



*'Jesus said: I am the light of the world.
Whoever follows me will have the light of life! John 8:12
'Be the light'*

2026-27 Diary Dates

Key dates for the Autumn Term

First half – 7 weeks 3 days

Second half - 7 weeks

Autumn Term	
Tues 1 st Sept	School closed to all pupils for training day
Wed 2 nd Sept	School reopens to all pupils
Thur 3 rd Sept 9.30am	New Nursery children to visit with parents
Fri 4 th Sept 9.15-11.15	New Nursery children transition visit
Week commencing 7 th Sept	Attendance summaries from 2025-26 out to parents
Mon 7 th Sept	New Nursery children to start
Thur 10 th Sept PM	Swimming sessions to resume for Y5
Thur 10 th Sept 5pm	Curriculum Evening – all parents welcome
Tues 15 th Sept 6pm	Meeting for Y4 parents who wish to put their child forward for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion. St. Joseph's Church Hall, Gilesgate
Wed 23 rd Sept 9am	Whole school assembly led by Mission Together
Thur 24 th Sept 3.15pm	Y6 Residential meeting for parents in Y6 classroom
Fri 25 th Sept 9am	FoSG Macmillan coffee morning and cake sale – all welcome to attend. Please donate cakes
Tues 29 th Sept AM	Tempest photography Individuals and families Parents wishing for a sibling photo with pre-school siblings to come into school for 8.30am
Week commencing 5 th Oct	Pupil and parent surveys – Safeguarding
Tues 6 th Oct 3.30pm	Phonics meeting for Reception parents
Wed 7 th Oct	Reception Open Morning for parents with children due to start school in September 2027
Thur 8 th Oct PM	Y1 Fundamental Movement skills festival at Belmont
Week commencing 12 th Oct	SEND Meetings – Teachers will directly contact relevant parents to make appointments
Mon 12 th Oct	Feast of St. Carlo Acutis – Patron Saint of Bishop Wilkinson Catholic Education Trust

Wed 14 th – Fri 16 th Oct	Y6 Residential PGL
Tues 20 th and Thur 22 nd Oct	Parents' Evenings – choice of 2 dates. Nursery parents to book Tues if their child attends M-W
Fri 23 rd Oct 2.30pm	Early Years Welcome stay and pray
<i>Half term Mon 26th Oct – Fri 30st Oct</i>	
Thur 5 th Nov PM	Y2 Sportshall Athletics Festival at Framwellgate School
Fri 6 th Nov 2.30pm	Y1 activity with prayer
Fri 13 th Nov 2.30pm	Y2 activity with prayer
Fri 20 th Nov	Flu vaccinations
Fri 20 th Nov 2.30pm	Y3 activity with prayer
Tues 24 th Nov PM	Y5 Basketball skills festival at Maiden Castle
Fri 27 th Nov	Y4 Advent activity with prayer
Wed 2 nd Dec 10am	Open Morning for parents with a child due to start Nursery Jan 2027
Fri 4 th Dec 2.30pm	Y5 Advent activity with prayer
Wed 9 th Dec 2pm	YR-Y2 Nativity Play
Thur 10 th Dec 9.30am	YR-Y2 Nativity Play
Thur 10 th Dec 6pm	Y4 Sacrament of Reconciliation
Fri 11 th Dec 2.30pm	Y6 Advent activity with prayer
Mon 14 th Dec 3.15pm	Advent Journey for KS2 parents
Tues 15 th Dec 10am	Mr Hamilton's Music concert
Tues 15 th PM	EYs-Y2 Christmas Party
Wed 16 th Dec 9.15am	Y3/Y4 Christmas songs/carols
Wed 16 th Dec	Christmas Lunch
Wed 16 th Dec PM	Y3/4 Party
Wed 16 ^h Dec 3.15pm	Advent Journey for EYFS and KS1 parents
Thur 17 th Dec 9.15am	Y5/6 Christmas songs/Carols
Thur 17 th Dec PM	Y5/6 Christmas Party
Fri 18 th Dec	Christmas Jumper Day (non-Uniform) Donation to Save the Children
Fri 18 th Dec PM	Akademiks live band in school
Fri 18 th Dec	School to close for holidays

Mon 21st Dec – Fri 1st Jan Christmas Holidays

Key dates for the Spring Term

First half – 6 weeks

Second half – 4 weeks and 4 days

Spring Term	
Mon 4 th Jan	School closed – staff training
Tues 5 th Jan	First day of new term
Thur 7 th Jan	Y4 Youth Village residential meeting for parents/carers
11 th – 15 th Jan	Parent Survey: priority groups
Mon 11 th Jan 3.15pm	SATs Meeting for Y6 parents/carers
Mon 18 th Jan 3.15pm	Y1 Phonics Meeting for parents/carers
Fri 12 th Feb 2.15pm	Y1 Lenten Stay and pray Parents/carers invited into class for a shared activity and prayer
<i>Half term Mon 15th – Fri 19th Feb</i>	
Fri 26 th Feb 2.15pm	Y2 Lenten Stay and pray Parents/carers invited into class for a shared activity and prayer
Week Commencing 1 st Mar	SEND Parent Consultation Meetings
Fri 5 th Mar 2.15pm	Y4 Lenten Stay and pray Parents/carers invited into class for a shared activity and prayer
Tues 9 th Mar 3.30-6pm	Parents' Evening Option 1
Thur 11 th Mar 3.30-6pm	Parents' Evening Option 2
Fri 12 th Mar	Y5 Lenten Stay and pray Parents/carers invited into class for a shared activity and prayer
Mon 15 th – Wed 17 th Mar	Y4 2 night residential to Youth Village
Fri 19 th Mar 2.15pm	Y3 Lenten Stay and pray Parents/carers invited into class for a shared activity and prayer
Wed 24 th Mar	Decorated Easter Egg Competition
Thur 25 th Mar 2.30pm	Y6 to lead Stations of the Cross
Fri 26 th Mar	School closed – Good Friday

Fri 26th Mar – Fri 9th Apr Easter Holidays

Key dates for the Summer Term

6 weeks 4 days

6 weeks

Summer Term	
Mon 12 th Apr	Start of Summer term
Week commencing 10 th May	Y6 SATs Week
<i>Half term Mon 31st May – Fri 4th Jun</i>	
Week commencing 7 th June and 14 th June	Y4 Multiplication Times tables check
Sat 12 th Jun	Y4 First Holy Communion
Week commencing 14 th Jun	Y1 Phonics Screening Test
Thur 24 th Jun	Y6 London Day trip (including visit to Parliament)
Fri 25 th Jun	Staff INSET – school closed to all pupils
Tues 6 th Jul 9.15am start	Sports Morning
Thur 8 th Jul 6pm	Y6 Play
Fri 9 th Jul	Reserve Sports morning
Fri 9 th Jul	End of Year Reports out to parents
Mon 12 th Jul	Move up morning
Wed 14 th Jul 2pm	Y6 Celebration of the Word followed by coffee/juice and cake for parents/carers and Y6 children
Fri 16 th Jul	End of school year

Mon 19th July – Fri 3rd Sept Summer Holidays

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Staff Training on Mon 6th Sept. School will reopen to pupils on Tues 7th Sept 2026.

Friends of St. Godric's (FoSG) dates will be added next week once they have been agreed. Other dates will be added throughout the year and new versions will be shared with you.