



Festivals and Celebrations Calendar 2023-24

P4C Days

Whole School RE Days

Autumn Term 1 2023 (4th September – 20th October)

5th September – International Day of Charity
21st September – International Day of Peace
15th September – Rosh Hashanah (Judaism)
24th September – Yom Kippur (Judaism)
1st October – Harvest Festival (Christianity)
9th October – Indigenous People's Day
26th November – Kathina Festival (Buddhist)
14th October – Sewa Day (Hinduism)

Autumn Half Term (20th October - 30th October)

23rd – 27th October – One World Week

Autumn Term 2 2022 (31st October – 21st December)

31st October – Halloween (Pagan/ Christian)
11th November – Remembrance Day (Christianity)
12th November – Remembrance Sunday (Christianity)
12th November – Diwali (Hinduism)
12th – 19th November – Inter faith week
13th November – World Kindness Day
16th November – International Day for Tolerance
16th November – World Philosophy Day
27th November – Birthday of Guru Nanak (Sikhism)
30th November – St Andrew's Day (Christianity)
8th December – Bodhi Day (Buddhist)
10th December – Human Rights Day
7th December – First day of Hanukkah (Judaism)

Christmas Holiday (22nd December – 7th January)

25th December – Christmas Day (Christianity)
26th December – 1st January – Kwanzaa (African Heritage)

Spring Term 1 2024 (8th January – 9th February)

1st January – New Year's Day
6th January – Epiphany (Christianity)
13th January – Lohri (Sikhism)
15th January – Makar Sankranti (Hinduism)
15th – 18th January – Pongal (Hinduism)
21st January – World Religion Day
27th January – Holocaust Memorial Day
1st February – Time to Talk Day
1st-7th February – World Interfaith Harmony Week
7th February – The Prophet's night journey and ascent (Shab e-Meraj (Islam))
10th February – Chinese New Year (Buddhist)
10th February – Losar/ Tibetan New Year (Buddhist)

11th February – World Marriage Day

Spring Half Term (12th February – 18th February)

14th February – Ash Wednesday (Christianity)

15th February - Nirvana Day (Buddhist)

Spring Term 2 2024 (19th February – 28th March)

22nd February – World Thinking Day

1st March – St David's Day (Christianity)

1st March – Zero Discrimination Day

10th March – Mothering Sunday (Christianity)

13th March – Shrove Tuesday/ Mardi Gras (Christianity)

23rd March - 24th March – Purim (Judaism)

10th March – Ramadan Begins (Islam)

17th March – St Patrick's Day (Christianity)

24th March – Holi (Hinduism)

24th March – Palm Sunday (Christianity)

Easter Holiday 2024 (29th March – 14th April)

29th March – Good Friday (Christianity)

31st March – Easter Sunday (Christianity)

8th or 9th April – Eid Al-Fitr (Islam)

9th April – Ugadi (Hinduism)

13th – 15th April – Songkran Festival (Thai New Year – Buddhist)

13th April – Vaisakhi – Sikh New Year (Sikhism/ Hinduism)

Summer Term 1 2024 (15th April – 24th May)

17th April - Rama Navami (Hinduism)

20th April – 2nd May – Ridvan (Baha'i)

22nd April – Earth Day

22nd – 30th April – Passover (Judaism)

23rd April – St George's Day (Christianity)

19th May – Pentecost (Christianity)

23rd May – Wesak (Buddhist)

Summer Half Term (25th May – 26th May)

N/A

Summer Term 2 2024 (27th May – July 24th)

11th- 13th June – Shavuot (Judaism)

14th – 19th June – Hajj (Islam)

17th June - Eid Ul-Adha (Islam)

Summer Holiday (July 25th – September 1st)

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