



June Newsletter 2026

Headteacher's Welcome – June 2026

A very warm welcome to our June newsletter. I do hope you all enjoyed a restful half term break and were able to make the most of the glorious weather with family and friends.

It has been a pleasure to welcome several new families to our school over the past few weeks. We are delighted to have you join our special community and look forward to you becoming fully involved in school life.

We ended the first half of the summer term on a real high, with so many achievements to celebrate both in school and beyond. Our children have embraced a wide range of opportunities, from sporting events to exciting school trips. I am especially proud of our Year 6 children, who approached their SATs with such confidence and determination. Their well-deserved beach day was a wonderful way to celebrate the end of a busy and successful week.

We have an incredibly exciting half term ahead. Our Year 6 residential in London was a fantastic experience, and the children have returned with memories they will cherish for years to come. We are now looking forward to our much-anticipated Surf Week for Years 5 and 6—always a

highlight of the year—where the children can build confidence, develop new skills and enjoy time together in the water.

Sports Day will take place on Tuesday 16th June (weather permitting). We would love you to join us from 9:00am for teas, coffees and sweet treats, with events beginning at 9:30am. This year, we warmly invite families to bring a blanket and stay with us until 12:30pm to enjoy a pasty lunch together.

Our Year 4 children will be experiencing their first overnight residential on Thursday 18th July. This promises to be a truly special experience, beginning with a walk to Trearnon for a delicious tea at the Youth Hostel followed by beach games. Once they are tired out, they will be heading back to school for a 'sleepover'. The following day, the children will be treated to a day of beach games and water sports with Harlyn Surf School.

The excitement continues with Science Week, including a visit from The Squash Box Theatre on 24th June, followed by Arts Week from Monday 29th June. We then look ahead to one of the highlights of our school calendar—Arts Night on Friday 10th July. Fingers crossed for some sunshine!

As you can see, there is so much to look forward to in the coming weeks. Please do take a moment to check the diary dates below to ensure you don't miss any of these special events.

With very best wishes,

Mrs King

Staffing updates

We are delighted to share that Mrs Golay has now successfully secured a permanent position as a SEND Specialist Teacher across the Trust. This is a fantastic achievement and a wonderful recognition of her expertise and dedication to supporting children with additional needs.

Whilst we will greatly miss Mrs Golay's valued contribution to our school community, we are incredibly proud of her and wish her every success in this exciting new role.

Mrs Golay will be attending several of our exciting events, including Arts Night this term and will continue to be a familiar face around the school moving forward.

As a school, we are now in the process of appointing a replacement teacher and will keep families updated as this progresses.

Screech Owl Visit

What a wonderful way to end the term! We were treated to a very special visit from the Screech Owl Centre, and it's safe to say it was a huge hit with everyone. We got to meet some amazing animals, including the brilliantly named Stinky Pete the polecat, Pongy Paula the three-month-old stoat, as well as a beautiful tawny owl and a barn owl. We learnt so many facts about the owls and other woodland creatures. We learnt that the Tawny Owl is the only British Owl who says 'Twit twoo' and although they are common in our woodlands, they are very hard to see as they are so camouflaged. The children were absolutely amazed to get up close to such incredible creatures, and those who were brave enough to stroke Stinky Pete were pleasantly surprised by just how wonderfully soft he was! Pongy Paula the stoat certainly lived up to her cheeky reputation and had everyone curious about her lively antics. It was a truly memorable experience and a fantastic end to the term.







SATS

The Barn Owls Year 6 children have shown incredible determination, resilience and maturity throughout the build-up to their SATs and during the test week itself. They have worked exceptionally hard over many months, approaching every lesson, revision session and practice paper with a positive attitude and a real willingness to succeed.

During the SATs week, the children conducted themselves brilliantly. They remained calm, focused and supportive of one another, tackling each test with confidence and perseverance. Most importantly, every single child gave their absolute best effort, and that is something we are enormously proud of.

SATs can feel challenging at times, but the Barn Owls rose to the occasion wonderfully and demonstrated just how much progress they have made. Their hard work, commitment and teamwork have been a credit to themselves and to our school community.

We would also like to thank parents and carers for their continued encouragement and support throughout this important time.

