



Dear Parent/Carers,

**2025-2026 Diary Dates**

Welcome back to a new academic year. We hope you enjoyed a wonderful Summer with family and friends.

In order to help us prepare for the year ahead and further improve school attendance we wanted to share with you important dates for your diaries as soon as possible. Please find attached a list of proposed dates for our 2025-2026 Academic Year. Further dates and reminders will be shared throughout the year via our school bulletin letters.

**Autumn Term 2025**

Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September – Back to school

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> -25<sup>th</sup> September – Class Parent Information sessions-5pm  
(Mon-Unicorns, Tues-Elves, Wed-Griffins, Thurs-Phoenix)**

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> October- Harvest Service @ St Christopher's -9.15am All welcome

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October – INSET day (end of Autumn Term 1)

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November – Back to school

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup>-Friday 21<sup>st</sup> November –Assessment Weeks for all year groups**

**Monday 24<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> November- Parent Consultation Week**

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> November - School photos

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December- School Trip to Pantomime

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> and Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December – Elves & Unicorns Nativity Performances @ 2pm

Monday 15<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December – Griffins & Phoenix Nativity Performances @ 2pm

Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December – End of Autumn Term 2

**Spring Term 2025**

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January – Back to School

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February – End of Spring Term 1

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February – Back to school

**Monday 9<sup>th</sup> – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March –Assessment Weeks for all year groups**

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March – Parent Consultation Week**

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April – Easter Service at St Christopher's- 9.15am All welcome

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April – End of Spring Term 2

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### **Summer Term 2025**

Monday 20th April – Back to school

Monday 20<sup>th</sup>-Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> – Year 4 Residential to Mendip Centre

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> May – Class Group Photos

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – End of Summer Term 1

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June – Back to school

**Monday 1st-Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June – Statutory Assessment Weeks for all year groups**

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July – Sports Day @ 9.15am

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July – Year 4 Leavers Service and End of academic year

### **Staff Update-**

As some of you may already be aware Mrs Lock had been working hard towards her Driving Instructor qualification and was preparing to qualify and leave us later in the Autumn Term. An unexpected opportunity has arisen over the Summer holidays which has resulted in Mrs Lock leaving earlier than planned and is subsequently not returning to us at the start of this term. She has promised however to pop back in so we can say a great big thank you and fond farewell in the coming weeks. Mrs Lock has dedicated 25 years of service to Lympsham Academy and I am sure you will join me in thanking her for her unwavering support to the school community and care given to hundreds of children over that time.

We will now be working hard to recruit a new member of staff to join the support staff team as soon as possible.

Wishing everyone a wonderful start to the term.

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs K Whiting