22ND MAY—29TH MAY**



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2025 - 2026 Term Dates

Term	Start Date	Finish Date	Number of Days
Autumn One			
Term One (2025)	Wednesday 3 rd September Children return to school <i>Monday 1st and Tuesday 2nd September – 2 INSET Days</i>	Friday 24 th October	38 days
Holiday	Monday 27 th October	Friday 31 st October 2025	
Autumn Two			
Term Two	Monday 3 rd November	Thursday 18 th December <i>Friday 19th December INSET Day</i>	34 days
Holiday	Monday 22 nd December	Friday 2 nd January 2026	
Spring One			
Term Three (2026)	Tuesday 6 th January Children return to school <i>Monday 5th – INSET Day</i>	Friday 13 th February	29 days
Holiday	Monday 16 th February	Friday 20 th February 2026	
Spring Two			
Term Four	Monday 23 rd February	Friday 27 th March	25 days
Holiday	Monday 30 th March	Friday 10 th April 2026	
Summer One			
Term Five	Monday 13 th April	Friday 22 nd May	29 days
Bank Holiday Holiday	Monday 25 th May 2026 Tuesday 26 th May	Friday 29 th May 2026	
Summer Two			
Term Six	Monday 1 st June	Friday 17 th July <i>Monday 20th July 2026 INSET</i>	35 days
			Total = 195 days Total Teaching Days = 190 Days

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