Mrs Cooper

Barn Owls Beach Day

To celebrate the end of SATs week, our Barn Owls Year 5 and 6 children enjoyed a fantastic and very well-deserved beach day on Friday! The children walked together to beautiful Treyarnon Bay, where they spent the day enjoying beach games, rounders and plenty of fun with their friends. They also enjoyed sitting together for their packed lunches before walking back to school.

To round off such a brilliant day, the children finished with an energetic Samba drumming lesson, which everyone thoroughly enjoyed. It was a wonderful way to reward the children for all of their hard work, resilience and patience during SATs week.

We were very lucky that the weather was kind to us, and it was lovely to see so many smiling faces throughout the day. The children were a credit to the school and clearly had such a lovely time together.

Mrs Cooper











FOSMS News

Sports Day

FOSMS will be selling tea, coffee, soft drinks and pastries from drop off and throughout sports day.

Cornish Tartan Raffle Non school uniform

Please help us create some amazing raffle prize bundles for Arts Night. Children are invited to wear their class tartan colour, in exchange please bring in a raffle prize of that colour. The last few years we have been able to create some fantastic prizes.

Tuck Shop

“Frozen Fridays’. Selling a selection of ice lollies for 50p each, cash only. It will be weather dependent.

Are you able to help?

For the tuck shop to run each week we do need volunteers, if you are able to help with a Friday please let FOSMS or Vicky know, thank you.

Volunteers

We also need volunteers for sports day and for Arts Night. Arts Night is a busy full on event and we need volunteers with the setting up and clearing away. Plus for people to help for just 30 minutes throughout the evening with the food, bar, games and raffle, without helping hands it just won't be possible. We will be sending a link out to a sign up sheet soon and also a sheet will be near the office. Please let us know if you can help, thank you.

Save the date / Celebrating 150 years

We are really excited to share last month's 'save the date' is to celebrate 150 years since our school opened. Plans are well underway for a special Saturday afternoon with music, food, drink, games and lots of memories. FOSMS will be reproducing some really special photos and creating a slide show, for everyone to see the history and how the school has changed. More information to follow. If you know of anyone with any memories they would like to share or would like to help please let FOSMS or Vicky know.

Reminders

Tesco Blue Token

Please support by spreading the word to any friends or family who shop at Padstow, and remember 'every token helps!'

Book Exchange Shed

Please do have a look inside at all the fantastic great books that so many people have kindly donated. We really would like to encourage more children to borrow a book and also to review any books they love. It would be great if we could include a book review in the next newsletter.

Pre-Love Uniform Shop

If you haven't yet, pop into the old nursery where there is a big selection of pre-loved school uniform available.

Keeping up to date

Join our Facebook group and keep an eye on the blackboard for the latest information.

Monthly meeting

Tuesday 9th June 6:15pm Well Parc Tuesday 30th June 6:15pm Cornish Arms

Diary Dates

Tesco blue token continues

June

- 16th Sports Day tuck shop

- 26th Non school uniform day build the Cornish Tartan raffle

July

- 10th Arts Night social

September

- 19th Celebrating 150 year



**Friends Of
St Merryn School**



**WEAR THE
CORNISH TARTAN**

Non school uniform day, children are invited to wear their class tartan colour. In exchange please bring a raffle prize in your suggested class colour, to help us make some fantastic colourful raffle hampers for arts night.



Black & White (St. Piran's Cross)
Gold (Kings of Dumnonia) Red (Cornish Chough) · Blue (The Sea)



FRIDAY 26TH JUNE

Robins **Starlings** **Barn Owls**

Wagtails **Kestrels**

Donations can equal any value, anything you can offer will be greatly received. Can any perishables please have a used by date after arts night (13th July) and any alcohol will need to be handed into the office by an adult.



St Merryn School Sports Day



Refreshments available from morning drop off.
Tea, coffee, soft drinks & pastries.
Cash only.
Treat from FOSMS.
Ice pops given to all children after school.

St Merryn School – 150 Year Celebration

This year marks a very special milestone for St Merryn School as we celebrate our 150th anniversary.

To mark this incredible occasion, we are delighted to be planning a community celebration on **Saturday 19th September**, organised in partnership with our wonderful FOSMS team. This promises to be a truly memorable event, bringing together past and present members of our school community.

We have already begun reaching out to families and the wider community to collect photographs and memories from across the years – please continue to bring these into the school office. These will be proudly displayed as part of the celebration, allowing us all to reflect on the rich history of our school.

