



## 2026-2027 Training Days & School Holidays

Dear Parents/Carers,

I am writing to share our training days for the 2026–27 academic year so that families have as much notice as possible when planning ahead. Our training days will be:

- Tuesday 1st September
- Friday 23rd October
- Friday 27th November
- Monday 30th November
- Monday 4th January
- Friday 2nd July

When setting these dates, we have aimed to balance essential staff training with supporting families to plan more affordably where possible. For example, Friday 23rd October may allow access to slightly cheaper flights, and the 27th and 30th November fall at a time when some families consider Christmas themed breaks.

As a school, we want to continue working closely with families to improve attendance. Attendance is one of the areas schools are judged on, but more importantly, regular attendance helps pupils maintain friendships, keep up with learning and feel settled in school. We also understand how expensive holidays can be, and how challenging this can be for families.

With this in mind, we wanted to make you aware of next year's Easter holiday arrangements. Easter Sunday falls on **28th March 2027**. Most schools will take their Easter break from **22nd March to 2nd April**. However, Leeds follows a six half term model, meaning our Easter holiday will run from **5th–16th April 2027**.

This means the Leeds Easter break does not align with many other authorities. As a result, holidays during the Leeds Easter break may be more affordable than those taken earlier, and we wanted to ensure families were aware of this difference when planning ahead.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

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