

# School term and holiday dates in Dorset

School term and holiday dates can vary because every school has 5 staff development days to use a year on dates they choose. [Check your school's website or contact them](#) for confirmation of dates.

## September 2025 to August 2026 school year

Spring term dates 2025 to 2026

Event	Date
Spring term starts	Monday 5 January 2026
Spring half term	Monday 16 February 2026 to Friday 20 February 2026
Spring term ends	Friday 27 March 2026
Easter holiday	Monday 30 March 2026 to Friday 10 April 2026

Bank holidays in the spring term 2026

Event	Date
Good Friday	Friday 3 April 2026
Easter Monday	Monday 6 April 2026

Summer term dates 2025 to 2026

Event	Date
Summer term starts	Monday 13 April 2026
Summer half term	Monday 25 May 2026 to Friday 29 May 2026
Summer term ends	Wednesday 22 July 2026
Summer holiday	Thursday 23 July 2026 to Friday 28 August 2026

## Bank holidays in the summer term 2026

<b>Event</b>	<b>Date</b>
Early May bank holiday	Monday 4 May 2026
Spring bank holiday	Monday 25 May 2026
Summer bank holiday	Monday 31 August 2026

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