The event will include live entertainment from local musicians, alongside refreshments such as traditional cream teas—creating a relaxed and celebratory atmosphere for all to enjoy.

We very much hope you will join us for what promises to be a wonderful opportunity to come together, celebrate our shared history and look ahead to an exciting future for St Merryn School. This is truly an event not to be missed!

Sports Updates



Sports News

We have enjoyed two fantastic football events so far this term!

Some of our Year 4, 5 and 6 boys took part in the Camel Challenge Football Tournament. The team played brilliantly, showing great skill in both attack and defence as well as excellent teamwork throughout the competition. Their hard work and determination earned them an impressive 3rd place finish. Well done, boys — you made the school very proud!

It was then the girls' turn to compete in a football tournament in Wadebridge. The girls played exceptionally well as a team, showing skill, determination and enthusiasm in every match. They achieved an amazing result, winning 5 out of their 6 games and finishing 1st out of seven schools.

Following this success, the team was invited to take part in the county final, where they delivered an outstanding performance and won the tournament trophy! Congratulations to the whole team on this incredible achievement — we are extremely proud of you all.

Year 5 Bikeability

A huge congratulations to all of our Year 5 pupils who successfully completed their Bikeability training this half-term. The children showed excellent effort and enthusiasm while developing important cycling and road safety skills.

GB Athlete Visit – Friday 5th June

We begin this half-term with a very exciting event as we welcome Great British athlete, Oli Adams, to our school. Oli will be spending time with all of the children, leading PE sessions and talking about his journey to becoming a professional athlete.

This promises to be an inspiring and enjoyable day for everyone. Funds raised from the event will help support the athlete visit as well as provide new PE equipment for the school so any money raised will be greatly appreciated.

Many thanks,

R.Lewis

PE Lead



Success outside of the classroom

Ivy, Indi and Maya represented their gymnastics club in the NGA competition on the weekend.

Both Ind & Ivy in Level Gold and between them they came back with silver and bronze on floor and bronze on vault finishing 6 & 7 in their category out of 14 gymnasts from the South West.

It was Maya's first time competing in Level 1 and she finished 4th overall out of 13 gymnasts in her category with a silver on beam.





Early Years

As we move towards the end of the school year, we are beginning to think ahead to September and welcoming our nursery children into school for their Reception year.

Transition is such an exciting time, and we want to make sure that both children and their families feel as comfortable and prepared as possible as they take this big step. We are really looking forward to our parent meeting on Monday 9th June at 9am, where we will be sharing lots of useful information about what to expect, how we will be supporting your child during the transition period, and how you can help at home to make the move into school as smooth and enjoyable as possible.

It will also be a great opportunity for you to any questions you might have. We are also very much looking forward to celebrating our Nursery Graduation on 21st July, which is always a lovely occasion to mark the end of this chapter and look ahead to the exciting journey still to

come. We hope you will be able to join us for both events. More details will be sent out nearer the time, but please do pop both dates in your diary!





Celebrating our musical successes

We are thrilled to share that our first term of instrumentation is well and truly underway, and the children have taken to it brilliantly! Across the school, children have been busy picking up their recorders, ukuleles and drumsticks and getting to grips with the skills they need to

perform. It has been wonderful to see their enthusiasm and confidence growing week by week, and the progress they have already made is really impressive.

We have two very exciting events coming up to showcase all of their hard work. First, our music students will be performing to the rest of the school in their end of year recital on Monday 13th July at 10.30am - a fantastic opportunity for the children to show off everything they have been working towards in front of an audience. Then, we cannot wait to see them take to the stage at our Arts Night on 10th July, which is set to be a brilliant evening celebrating all things creative.

It is shaping up to be a very special end to the year, and we know the children are going to do themselves proud. We will share more details about both events nearer the time, so watch this space - you are in for a treat!"



Inclusion Update

Making Everyday Demands Easier for Children

Some children experience anxiety when faced with everyday requests, which can lead to what's called demand avoidance. This isn't about being stubborn—it's about feeling overwhelmed. This guide helps to spot common triggers like bright lights, loud noise, or sudden changes, and offers simple swaps such as turning "You need to do this" into "Would you like some help?". It also shares practical strategies like using visual schedules, offering choices, and adding a touch of humour to reduce pressure. These small changes can make home and school life calmer and more positive for everyone.

Unpicking Demand avoidance

What is demand avoidance?
An anxiety-driven need to resist everyday demands.




