



**ST TERESA
of CALCUTTA**
Catholic Academy Trust

St Patrick's RC Primary School

2025/2026 Term Dates

Pupils and Family Holidays in Term Time

It is a legal requirement for parents/carers to obtain the permission of the Headteacher before removing their child from school in order to take any leave in term time. **Parents do not have an automatic right to take their children out of school for leave during term time and may be issued with a Penalty Notice (£80 per parent per child) if they do so without prior arrangement with the Headteacher.** This is Governor Policy, following guidelines from the Department of Education, and Governors may use their discretion to issue a penalty notice.

| Autumn Term | | |
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| Term | School Closes | School Opens |
| Term Begins | | Wed, 3 rd September 2025 |
| Half Term | Fri, 24 th October 2025 | Mon, 3 rd November 2025 |
| Christmas | Fri, 19 th December 2025 | |
| Spring Term | | |
| Term | School Closes | School Opens |
| Term Begins | | Mon, 5 th January 2026 |
| Half Term | Fri, 13 th February 2026 | Mon, 23 rd February 2026 |
| Easter | Wed, 1 st April 2026 | |
| Summer Term | | |
| Term | School Closes | School Opens |
| Term Begins | | Mon, 13 th April 2026 |
| May Day | Fri, 1 st May 2026 | Tue, 5 th May 2026 |
| Half Term | Fri, 22 nd May 2026 | Mon, 8 th June 2026 |
| Summer | Fri, 17 th July 2026 | |

Staff Training Days

Mon, 1st September 2025

Tue, 2nd September 2025

Thu, 2nd April 2026

Mon, 20th July 2026

Tue, 21st July 2026



If you are planning on taking your child out of school for any reason e.g. holiday, wedding, graduation ceremony etc. then please call into the school office to collect a Pupil Leave of Absence form. These forms need to be completed **before**, a child is off. Any absences that have not had one completed are automatically unauthorised. Forms that are completed will be reviewed and a decision made in line with the attendance policy.

Policy Statement

For a child to achieve his/her full potential the staff and governors of St. Patrick's RC Primary School expects the support of all parents/carers in ensuring their child's attendance at school. For further information please refer to the St Teresa of Calcutta leaflet titled 'School Attendance Information for Parents/Carers.'