

Kirkbie Kendal School

TERM DATES 2025 – 2026



Please make sure family holidays are confined to holiday dates only

2025

AUTUMN TERM

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| School closed | Monday | 1st September | Training Day 1 |
| School closed | Tuesday | 2nd September | Training Day 2 |
| School opens | Wednesday | 3 rd September | Year 7 & 12 students only |
| | Thursday | 4 th September | All Years |
| School closes | Thursday | 23 rd October | (Half term: Monday 27 th October – Friday 31 st October) |
| School closed | Friday | 24th October | Training Day 3 |
| School opens | Monday | 3 rd November | |
| School closes | Friday | 19 th December | (Christmas: Monday 22 nd December – Friday 2 nd January) |
| Number of School Days – 72 | | | |

2026

SPRING TERM

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| School opens | Monday | 5 th January | |
| School closes | Friday | 13 th February | (Half term: Monday 16 th - Friday 20 th February) |
| School opens | Monday | 23 rd February | |
| School closes | Friday | 27 th March | (Easter: Monday 30 th March – Friday 10 th April) |
| | | | Good Friday 3 rd April (Bank Holiday) |
| | | | Bank Holiday Monday 6 th April |
| Number of School days – 55 | | | |

SUMMER TERM

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| School opens | Monday | 13 th April | |
| School closed | Monday | 4 th May | (May Bank Holiday) |
| School closes | Friday | 22 nd May | Half term: Monday 25 th May - Friday 29 th May) |
| School opens | Monday | 1 st June | |
| School closed | Friday | 5th June | Training Day 4 |
| School closes | Friday | 17 th July | Number of School Days – 63 |

Inset Days

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| Monday 1 st September 2025 | Friday 5 th June 2026 |
| Tuesday 2 nd September 2025 | Plus one day disaggregated across the year |
| Friday 24 th October 2025 | |

Holiday absence in term time – Governors' Statement

Removal of students from school during term time disrupts their education and has an adverse effect on future achievement. It is therefore expected that parents will not arrange family holidays except during school holidays. While Governors recognise that there may be considerable educational opportunities to be had from travel, they feel that these cases are the exception rather than the rule. The Headteacher has been asked therefore to actively discourage parents from causing their children to miss schooling.