Loss control




Fight-flight-freeze


Common triggers




Bright lights



Loud noise



 Change to routine

Language swaps



Strategies to try



Strategies to try

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Visual schedule



Offer choices



Use humor



Gardening



The St Merryn Garden Society Show will be taking place on 18th July in the parish hall, and children are welcome to get involved! There are plenty of categories to enter, including baking, floral displays, art and anything green-fingered, so whether your child loves pottering in the garden, getting creative or whipping something up in the kitchen, there's something for everyone. Entry forms will be available in July from the school office, so keep an eye out for those. We hope to see lots of entries on the day!

Our school gardening club will be growing vegetables and getting our school entries ready for the show as well.

Spelling Shed and Active Learn Maths

Spelling and handwriting are two of our whole school priorities and there will be weekly spellings your child brings home to practise. **Please help your child to practise these spellings each week. The weekly spellings will also be available on Spelling Shed – a fun way to practise each week's spellings.** Please see the front of reading records for log in details.

Children can also access 'Active Learn' online from home, where there are maths games to enhance their learning, and also TT Rockstars, which helps children to increase their recall of their times tables. Details of their log ins are also in their reading records.



Reading for pleasure

Reading for Pleasure

At school, we are passionate about helping children develop a love of reading that extends beyond the classroom. Reading for pleasure allows children to explore new worlds, discover different perspectives and develop their imagination, creativity and vocabulary. Whether it's a graphic novel, a laugh-out-loud adventure or a thrilling mystery, finding a book that captures a child's interest is the key to creating lifelong readers.

As we head towards the summer holidays, we encourage children to continue reading regularly and to explore books that excite and inspire them. Here are some popular titles that children across the country have been enjoying recently:

EYFS

- *The Baddies* – Julia Donaldson
- *The Detective Dog* – Julia Donaldson
- *Oi Frog!* – Kes Gray
- *Ten Delicious Teachers* – Ross Montgomery
- *Supertato* – Sue Hendra & Paul Linnet

KS1

- *Bunny vs Monkey* – Jamie Smart
- *The Bad Guys* – Aaron Blabey
- *Dog Man* – Dav Pilkey

- *The Investigators* – John Patrick Green
- *Kitty and the Moonlight Rescue* – Paula Harrison

Lower KS2

- *The Nothing to See Here Hotel* – Steven Butler
- *The Beast and the Bethany* – Jack Meggitt-Phillips
- *Loki: A Bad God's Guide to Being Good* – Louie Stowell
- *The Last Bear* – Hannah Gold
- *The Boy Who Made Everyone Laugh* – Helen Rutter

Upper KS2

- *Asha and the Spirit Bird* – Jasbinder Bilan
- *Beetle Boy* – M.G. Leonard
- *Frostheart* – Jamie Littler
- *The Girl Who Drank the Moon* – Kelly Barnhill
- *Impossible Creatures* – Katherine Rundell

Whatever your child's interests, we hope they find time to enjoy a great book this summer.

Happy reading! 📖☀️



Attendance

Every School Day Counts

We all want the best for our children, and one simple way to support their learning and wellbeing is through regular attendance. Research shows that pupils who attend school more than 95% of the time tend to achieve significantly better outcomes in both primary and secondary school—even missing just a few extra days can make a difference.

By establishing consistent routines, keeping open communication with our school, and seeking support early if needed, we can help our children thrive. Together, we can give every child the best possible start in life through strong, regular attendance.

A National Framework for Penalty Notices for school absence, including unauthorised holiday absence, has been introduced following changes to the law. These Government regulations came into effect from 19 August 2024 and now affect when penalty notices are issued in Cornwall.

As you will be aware, you can no longer take your child out of school for one week's holiday without the consideration of a penalty notice being issued.

The **Local Authority** has recently updated its guidance regarding attendance. A child must now be present for a **full session** in order to be marked as attending.

- **Morning session:** 9:00am – 12:00pm
- **Afternoon session:** 1:00pm – 3:10pm

If a child is not in school for the full duration of a session, this will be recorded as an absence.

If you have any concerns re your child's attendance, please see Mrs Worrall in the first instance.

You may be interested?



COMMUNITY FIRST AID & DEFIBRILLATOR AWARENESS EVENING

HOSTED BY HARLYN SURF LIFESAVING CLUB

At Harlyn Surf Lifesaving Club, our mission is to train the next generation of lifesavers. However, we believe that keeping our beaches and village safe is a community-wide effort.

We would like to invite everyone **aged 14 and over** to attend our Community First Aid & Defibrillator Awareness Evening.

WEDNESDAY 10TH JUNE 2026 | **7:00PM – 8:30PM** | **ST MERRYN CHURCH HALL**

Led by our Club President, Dr Steve Derry, this 90-minute session will be informal, practical, and accessible to everyone — no previous experience required.

WHAT THE SESSION WILL COVER

- RECOGNISING A CARDIAC ARREST**
Learn how to spot the signs.
- PERFORMING EFFECTIVE CPR**
the "how" and the "why".
- USING A COMMUNITY PUBLIC ACCESS DEFIBRILLATOR (AED)**
with confidence
- HANDS-ON PRACTICE**
using our training manikins, guided by qualified club first-aiders

There are **no certificates or tests** — just an opportunity to gain the confidence to act if a neighbour or visitor ever needs your help.



REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED
Tea, coffee, and biscuits will be provided.

DONATIONS WELCOME
As a small local charity, any donations on the night will help us maintain our lifesaving training equipment.

PLEASE SIGN UP USING THE QR CODE
To help us manage numbers and equipment.

Stronger together. Safer together.

Harlyn Surf Lifesaving Club | harlynsclc | www.harlynsclc.org

 **COMMUNITY FIRST AID & DEFIBRILLATOR AWARENESS EVENING**  Could you help save a life in an emergency? ❤️ Join Harlyn Surf Lifesaving Club for an informal, practical, and hands-on evening designed to give our community the confidence to act when it matters most. 📅 Wednesday 10th June 2026 🕒 7:00PM – 8:30PM 📍 St Merryn Church Hall This free session is open to everyone aged 14+ and no previous experience is needed. You'll learn: ✅ How to



If you have any **Safeguarding Concerns**, here are some important contacts for you to use.

The Multi Agency Referral Unit² (MARU) is a service in Cornwall that provides support and advice to families and professionals regarding the welfare and safety of children. MARU acts as a central point of contact for concerns about children and young people, helping to connect them with the most appropriate services. Key functions of MARU:

- **Referral and Assessment:** MARU receives referrals about children who may be at risk and can initiate assessments to determine the appropriate level of support.
- **Multi-Agency Collaboration:** MARU works with various agencies, including social services, health professionals, and educational institutions, to ensure a coordinated response.

²https://www.google.com/search?safe=active&cs=0&sca_esv=f76fe1cd3d1e0b31&q=Multi+Agency+Referral+Unit&sa=X&ved=2ahUKewjW0ZyO8bGOAxUOQEEAHT-yJZUQxccNegQIAhAB&mstk=AUtExfDRQ7TOos5Nmc4xbQacZg2J4P0VR6BM3tX8Oq9Dlrz0YnVcpfvhQRPNGFhng4e-Mfus2prDxiDA74A4FcpG9XAOZXFb9ZA8YSHKIX3KZpT9am5Tdkmdo5LguL73mM0WpPc&csui=3

- **Signposting and Advice:** MARU provides information and guidance to families and professionals on how to access relevant support services, including Early Help services.
- **Early Help:** MARU may refer families to the Early Help Hub³, which offers a range of support services to address identified needs and prevent escalation to more serious interventions.

When to contact MARU:

- **Concerns about a child's safety or well-being:** If you are worried about a child's safety or have concerns about their welfare, you can contact MARU.
- **Seeking advice about child protection:** Professionals can contact MARU for advice on how to respond to specific situations or to discuss whether a referral to children's social care is necessary.

Contact information:

- **Telephone:** 0300 123 1116
- **Email:** multiagencyreferralunit@cornwall.gov.uk according to Cornwall Council⁴
- **Location:** Cornwall Council

Important Note: If a child is in immediate danger, contact the police on 999.

Dates for the Diary



³https://www.google.com/search?safe=active&cs=0&sca_esv=f76fe1cd3d1e0b31&q=Early+Help+Hub&sa=X&ved=2ahUKewjW0ZyO8bGOAxUOQEEAHT-yJZUQxccNegQIGBAB&mstk=AUtExfDRQ7TOos5Nmc4xbQacZg2J4P0VR6BM3tX8Oq9Dlrz0YnVcpfvhQRPNGFhnq4e-Mfus2prDxiDA74A4FcpG9XAOZXFb9ZA8YSHKIX3KZpT9am5Tdkmdo5LguL73mM0WpPc&csui=3

⁴<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/health-and-social-care/childrens-services/child-protection-and-safeguarding/>

Save the Date:

June

Mon 1st – Wed 3rd Year 5 and 6 London Residential

Wk beg: June 8th Year 5 and Year 6 Surf Week

Wed 10th - Group photographs

Wed 10th - Vision screening Reception

Mon 15th - Year 5 and Year 6 PGL Parent Meeting (3:30 Barn Owls classroom)

Tues 16th – Sports Day 9:30-12:00

Thurs 18th – Sports Day reserve

Thurs 18th & Fri 19th – Year 4 Residential

Wk beg: 22nd – Science Week

Wk beg: 29th - Art Week

July

Fri 10th – Arts Night

Fri 10th – Annual reports to parents

Wk beg: 13th – Parent Consultations

Mon 13th - Arts Night reserve

Tues 21st – Year 6 Meal/Disco

Wed 22nd – Year 6 Levers Assembly/Last Day of term



School Terms and Holidays 2025/26

St Merryn School

September 2025				October 2025				November 2025									
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Fri	5	12	19	26		Fri	3	10	17	24	31	Fri	7	14	21	28	
Sat	6	13	20	27		Sat	4	11	18	25		Sat	1	8	15	22	29
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Key:	Term dates summary:
 School Holiday	Autumn Term (74 days)
 Bank Holiday	2nd September 2025 - 19th December 2025 (Half term: 27th-31st October 2025)
 INSET Day	Spring Term (59 days)
 School open	5th January 2026 - 2nd April 2026 (Half term: 16th - 20th February 2026)
	Summer Term (62 days)
	20th April 2026 - 22nd July 2026 (Half term: 25th-29th May 2026)

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



School Terms and Holidays 2026/27

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Sat	5 12 19 26	Sat	2 9 16 23 30	Sat	6 13 20 27
Sun	6 13 20 27	Sun	3 10 17 24 31	Sun	7 14 21 28
March 2027		April 2027		May 2027	
Mon	1 8 15 22 29	Mon	5 12 19 26	Mon	3 10 17 24 31
Tue	2 9 16 23 30	Tue	6 13 20 27	Tue	4 11 18 25
Wed	3 10 17 24 31	Wed	7 14 21 28	Wed	5 12 19 26
Thu	4 11 18 25	Thu	1 8 15 22 29	Thu	6 13 20 27
Fri	5 12 19 26	Fri	2 9 16 23 30	Fri	7 14 21 28
Sat	6 13 20 27	Sat	3 10 17 24 31	Sat	1 8 15 22 29
Sun	7 14 21 28	Sun	4 11 18 25	Sun	2 9 16 23 30
June 2027		July 2027		August 2027	
Mon	7 14 21 28	Mon	5 12 19 26	Mon	2 9 16 23 30
Tue	1 8 15 22 29	Tue	6 13 20 27	Tue	3 10 17 24 31
Wed	2 9 16 23 30	Wed	7 14 21 28	Wed	4 11 18 25
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Fri	4 11 18 25	Fri	2 9 16 23 30	Fri	6 13 20 27
Sat	5 12 19 26	Sat	3 10 17 24 31	Sat	7 14 21 28
Sun	6 13 20 27	Sun	4 11 18 25	Sun	1 8 15 22 29

Key:		Term dates summary:	
	School Holiday	Autumn Term (72 days)	
	Bank Holiday	3 September 2026 - 18 December 2026 (Half term: 26 - 30 Oct 2026)	
	INSET Day	Spring Term (54 days)	
	School open	4 January 2027 - 25 March 2027 (Half term: 15 - 19 February 2027)	
		Summer Term (62 days)	
		12 April 2027 - 23 July 2027 (Half term: 31 May - 4 June 2027)	

Bank and Public Holidays 2026/27			
Christmas Day	25th December 2026	Easter Monday	29th March 2027
Boxing Day	28th December 2026	May Bank Holiday	3rd May 2027
New Years Day	1st January 2027	Spring Bank Holiday	31st May 2027
Good Friday	26th March 2027	Summer Bank Holiday	30th August 2027

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